4th Grade Study Guide- Lesson 25

“The Fun They Had”

By Isaac Asimov

**Comprehension Skills and Strategies:**

Author’s purpose, formal and informal language, question

**Genre:**

Science Fiction

**Grammar Skill:**

Proper Mechanics

**Vocabulary Strategies:**

Greek and Latin Word Parts: meter, therm, aud, fac

**Writing Skills:**

**Informative** ***Writing***: Research Report

***Focus Trait***: word choice

**Spelling Skill**:

Words with VV Pattern

**Vocabulary Words**

centuries- hundreds of years of time.

progress- improvement.

dispute- argue.

mechanical- by use of machines.

calculated-figured out.

superior-better.

waste- something used without result.

inspector- person who makes sure things are working.

average- usual.

insert- put in.

**Spelling Word:** idea, lion, usual, radio, liar, poem, India, piano, January, quiet, poet, science, diary, violin, period, February, cereal, video, meteor, rodeo

**Challenge Words:** variety, gradual, geography, diagram, punctuate