

## THEME 5

### TAKE ACTION

Week 4: Good Citizens

#### Essential Question:

*What do good citizens do?*

**Stories:** Dolores Huerta:

Growing Up Strong,  
Elizabeth Leads the  
Way, Susan B. Anthony  
Takes Action

## READING & WRITING

### Close Reading of Complex Text:

Cite relevant evidence from text,  
Identify author's point of view, Ask  
and answer questions

**Writing:** Draw evidence from  
informational texts, write  
informative texts, conduct short  
research on how to be a good  
citizen, Prewrite a book review









## SPELLING LIST

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1. tries
2. tried
3. trying
4. dries
5. dried
6. drying
7. hurries
8. hurried
9. hurrying
10. studies
11. studied
12. studying
13. plays
14. played
15. playing

## VOCABULARY WORDS

<p><b>citizenship</b> <small>noun.</small> Citizenship is the position of being a citizen of a country with all the rights, duties, and privileges that come with it.</p>  <p>Good <b>citizenship</b> was important to her, and she taught Dolores that women can be strong leaders.</p>	<p><b>continued</b> <small>past tense verb.</small> When something is continued, it goes on without stopping.</p>  <p>This attitude <b>continued</b> as she attended college and studied to become a teacher.</p>	<p><b>daring</b> <small>adj.</small> Something daring is courageous and bold.</p>  <p>Trying to help the children was a <b>daring</b> thing for Dolores to do.</p>	<p><b>horrified</b> <small>past tense verb.</small> When you are horrified, you are filled with great fear, horror, or dislike.</p>  <p>She was <b>horrified</b>.</p>
<p><b>participate</b> <small>verb.</small> You participate when you join with others or take part in something.</p>  <p>Dolores grew up watching her mother <b>participate</b> in community organizations.</p>	<p><b>proposed</b> <small>past tense verb.</small> To have proposed means to have suggested something to others for their consideration.</p>  <p>As a result, she went to her school's principal and <b>proposed</b> some good ideas.</p>	<p><b>unfairness</b> <small>noun.</small> Unfairness is the state of being unfair or unjust.</p>  <p>She decided to do something about the <b>unfairness</b> she saw.</p>	<p><b>waver</b> <small>verb.</small> To waver means to pause when being unsure.</p>  <p>Dolores risked a lot, but her beliefs did not <b>waver</b>.</p>

## LANGUAGE DEVELOPMENT

**Conventions:** Form and use possessive pronouns, use prefixes and suffixes as clues to the meaning of a word

**Phonics/Word Study/Spelling:** Inflectional endings y and i, suffixes -ful, -ness, -less

**Fluency:** Phrasing and rate

**Content Knowledge:** Describe the lives of American heroes who took risks to secure our freedoms