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This month, I recommend using the archive to expand your Thanksgiving lessons. Here’s a peek at a few of the resources you will find there.

Happy reading,

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## November/December at a Glance

All your resources, standards, and skills

### I Am Thankful!
- **CCSS:** RI.2.1, RI.2.4, RI.2.10, L.2.1, W.2.1, SL.2.3
- **Social-Emotional Learning Focus:** gratitude
- **ELA Skills:** key details, writing, vocabulary, opinion, writing, sight words
- **Page 4 Skill:** phonics
- **Vocabulary Words:** gratitude, experiences, gratitude journal

### Good Job, Veterans!
- **CCSS:** RI.2.1, RI.2.2, RI.2.4, RI.2.10, L.2.1, SL.2.3
- **Social Studies Focus:** veterans
- **ELA Skills:** key details, writing, vocabulary, main idea and details
- **Page 4 Skill:** key details, text features
- **Vocabulary Words:** veterans, armed forces, pilots

### Beavers on the Go!
- **CCSS:** RI.2.1, RI.2.3, RI.2.4, RI.2.8, RI.2.10, L.2.1, SL.2.3
- **Science Focus:** animal builders
- **ELA Skills:** key details, writing, vocabulary, problem/solution, text evidence
- **Page 4 Skill:** read a diagram
- **Vocabulary Words:** predators, dam, lodge

### Holiday Economics
- **CCSS:** RI.2.1, RI.2.4, RI.2.10, L.2.1, SL.2.3
- **Social Studies Focus:** economics
- **ELA Skills:** key details, vocabulary, writing
- **Page 4 Skill:** vocabulary
- **Vocabulary Words:** economics, goods, service

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### Being Thankful
- **Skill:** Vocabulary

### Search and Find
- **Skills:** RI.2.1 Key details; L.2.1 Writing

### Make a Poster
- **Skill:** Text features

### Animals Can Build It!
- **Skill:** Key details

### Game Show
- **Skills:** RI.2.1 Key details; L.2.1 Writing

### Be an Economics Expert
- **Skill:** Nonfiction text features

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Tips for Building Your Virtual Classroom Community With *Scholastic News* 2

**Do a live read-aloud.**
Share your screen to display the digital issue as you read the magazine with students. That way, you can discuss the issue and interact with each other, just as you would if you were together in the classroom.

**Have a dance party!**
Dancing is more fun when you do it together! Invite children to have an online Dance Break dance party.

**Play the Game Show together.**
Break students up into two teams. Share your screen, and have teams compete in the Game Show game. Students can “buzz in” by raising a hand.

**Ask a Question of the Week**
Think of a fun question based on the issue. Then have children respond by making a video or an audio clip and uploading it to your learning management system. They can also type their responses in a shared document. What a fun way to stay connected!

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