**Literacy Planning**

**The Watsons Go to Birmingham by Christopher Paul Curtis 4-6 Weeks**

**Concept Question: Why is it important to know yourself and to understand the points of view of others in order to successfully face and solve conflicts?**

**Central Theme: There’s a strength in all of us that gives us the courage to deal with our problems.**

Week 2.5 – 10/14 to 10/16

10/14 – YWBAT draw conclusions to improve comprehension.

YWBAT visualize to help draw conclusions.

Theme: Accepting Differences

* Cuneiform reading
  + RACE response
* Book club

10/15 - YWBAT use context clues to determine the meanings of unfamiliar words.

YWBAT identify details of a story in order to increase comprehension and draw conclusions.

Theme: Friendship and Forgiving

* Cuneiform reading
  + RACE response
* Book club
* Read Watsons chapter 3
  + Comprehension check: Context Clues, Identifying Details, Making Inferences, Characters’ Prospective.
* Fishbowl Discussion – Kenny’s differences