# Jellies: The Life of a Jellyfish

#### Informational Text

Essential Question: What is special about animals that live in the ocean?

#### Vocabulary:

Word	Definition
millions	to have more than one million
choices	things you have to choose from
drift	to move slowly, without a set direction
simple	something that is easy and does not have many parts
weaker	to have less strength than before
wrapped	to cover or twist around something
disgusting	something that makes you feel sick
decide	to choose what you do or think

Vocabulary practice: review and study vocabulary words

#### **High Frequency words:**

because	better	go	me	old
really	right	they	was	you

## Target Skill: Fact and Opinion

- Separate Fact and Opinion: put the facts and opinions in the correct spot
- <u>Binky's Fact and Opinions:</u> answer five questions correct to watch a video

### **Vocabulary strategy:** suffixes *-er* and *-est*

• Adding –er and –est: page of rules for adding –er and –est plus worksheets

### Grammar: Verbs Present, past, and Future

- Present Tense Verbs: Go through the whole lesson this time (same from Lesson 9)
- Verbs Tenses: lesson on verb tenses

#### **Phonics:** contractions

- Hollywood Pairs: match the cards with words and their matching contraction
- Contractions: flip cards to practice with several games on page

Print out the following sheets to complete at home using our story and then a story of your choice.

# **Facts and Opinions**

Facts: something that is true and can be proved

Opinions: a belief or feeling

Instructions: Fill in the graphic organizer with facts and opinion about

Jellyfish

Facts	Opinions
• Jellyfish stink.	<ul> <li>Jellyfish are slimy and disgusting.</li> </ul>

# **Facts and Opinions**

Facts: something that is true and can be proved

Opinions: a belief or feeling

**Instructions:** Fill in the graphic organizer with facts and opinion about

another topic you have read about

Facts	Opinions