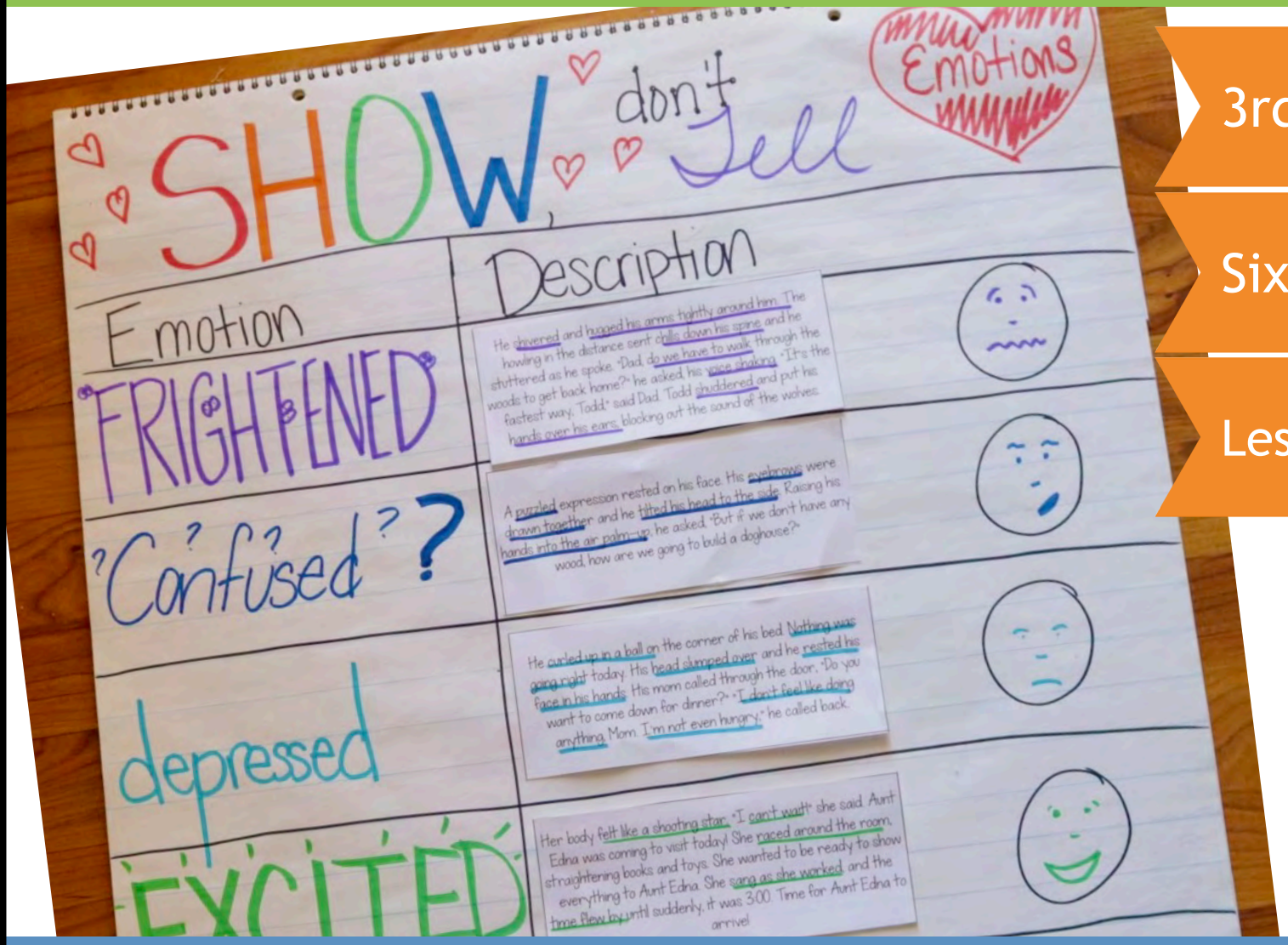
SHOW, DON'T TELL EMOTIONS

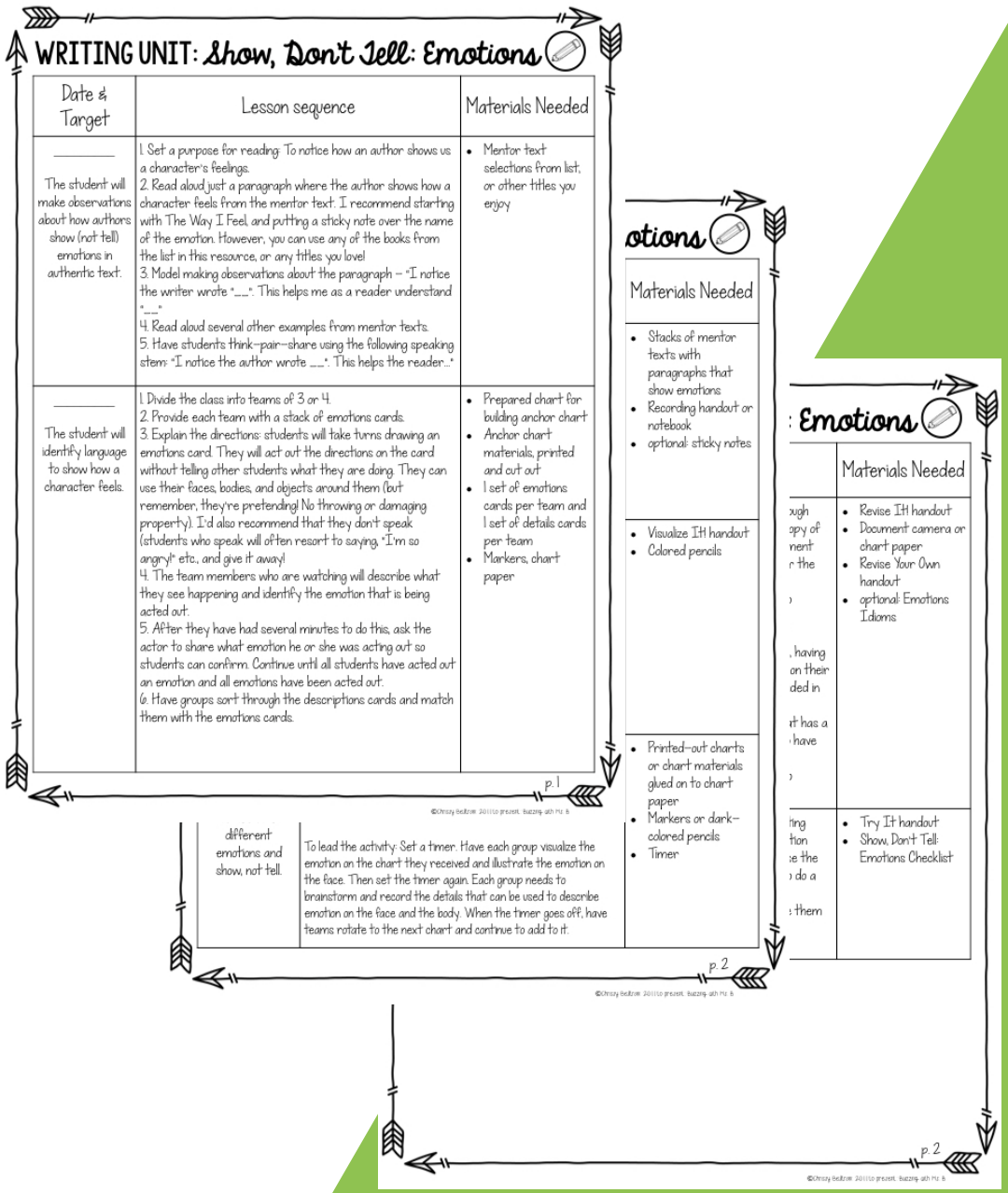


- 3rd & 4th grade
- Six emotions
- Lesson plans included

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HANDS-ON LEARNING & PLENTY OF PRACTICE

What's in the lesson plans?



WRITING UNIT: Show, Don't Tell: Emotions

Date & Target	Lesson sequence	Materials Needed
_____ The student will make observations about how authors show (not tell) emotions in authentic text.	1. Set a purpose for reading: To notice how an author shows us a character's feelings. 2. Read aloud just a paragraph where the author shows how a character feels from the mentor text. I recommend starting with The Way I Feel, and putting a sticky note over the name of the emotion. However, you can use any of the books from the list in this resource, or any titles you love! 3. Model making observations about the paragraph – "I notice the writer wrote "___". This helps me as a reader understand "___" 4. Read aloud several other examples from mentor texts. 5. Have students think-pair-share using the following speaking stem: "I notice the author wrote ___". This helps the reader..."	• Mentor text selections from list, or other titles you enjoy
_____ The student will identify language to show how a character feels.	1. Divide the class into teams of 3 or 4. 2. Provide each team with a stack of emotions cards. 3. Explain the directions: students will take turns drawing an emotions card. They will act out the directions on the card without telling other students what they are doing. They can use their faces, bodies, and objects around them (but remember, they're pretending! No throwing or damaging property). I'd also recommend that they don't speak (students who speak will often resort to saying, "I'm so angry!" etc., and give it away! 4. The team members who are watching will describe what they see happening and identify the emotion that is being acted out. 5. After they have had several minutes to do this, ask the actor to share what emotion he or she was acting out so students can confirm. Continue until all students have acted out an emotion and all emotions have been acted out. 6. Have groups sort through the descriptions cards and match them with the emotions cards.	• Prepared chart for building anchor chart • Anchor chart materials, printed and cut out • 1 set of emotions cards per team and 1 set of details cards per team • Markers, chart paper

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otions

Materials Needed
• Stacks of mentor texts with paragraphs that show emotions • Recording handout or notebook • optional: sticky notes
• Visualize It! handout • Colored pencils
• Printed-out charts or chart materials glued on to chart paper • Markers or dark-colored pencils • Timer

different emotions and show, not tell.

To lead the activity: Set a timer. Have each group visualize the emotion on the chart they received and illustrate the emotion on the face. Then set the timer again. Each group needs to brainstorm and record the details that can be used to describe emotion on the face and the body. When the timer goes off, have teams rotate to the next chart and continue to add to it.

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Emotions

Materials Needed
• Revise It! handout • Document camera or chart paper • Revise Your Own handout • optional: Emotions Idioms
• Try It! handout • Show, Don't Tell: Emotions Checklist

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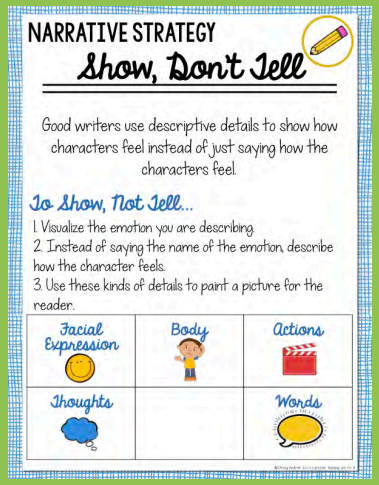
Ready-to-go lesson plans include...

- ✓7 days of lessons
- ✓A learning target/objective in "the student will..." format
- ✓Lesson sequence, step by step
- ✓Required materials
- ✓Space to record the date

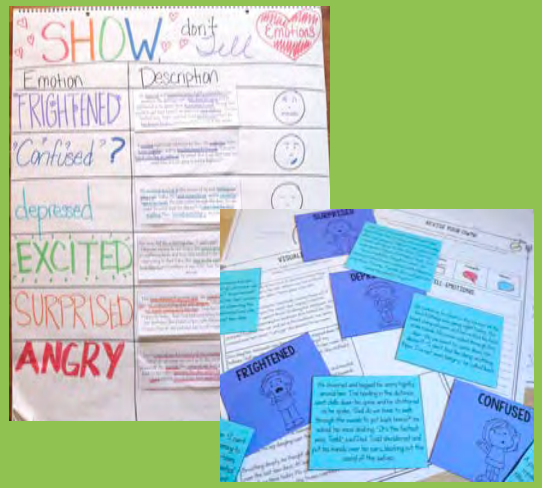
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MORE FOCUSED STUDENT WRITING IN 8 DAYS

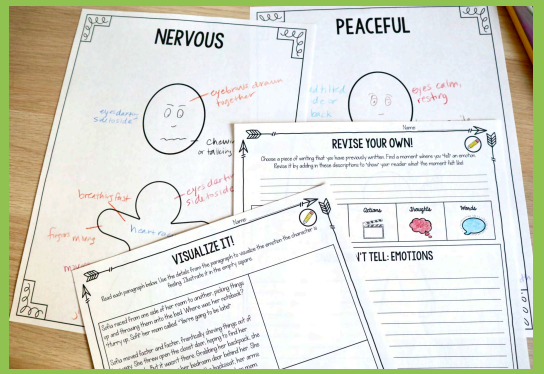
INTRODUCE WITH A MENTOR TEXT



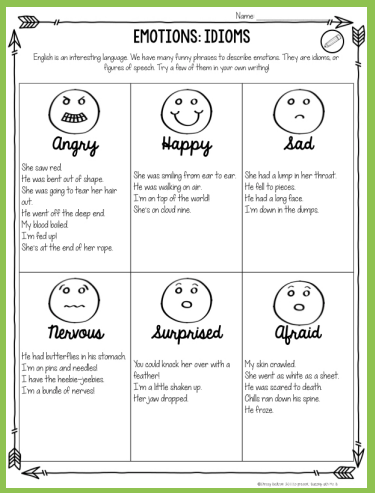
HANDS-ON ACTIVITY & BUILD THE CHART



HUNT FOR EXAMPLES & BRAINSTORM



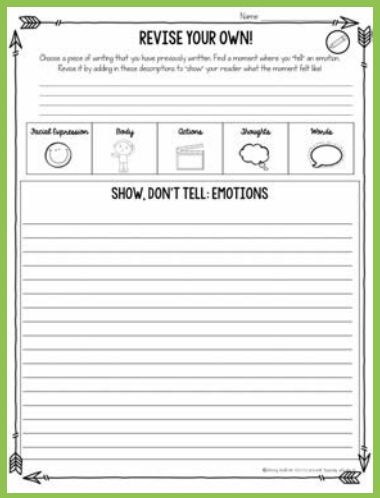
LEARN ABOUT IDIOMS RELATED TO EMOTIONS



REVISION PRACTICE



REVISE THEIR OWN WRITING

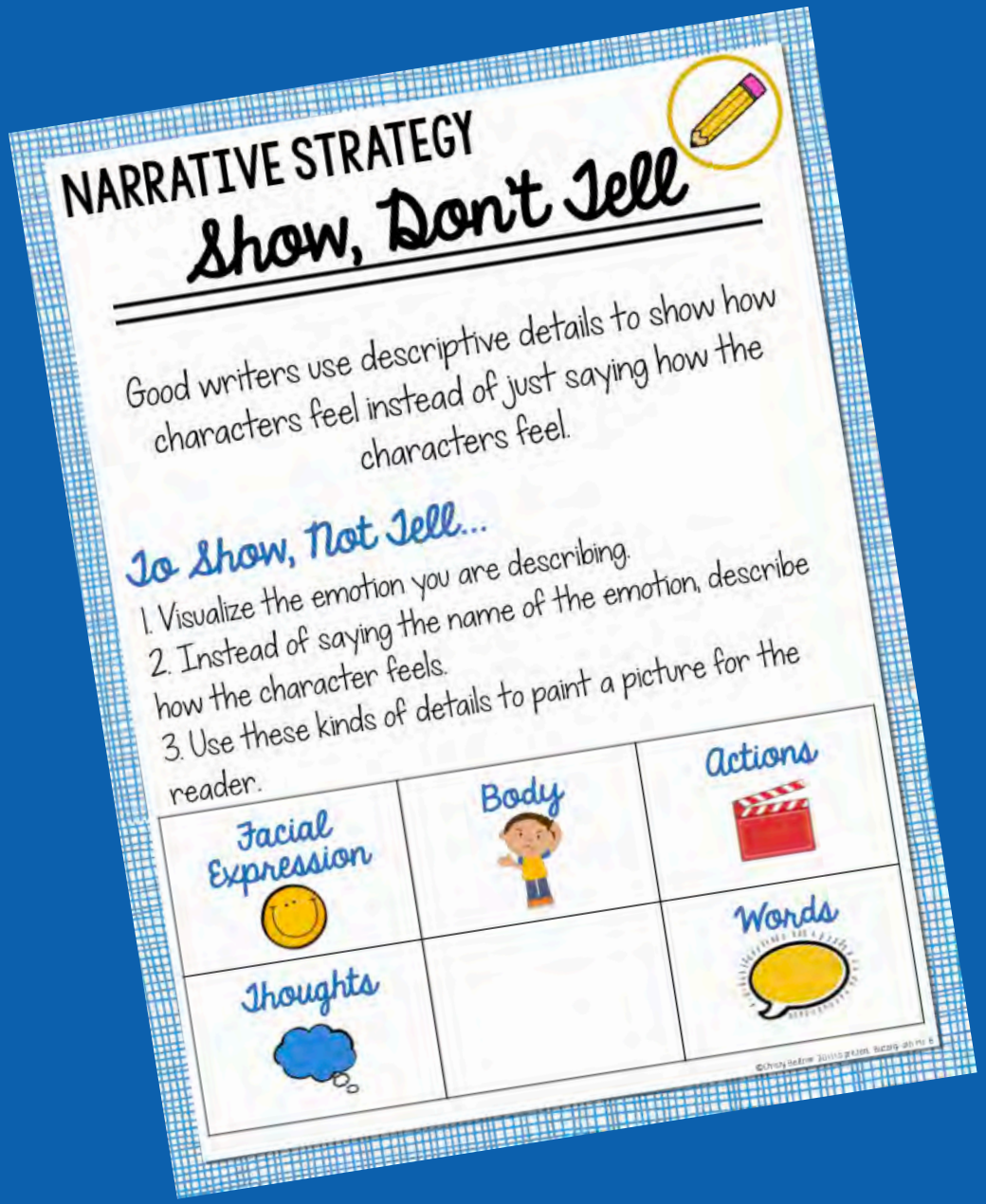


TRY IT IN THEIR OWN WRITING



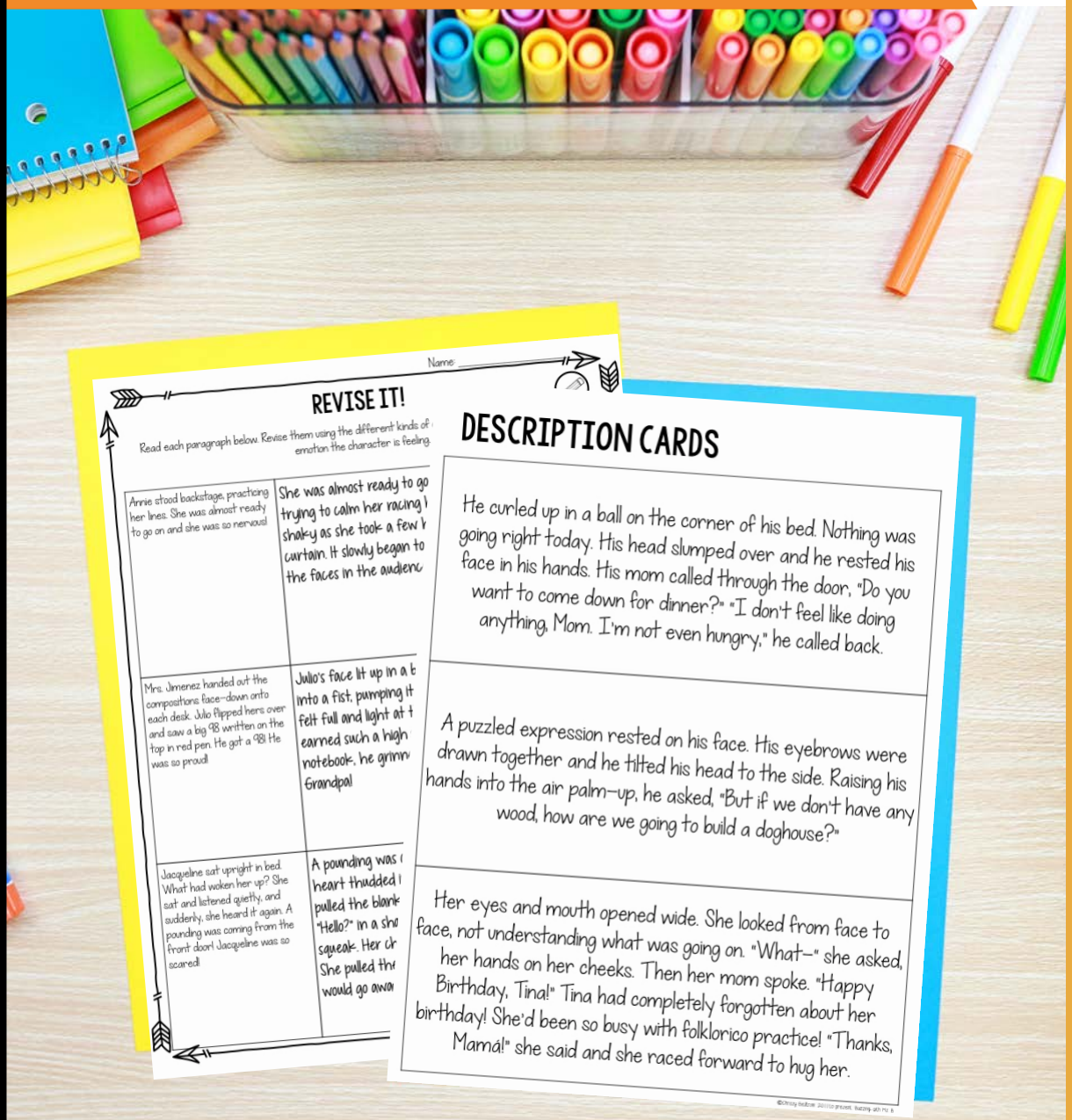
12 PRINTABLE STUDENT PAGES INCLUDED

Poster set introduces each type of detail





What's in this resource?



Teacher pages included

- ✓Lesson plans
- ✓Teacher's guide pages
- ✓Mentor text list for this skill
- ✓Materials to build anchor chart
- ✓Anchor chart activity directions for several charts
- ✓Directions/keys for each lesson

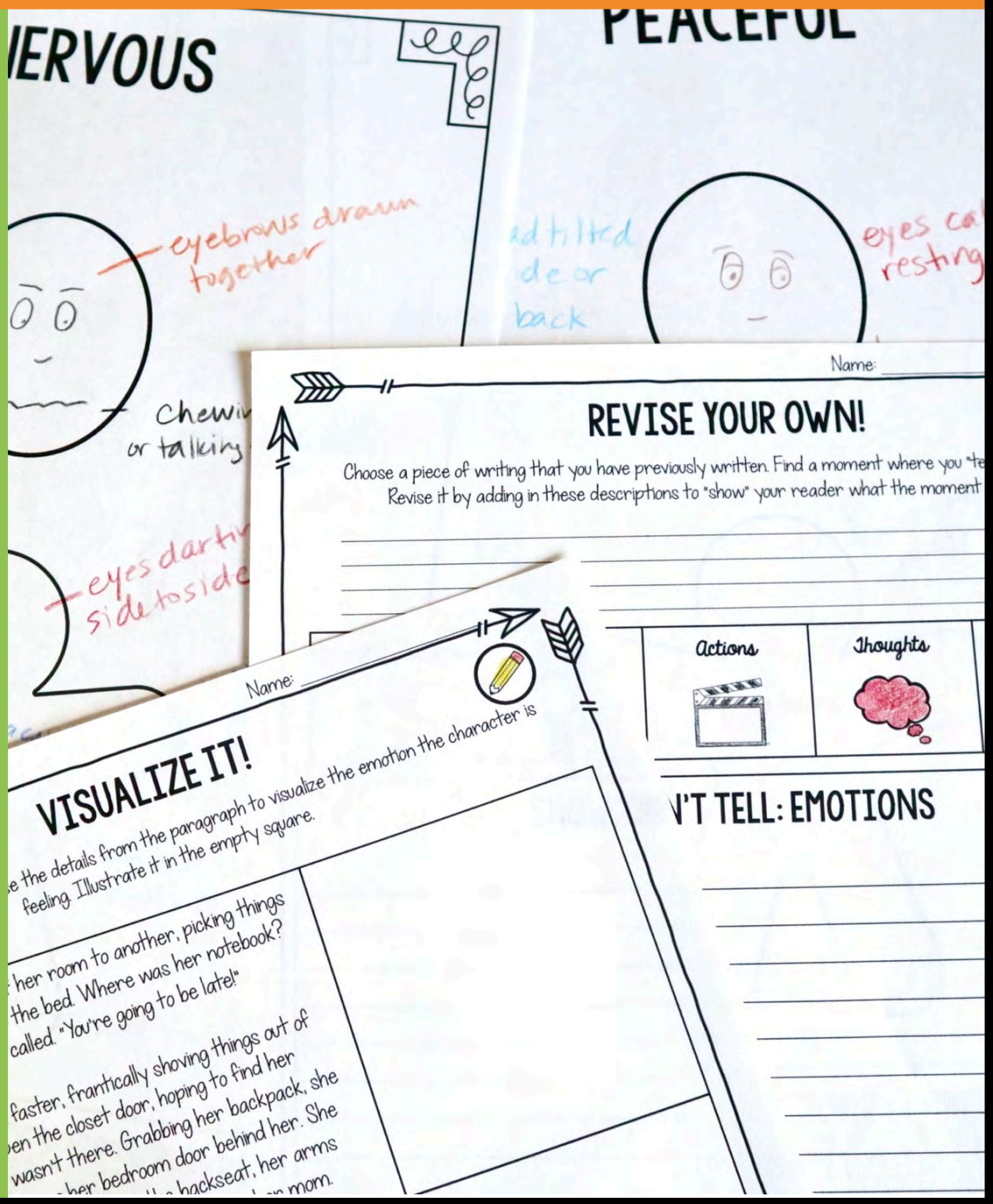
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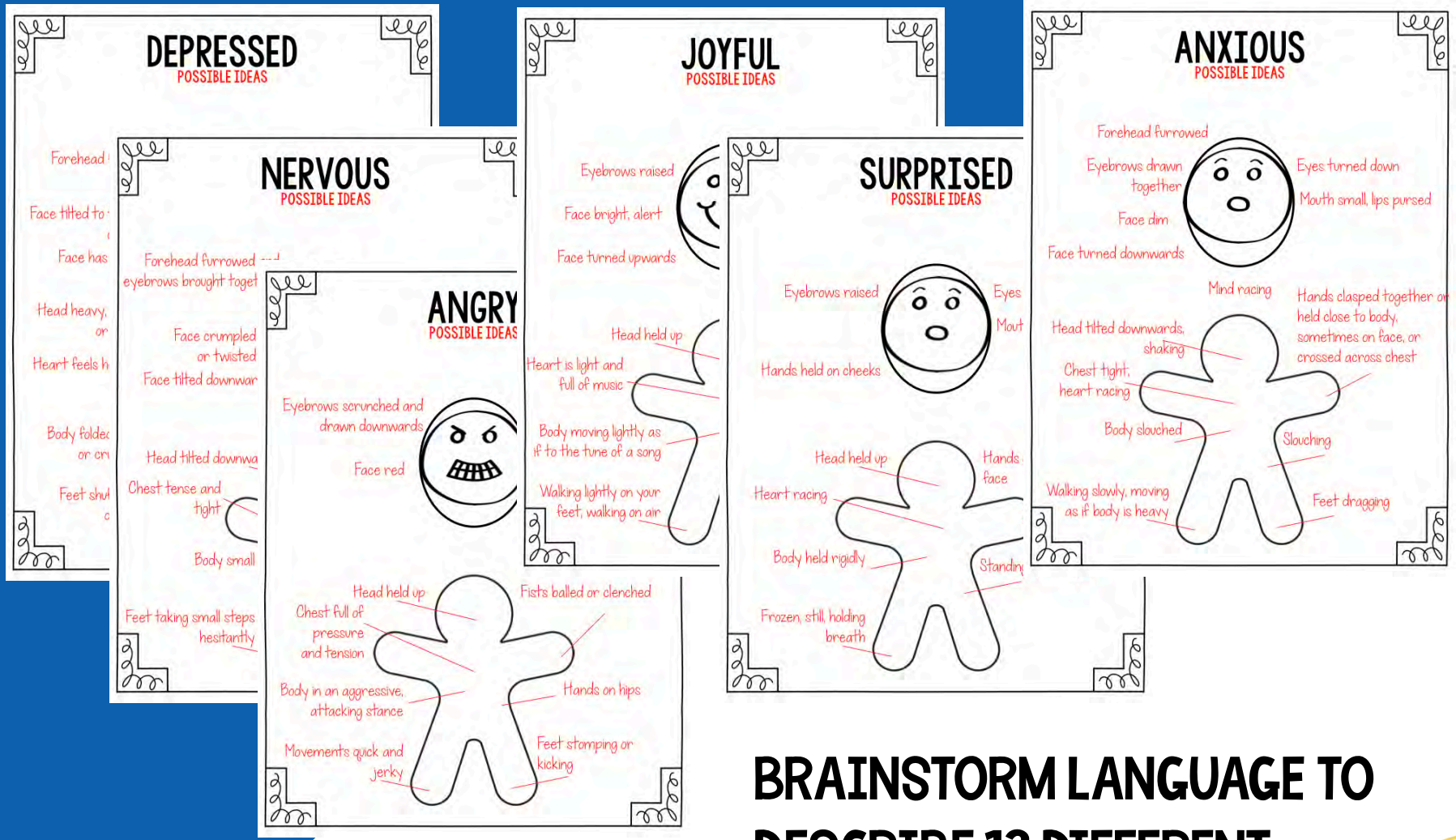
Student pages:

- ✓Anchor chart cards
- ✓Mark it up color coding activity
- ✓7 Emotions posters with sentence starters
- ✓Show, don't tell notes
- ✓Revise It
- ✓Revise Your Own
- ✓Brainstorming organizers
- ✓6 different prompts: Try It
- ✓Show, don't tell tips - a bookmark sized tip sheet

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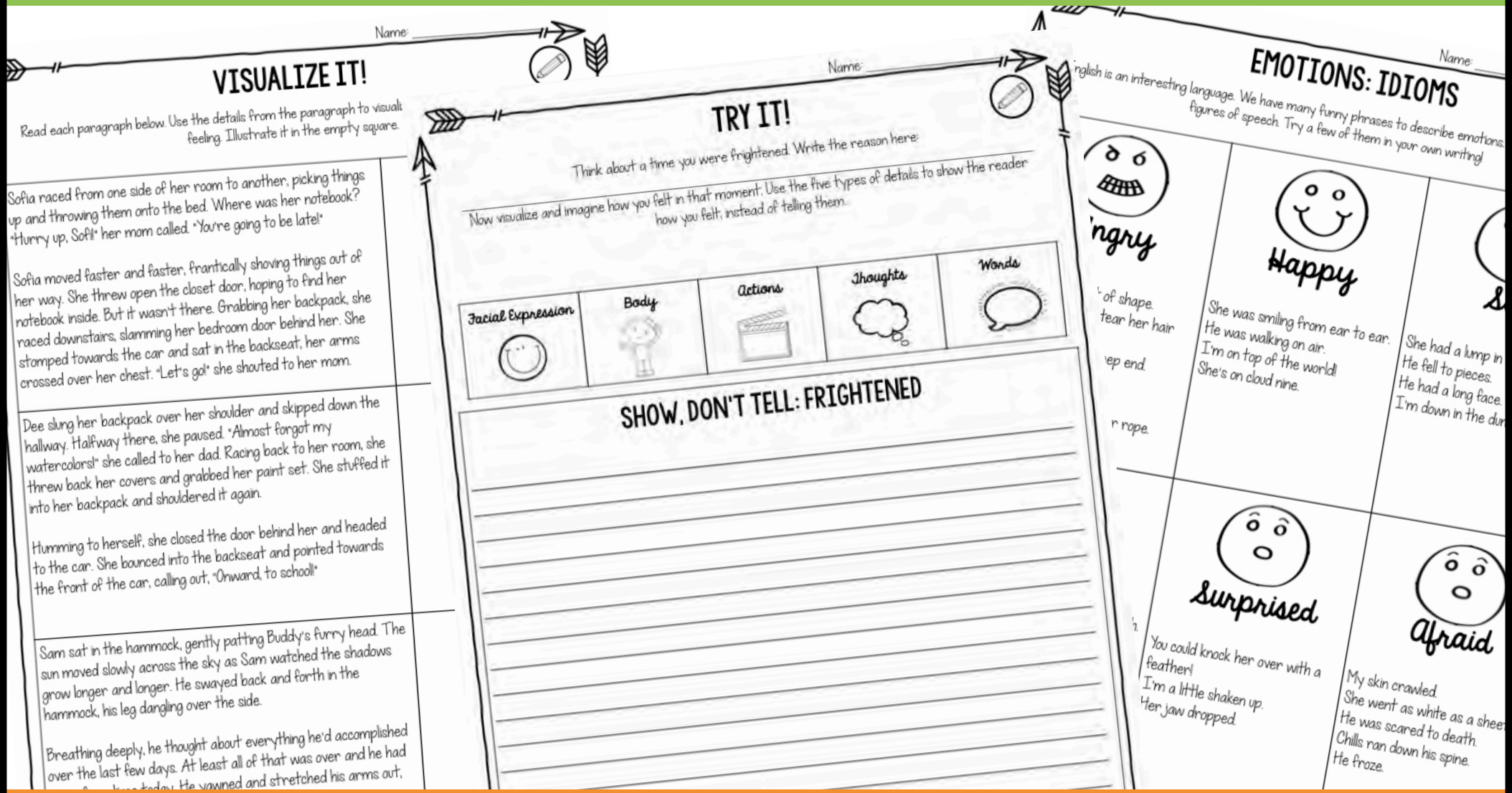
LANGUAGE BUILDING ACTIVITY & CHARTS



BRAINSTORM LANGUAGE TO DESCRIBE 13 DIFFERENT EMOTIONS

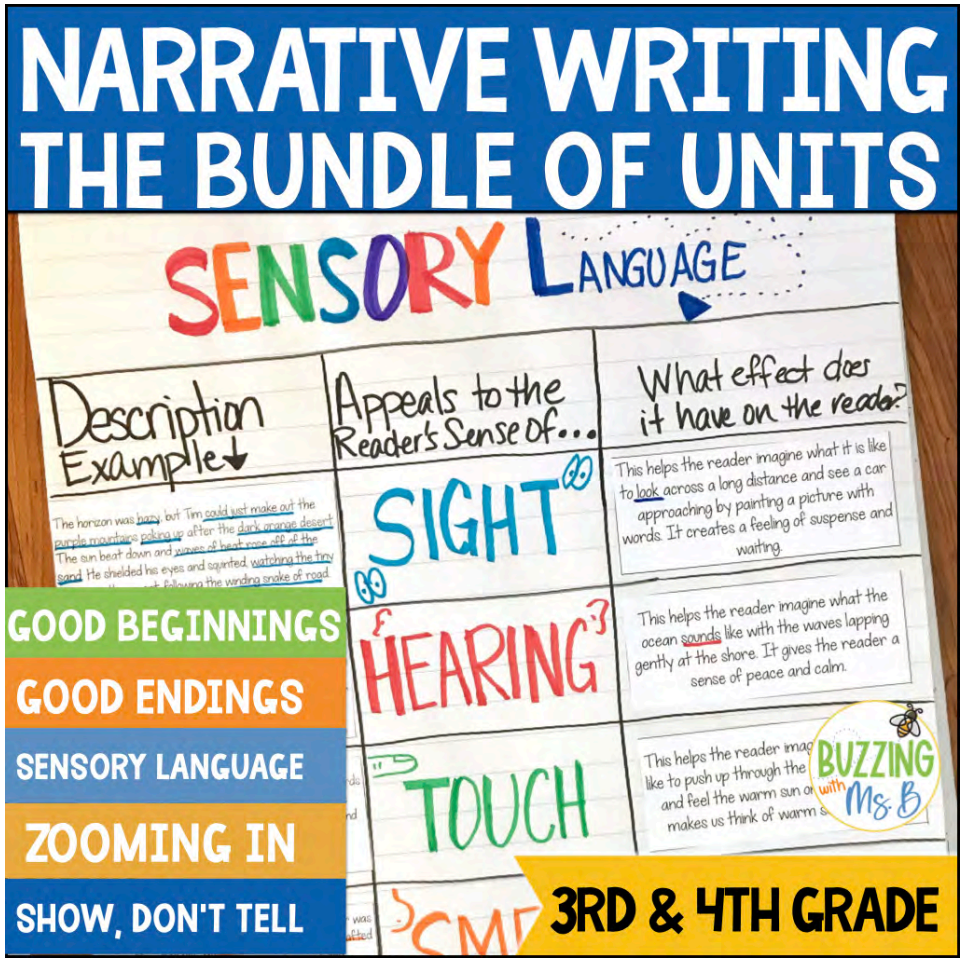
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PLENTY OF PRACTICE!



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