

Unit 1 Assessment Review Sheet

Test Date: _____

There will be **five parts** to the test, in which you will have to:

- **Part #1** - Read the nonfiction passage about coal mines, "Making Mines Safer." Then, complete 6 multiple choice questions about the text.
- **Part #2** - Read the fictional passage about a family living and working in mine country, "Safe and Sound." Then, complete 7 multiple choice questions about the text.
- **Part #3** - Answer an open-ended question related to BOTH passages by writing a short response (3-4 sentences).
- **Part #4** - Read a paragraph written by a student, which contains some mistakes in grammar. Then, complete 5 multiple choice questions about revising and editing the paragraph.
- **Part #5** - Answer an open-ended question related to BOTH passages by writing a personal letter.

Key concepts/skills to know are:

- Identifying **Key Details** and Determining the **Main Idea**
- Explaining How an Author uses Reasons and Evidence to **Support Their Points**
- Interpreting **Graphic Features** (sidebar, chart, photograph, etc.)
- **Summarizing** a Text (identifying key events and putting them in time order)
- Referring to Details and Examples in a Text to **Draw Inferences**
- Using Context Clues to **Determine the Meaning of Words and Phrases**
- Word Study
 - Long and Short o
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- Grammar
 - Present Progressive Verb Tense
 - Capitalization

*****Information on and examples of each concept/skill can be found in your Literacy Notebook (binder) and your Texts for Close Reading (TCR) Workbook.*****