

A Huge Undertaking

Grade Level: 2nd – 5th

Duration: 60-minute session

Available: October – February

Gallery Connection:

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Students will learn about Pacific Grey Whales life cycle, migration patterns, and the UME (Unusual Mortality Event). They will work in teams to identify parts on a simulated diseased whale and search for the cause of death.

Oregon (Social Science // Science // ELA)

2.12, 2.14, 2.18, 2.25 // 2.LS4.1, 2.PS1.1 // 2.W.2b, 2.W.3c, 2.L.3, 2.L.5a, 2.SL.1c, 2.SL.3

3.8 // 3.LS3.2, 3.LS4.4 // 3.W.2b, 3.W.3c, 3.L.3, 3.SL.1c, 3.SL.3

4.16 // 4.LS1.1, 4.LS1.2 // 4.L.3, 4.SL.3

5.9, 5.12, 5.13 // 5.ESS3.1 // 5.W.2b, 5.L.3, 5.SL.1c, 5.SL.3

Washington (Social Studies // Next Gen. Science // ELA)

SSS1.2.2, SSS3.2.1, SSS3.2.2, G1.2.1, G1.2.2, H2.2.2, H4.2.3 // 2-PS1-1, 2-LS4-1 // RL 1, RI 1, SL1.a, SL1.b, SL1.c

SSS3.3.1 // 3-LS1-1, 3-LS2-1 // RL 1, RL 2, RI 1, SL1.b, SL1.c

SSS2.4.2 // 4-LS1-1, 4-ESS2-2 // RL 1, SL1.b, SL1.c

SSS1.5.1, SSS2.5.2, SSS4.5.3 // 5-LS2-1 // RL 1, SL1.b, SL1.c