**Destiny’s Gift**

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Journeys- Unit 1, Lesson 3

Focus Wall

Spelling Words: Long a and Long e

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| lay | real | trail | sweet | Today | dream | seem | yesterday |
| tea | treat | afraid | leave | Bait | screen | speed | explain |

Vocabulary Words: Meaning

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| Block | the section of a street between two other streets |
| spreading | stretching something out |
| Raise | to collect |
| Figure | to work out by thinking |
| contacted | got in touch with someone |
| customers | people who buy something at a store |
| afford | to be able to pay |
| earn | to get something by working |

Reading Target Skill- Understanding Characters

* **Traits -** qualities that people have, such as kindness
* **Motivations -** the reasons for their actions

Reading Target Strategy- Analyze/Evaluate

* **Analyze -**to think about
* **Evaluate -** decide what the characters are like and what their motives are

English Skill - Compound Sentences

* **Compound Sentences -** made of two simple sentences
* **Conjunctions -**joining words such as and, but, or, so
* **Command -** a sentence  that tells someone to do something