Pre-A Lesson Plan

Students:	Date:	Lesson #
Activity Options *	Observations/Notes	
Working with Letters		
Letter Activity: #		
Letter formation:		
Working with Names – (Circle 1)		
Name puzzles.		
Make names out of magnetic letters.		
Rainbow writing with names.		
Working with Sounds – (Circle 1)		
Clapping syllables: 1 2 3		
Rhyming words		
Picture Sorts:		
 Working with Books Do shared reading with a level A book. Encourage oral language and teach print concepts (circle one or two): concept of a word (frame a word or count the words in a sentence). concept of a letter(frame a letter or count the letters in a sentence). first letter/word (identify) last letter/word (identify) period (identify) capital/lower case letters (identify) one to one matching Interactive Writing & Cut-up sentence 	Title: Observations:	

* Select activities that teach needed skills. Limit lesson to 15 – 20 minutes.

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Title: _____ Level: ____ Group #_____ Lesson #_____

Day 1 Date:	Day 2 Date:
Sight word review-writing:	Sight word review-writing
Introduce New Book: This book is called and it's about	Reread Yesterday's Book (and other familiar books): Observations
New vocabulary:	
Text Reading with prompting: "Get your mouth ready." "Does that make sense? Check the picture." "Does that sound right and look right?" "Show me the word" (for sight words)	
 Teaching Points after Reading: One-to-one matching (Discourage pointing @ level C.) Use picture clues (Meaning) Monitor with known words Use 1st letter cues Crosschecking picture & 1st letter (always do with levels A & B) 	 Teaching Points after Reading: One-to-one matching (Discourage pointing @ level C.) Use picture clues (Meaning) Monitor with known words Use 1st letter cues Crosschecking picture & 1st letter
Discussion Prompt	Discussion Prompt
Teach 1 Sight Word: What's missing? Mix & Fix Table writing Writing on a whiteboard (do all 4 steps both days)	Teach Same Sight Word: What's missing? Mix & Fix Table writing Writing on a whiteboard
Word Study (Pick only 1):	Guided Writing: Dictated or open- ended sentence
Making words:	
Sound boxes:	

Early Guided Reading Lesson Plan

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DAY 1 Date:	DAY 2 Date:		
Sight word review-writing (optional after 8/E)			
Introduce New Book: This book is	Reread Familiar Books: (NOTES)		
called and it's about			
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New vocabulary:			
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Prompts for Early Readers: (Use for Day	1 and Day 2)		
	nake sense. Does it look right and make sense?		
Reread the sentence.			
Check the end (or middle) of the word. W			
	w? Try that again. What would make sense?		
Chunk the word and think what makes see			
	e this one? (use analogy with rhyming word)		
What can you try? What can you do to h			
Select one or two teaching points after			
Word-solving strategies: Fluency:			
□ Self-monitor w/M, S &V Attend to b			
 Reread at difficulty. Attend to p Attend to endings. Read with p 	/		
	the character. Make connections.		
□ Contractions.	Make inferences.		
 Use analogies. 			
Chunk big words.			
Discussion Prompt:	Discussion Prompt:		
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Teach 1 Sight Word: (optional after level E) What's missing?	Teach 1 Sight Word:		
Mix & Fix			
Table Writing			
White Board			
Word Study:	Guided Writing:		
Sound sorts:	Levels D-E: Dictate two sentences Level E- F: Beginning-Middle-End (3 sentences)		
Level G-I' BMF (4-5 sentences)			
Making words:	Level G-I: Somebody, Wanted, But, So (SWBS)		
- Cound hower			
Sound boxes:			
- Analogy Charte			
Analogy Chart:			

Transitional Guided Reading Lesson Plan For students reading at levels J-P who need to improve decoding, fluency and retell.

Title: Level: Gro	bup: Strategy Focus: Lesson #	
Day 1 Date Pages	Day 2 Date Pages	
Introduce New Book: This book is about	(Continue first reading) Notes/Observations	
New vocabulary:		
Teaching Points: Choose 1 or 2 each day	Teaching Points: Choose 1 or 2 each day	
	ocabulary Strategies:	
	eread the sentence and look for clues.	
	heck the picture or visualize.	
	se a known part. (e.g. compound words)	
	omprehension Strategies:	
	ction: Nonfiction:	
	ME Recall information	
5	-finger Retell Write key words	
	-W-B-S Compare/contrast	
	ompare characters Ask questions	
•	rack character's feelings Summarize w/support	
	lag the V.I.P Main Idea/Details	
Discussion Prompt:	Discussion Prompt:	
Word Study (if appropriate)	Word Study (if appropriate)	
Sound boxes Analogy chart	Sound boxes Analogy chart	
 Make a big word 	 Make a big word 	
Day 3 Reread the book for fluency (5-10	0 min.) & Guided Writing (10-15 min.)	
•	II SWBS Character Analysis	
Problem - solution Compare or contra	•	

Fluent Guided Reading Lesson Plan

Title:	Level: Strategy Focus:	Group:
Day 1 Date:		
Before Reading (5 minutes)	Read & Respond (10 minutes)	After Reading (5 minutes)
This book is about	Model Strategy (Comp. or Voc.)	Discussion and teaching points
Preview & predict (the entire book):		
	Observations & Scaffolds	
New Vocabulary for Day 1:		
p		
p		Words for the New Word List:
p		1
p		- 2
p.		-

Day 2 Date:		
Before Reading (3 minutes)	Read & Respond (12 minutes)	After Reading (5 minutes)
Preview new text portion: Today you will read to find out	Observations & Scaffolds	Discussion and teaching points
New Vocabulary for Day 2: p.		Words for the New Word List: 1. 2.
p		

Possible Teaching Points for Fluent Lessons – See The Next Step in Guided Reading for more ideas.

Vo	cabulary	Co	mprehension - fiction	Comprehension - nonfiction	
	Use context clues		STP		STP (Stop-Think-Paraphrase)
	Use pictures or		VIP		Fact-Question
	visualize		Retell story (5 finger)		Summarize w/key words
	Use a known part		Visualize		Main Idea/Details
	Make connections to		Predict & support		Important/Interesting
	known words		Make connections		Interpreting visual information (maps, charts)
			Character traits		Ask questions
			Ask questions		Contrast or Compare
			Summarize by chapter		Cause/Effect
			Make inferences –		Evaluate- fact/opinion, author's point of view
			(from dialogue, action, or physical description		Figurative language:
					Other:

Lesson Plan for Fluent Guided Reading – back side **Day 3** Date:

Day 5 Date:		
Before Reading (3 min.)	Read & Respond (12 minutes)	After Reading (5 minutes)
Preview the new portion of text	Observations & Scaffolds	Discussion and teaching points
Today you will read to find out		
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		-
		-
		-
		_
<u>New Vocabulary</u> for Day 3		_
p		- Words for the New Word List :
p		- 1.
p		- 2.
p		_ '

Day 4 Date: _____(Not every guided reading book will take four days to read; some will take longer.)

Before Reading (3 min.)	Read & Respond (12 minutes)	After Reading (5 minutes)
Preview the new portion of text	Observations & Scaffolds	Discussion and teaching points
Today you will read to find out		
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	-	-
New Vocabulary for Day 4		—
		– Words for the New Word List :
p		- 1
p		- 2
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<u>Optional</u> Guided Writing (If appropriate): After students finish reading the book, help them expand their understanding of the text by writing with the teacher's support for 20 minutes. Recommended for <u>struggling</u> writers.

Op	tions for Fiction Texts	Options for Nonfiction Texts	Op	tions for Poetry
	Retelling (BME or 5 finger).	Biography – Character analysis, bio poem,		Connections – text to self, text
	Event/Detail- from the Beginning,	compare/contrast, Event/Contribution to		to text, text to world.
	Middle and End.	society.		Microthemes – Explain one
	Problem/Solution.	Descriptive Text – Key idea poem, key		theme of the poem.
	Character Analysis (trait – example) –	idea summary, main idea/details, chapter		Literal/figurative meaning.
	combine with BME to show how	summary.		(This is what the poem says;
	character changes in the story. Only	Historical Text – Cause/Effect (2		This is what the poem means.)
	works with dynamic characters.	paragraphs), Key idea poem, key idea		Explain the meaning of some
	Microtheme – Write a paragraph	summary, important event/details, chapter		aspect of figurative language.
	about a message (theme) in the book.	summary.		Interpreting author's bias: Why
	Alternate ending	Scientific Text – compare/contrast (2		did the poet write this poem?
	Summarize one chapter	paragraphs), main idea/details, chapter		Other
	-	summary, cause/effect.		

10-Minute Guided Reading Lesson for Levels A-I

This plan can be used when you have an emergent or early reader who does not fit into one of your reading groups. Teach the student individually every day for 8-10 minutes. You will use the same book for three consecutive sessions.

Day 1:

- <u>Sight Word Review</u> (30 seconds) Keep a record of the words you have taught the student and review 3 words each day by having the student write them on a white board. Record the student's approximations on the high-frequency word chart. If the student gets confused, scaffold him with clues to activate his/her visual memory (e.g." the" has three letters and starts with a "t"). Give the student a set of magnetic letters to take home and encourage him/her to practice making these words. These words should also become the student's spelling words for the week.
- <u>**Read a New Book (8 minutes)</u>** Do a quick picture walk before the student reads the book. Only dwell on new concepts (such as "path"); you do not need to discuss every page unless the student needs to increase oral language. Use the prompts and teaching points for emergent and early readers.</u>
- *Learn a New Word (1 minute)* Follow every procedure for the new word:
 - *What's Missing*? Teacher writes word on board, student spells word, teacher erases one letter, student tells what letter is missing, continue erasing one, two, or three letters at a time.
 - Mix/Fix Student makes the word out of magnetic letters several times.
 - Table Writing Student writes the word on table with his/her finger.
 - White Board Student writes the word on a white board without copying.

Day 2:

- Sight Word Review (30 seconds) is sure to include the new sight word you taught in yesterday's lesson.
- *Finish or Reread Yesterday's New Book (5 minutes) Student* reads the same book as Day 1. Use the fluency prompts at the bottom of the lesson plan. Watch the timer!
- <u>Reteach the same sight word from yesterday (1 minute)</u>
- <u>Word Work (3 minutes)</u> Select <u>one</u> activity from the word work chart (at the end of the handbook) that is appropriate for the student's needs.

Day 3:

- Sight Word Review (30 seconds) Be sure to include the sight word you just taught.
- *Familiar Reading* (4 minutes) Reread the new book from Day 1 and other familiar books.
- <u>Reteach the same sight word from Day 1 (30 seconds)</u>- You may not need to use the magnetic letters.
- Guided Writing (4 minutes)

Levels A-D – Dictate 1 or 2 sentences for the student to write in a small journal. Include the new sight word you taught him that day and other sight words you have previously taught him. *Level* E-I – *Guide the student to write a summary of the story.*

Option 1: Write 3-5 sentences that tell about the beginning, middle, and end. (BME) Option 2: Somebody-Wanted-But-So (SWBS)

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DAY 1

Sight word review:	New Book Introduction: This book is called and it's about	Teaching Point:
(Optional after level E)	New vocabulary:	Discussion Prompt:
		New sight word: 1. What's missing 2.Mix & Fix 3. Table writing 4. Whiteboard

DAY 2

Sight word review: (Optional after level E)	Reread Yesterday's New Book. Observations and Teaching Points:	Reteach same sight word: Word Study: (Do one of the activities below.) Sound sorts: Making words: Sound boxes: Analogy Chart: (Level G+)

DAY 3

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Sight	Student	Guided Writing:
word	rereads	
review:	book with	A-C: Dictated sentence
(Optional after level E)	a buddy.	D-I: Dictated sentence, BME, SWBS

Teaching Points During and After Reading

Emergent Level (A-C)		Early level (D-I) Decoding Strategies		Fluency & Phrasing (levels C-I)	
	1:1 matching – Point to the words.		Use M, S, &V - Reread and get your		Read it without your finger.
	Use meaning - Check the picture.		mouth ready. What would make sense		How would he (the character)
	Use known words – Show me 'here'.		& look right?		say that?
	Use 1 st letters - <i>Get you mouth ready</i> .		Check the ending. (-s, -ed, -ing)		Read these words together.
	Cross-check picture and 1 st letter		Use known parts – Is there a part you		(teacher frames 2-3 words)
	Blend little words (3 sounds) & think		know?		Teacher slides finger over text
	what would make sense. Check the		Check the middle of the word.	Со	mprehension (<u>Oral</u> responses)
	word with your finger. Say it slowly.		Contractions.		D 11 11/1 / 1:1 19
	What would look right and make		Use analogies with known words.		Recall – <i>What did you read?</i>
	sense?		Do you know another word that		Retell-Beginning, middle, end.
			looks like this one?		Inference – Why did the
			Chunk big words. <i>Break the word into</i>		character do (or say) that?
		-	parts and think what would make		Predict – What might happen
			sense.		next?
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10-Minute Guided Reading Lesson for Levels J-P

This plan can be used when you have a transitional reader who does not fit into one of your reading groups. Teach the student individually every day for 10 minutes. You will use the same book for three consecutive sessions.

<u>Day 1:</u>

- <u>Sight word review (1 minute)</u> If the student does not know how to write the 60 words listed in the handbook for levels A-E, review three words each day. Be sure these are words you have taught the student. The student should be successful.
- <u>**Read a New Book (8-10 minutes)**</u> Guide the student to quickly preview the book, making predictions from the illustrations. Introduce new vocabulary the student could not decode or could not figure out what the word means. Student reads while teacher prompts for self-monitoring, decoding, fluency or retell as appropriate.
- Sight word (if appropriate) 1 minute
 - If the student needs to work on sight words, teach one each day using the following activities:
 - What's Missing Teacher writes word on board, student spells word, teacher erases one letter, student tells what letter is missing, continue erasing one, two, or more letters.
 - *Table Writing* Student writes the word on table with his/her finger.
 - *White Board* Student writes the word on a white board without copying.

Day 2:

- Sight Word Review (If appropriate) Be sure to include the new sight word you taught in yesterday's lesson.
- <u>Continue reading the book (5 minutes)</u> Student finishes reading the book. Prompt for strategies.
- Reteach the same sight word from yesterday if appropriate (1 minute)
- <u>Word Work (3 minutes)</u> Select <u>one</u> word work activity that is appropriate for the student's needs.
 - If student needs <u>blends and short vowels</u> use 4 or 5 sound boxes. Dictate 3 or 4 phonetically regular words. Have student say word slowly on his/her finger and then write the word in sound boxes. See appendix in handbook for appropriate words to use.
 - If student needs <u>vowel combinations</u> use analogy chart. Select two vowel patterns. Student writes known words with those two patterns at the top of a T-chart. Dictate 4 or 5 words that have those two patterns. Student must decide which word matches the vowel pattern. Then s/he writes the new word under the correct key word. Be sure to include blends, digraphs and endings.

Day 3:

• Guided Writing (10 minutes)

Help the student write a response to the story. Options include

- Write 5 sentences that retell the beginning, middle, and end.(BME)
- Write a 5 finger retell.
- Write a somebody-wanted-but-so
- Student should use the "Personal Word Wall" to spell unknown sight words.

The student does not read the book with the teacher on day 3, but the student should reread the book for fluency with a buddy, on a tape recorder or individually some time during the day.

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DAY 1

Sight word review:	New Book Introduction: This book is called and it's about	Teaching Points:
(Optional)	New vocabulary:	Discussion Prompt:
		New sight word: 1. What's missing 2.Mix & Fix 3. Table writing 4. Whiteboard

DAY 2

Sight word Finish reading the book. review: Observations and Teaching Points: (Optional)	Reteach same sight word: Word Study: (Do one of the activities below.) Sound sorts: Making words: Sound boxes: Analogy Chart:
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DAY 3

Guided Writing: Record observations

- o BME
- o 5 finger retell
- o SWBS

Teaching Points During and After Reading

Prompts for Monitoring and Decoding		Prompts for Fluency		Prompts for Retell	
	Does that make sense? Reread and		Read it without your finger.		STP – student stops after
	think what would make sense & look		How would he (the character) say		reading a page (or paragraph)
	right.		that?		Student covers the page and
	<i>Check the middle (or end)</i> of the word.		Can you make it sound like talking?		thinks about the story.
	Is there a part you know?		Read these words together. (teacher		Student paraphrases the text.
	Contractions.		frames 2-3 words)		If student has trouble, prompt
	Chunk the word.		Move your eyes ahead. (Teacher		them to look at the picture.
	Is there another word you know that		slides finger over text to push the		Tell me what you read.
	looks like this part?		student's eye forward.)		Predict – What might happen
	Now reread and think what would				next?
	make sense.				

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