4th Grade Study Guide- Lesson 16

“Riding Freedom”

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**Comprehension Skills and Strategies:**

Compare and Contrast

**Genre:**

Historical Fiction

**Grammar Skill:**

Adjectives

**Vocabulary Strategies:**

Figurative Language

**Writing Skills:**

***Narrative Writing***: Descriptive Paragraph

***Focus Trait***: ideas

**Spelling Skill**:

Words with /k/, /ng/, and /kw/

**Vocabulary Words**

worthy- good enough for something

churning- vigorously mixing or stirring.

situation- a set of circumstances.

swelled- got larger.

deserve- earn something.

defended- speak or write in support of something.

satisfied- accepting.

relied- depended on.

reputation- people’s opinion about someone or something

escorted- guided or accompanied by someone.

**Spelling Words:** risky, track, topic, blank, question, pocket, monkey, junk, equal, ache, public, attack, struck, earthquake, picnic, banker, electric, blanket, mistake, stomach

**Challenge Words:** request, skeleton, peculiar, attic, reckless