

# Tales from Third Grade



## Driving Question:

How can we use storytelling to learn about ourselves and each other?

## Content Summary:

Students will explore different forms of storytelling by being exposed to a variety of forms; visual storytellers in the arts, digital storytelling, and written stories. They will also explore storytelling through a variety of mentor texts. Students will use their discoveries to work in small groups to write their own stories that will be shared at a festival of stories with the Kinetic community.

## Standards:

**W.3.8** Research to Build and Present Knowledge-Recall information from experience

**RL.3.9** Compare and Contrast Themes

**RL.3.6** Distinguish their own point of view from that of the author of a text.

**SL.3.1** Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 3 topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.

**SL.3.3** Ask and answer questions about information from a speaker, offering appropriate elaboration and detail.

**SL.3.5** Create engaging audio recordings of stories or poems that demonstrate fluid reading at an understandable pace; add visual displays when appropriate to emphasize or enhance certain facts or details.