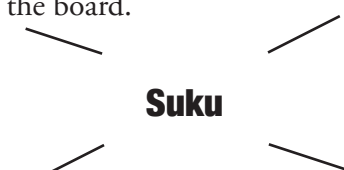
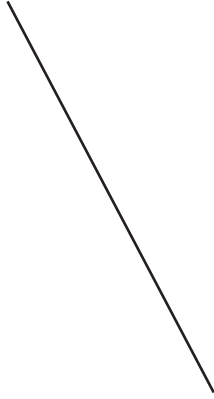


Toto

Fourth Grade, Unit 4, Lesson 2

Standard: Reading 3.2 Identify the main ideas of a plot.

Character Trait: Caring and Giving		Word Bank: caring, giving
Inquiry Connections		
Preparing to Read		
Building Background	Set Purpose for Reading	Selection Vocabulary Display the words caring and giving. Have the students discuss the root words and what they mean. Discuss how both words mean to be considerate of others.
1st Read Pg. 40- Asking Questions- Suku seems so caring, he must not like to see animals in pain.	2nd Read	Discussing the Selection Suku -Make or display a chart on the board.  Have students brainstorm ways that Suku showed caring and giving towards Toto.
Supporting the Reading	Literary Elements: Characterization- Discuss Toto and Suku's character traits. What examples from the story show that he is caring and giving?	Theme Connections
Investigation		Concept Question Board
Language Arts		
Workshop Activities -Using a chart similar to the one used in class, have each student complete a chart showing ways Suku's father showed caring and giving towards others. When completed the students may draw illustrations for their charts.		Materials Class Character Chart Individual Student Charts



Suku's Father

