

Theme 2

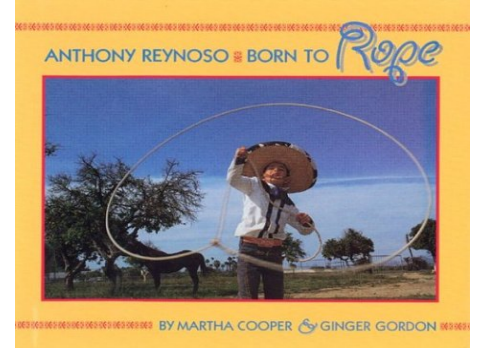
Celebrating Traditions



Title:

Anthony Reynoso:

Born to Rope



Authors:

Martha Cooper &
Ginger Gordon



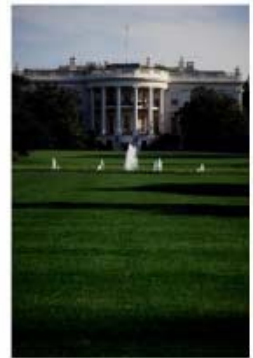
Courtesy Martha Cooper



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Genre:

Nonfiction: factual writing
about real things, people and
events



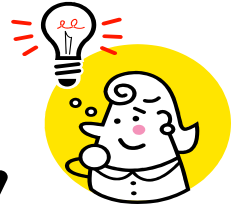
Comprehension Strategy:

Question: to figure out what part you did not understand.



Comprehension Skill:

Categorize and Classify



Comprehensions Skill Review:

Predicting Outcomes; Making Inferences

Spelling Focus

More Short Vowels

Basic:

coach

blow

float

hold

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though

sold

soap

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both

most

Review:

cold

snow

Challenge:

tomorrow

program

Key Vocabulary:

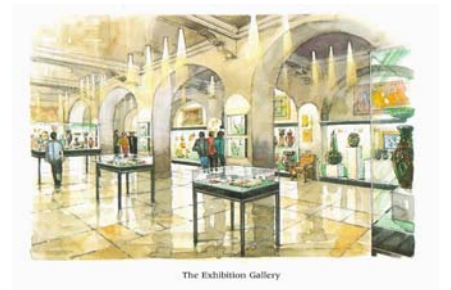
celebrity- a famous person



ceremonies- sets of acts that are carried out to honor a special event



exhibition- a display or show for the public



experts- people who have great knowledge or training in a special area



performers- people who present a special talent or skill to an audience



rodeo- a sporting event where cowboys display their skills



Other Vocabulary:

charro- (CHAH*rrroh) a Mexican cowboy



petroglyphs- old rock carving



pitch in- help out; join together to work



piñata- a clay or paper container filled with toys and candy that is hung from the ceiling and broken with a stick. It is a traditional part of some Latin-American celebrations



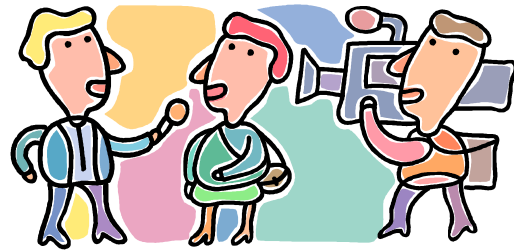
mariachis- members of a Mexican band



Vocabulary Skills: Dictionary Guide Words



Information & Study Skills: Conduct an Interview



Word Work

Grammar Skills: Proper Nouns

Structural Analysis: Plurals

Phonics: The long o sound

Writing:

A Character Sketch;

Correcting Run-on Sentences

Listening/Speaking/Viewing:

Take a Telephone

Message



Spiral Review

Vocabulary: Homophones;

Using Context

Grammar: Verbs; Present and

Past Time Verbs