

Alliteration Mentor Texts

Cha, Dia	Dia's Story Cloth: The Hmong's People's Journey of Freedom	New York: Lee & Low, 1996	Level P
Cole, Babette	Prince Cinders	New York: Putnam, 1987	Level N
Gray, Libba Moore	My Mama Had a Dancing Heart	New York: Orchard, 1995	Level O
Dr. Seuss	How the Grinch Stole Christmas	New York: Random, 1957	Level P

Flashback Mentor Texts

Baylor, Byrd	Small Blue Bead	New York: Scribner's, 1992	Level M
Cooney, Barbara	Miss Rumphius	New York: Viking, 1982	Level M
Lyon, George Ell	Who Came Down That Road?	New York: Orchard, 1992	Level N
Say, Allen	Grandfather's Journey	Boston: Houghton-Mifflin, 1993	Level O
Van Allsburg, Chris	The Wreck of the Zephyr	Boston: Houghton-Mifflin, 1983	Level P

Foreshadowing Mentor Texts

Flournoy, Valerie	The Patchwork Quilt	New York: Dial, 1985	Level M
Macaulay, David	Shortcut	Boston: Houghton-Mifflin, 1995	Level J

Inference Mentor Texts

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Isadora, Rachel	Ben's Trumpet	New York: Greenwillow, 1979	Level L
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McCully, Emily Arnold	Mirette on the High Wire	New York: Putnam, 1992	Level P
Oppenheim, Shulamith Levey	The Lily Cupboard	New York: Harper Collins, 1992	Level N
Van Allsburg, Chris	The Garden of Abdul Gasazi	Boston: Houghton Mifflin, 1979	Level O

Irony Mentor Texts

Alexander, Lloyd	The Fortune-Tellers	New York: Dutton, 1992	Level O
Rylant, Cynthia	An Angel for Solomon Singer	New York: Orchard, 1992	Level P
Scieszka, Jon	The Frog Prince, Continued	New York: Viking, 1991	Level N
Snyder, Diane	The Boy of the Three Year Nap	Boston: Houghton Mifflin, 1988	Level O

Metaphor Mentor Texts

Martin, Rafe	The Rough-Face Girl	New York: Putnam, 1992	Level S
Paterson, Katherine	The Tale of the Mandarin Ducks	New York: Lodestar Books, 1990	Level P

Onomatopoeia Mentor Texts

Bunting, Eve	Smoky Night	San Diego: Harcourt Brace, 1994	Level P
Yolen, Jane	Sky Dogs	San Diego: Harcourt Brace Jovanovich, 1990	Level U
Yolen, Jane	Welcome to the Green House	New York: Putnam, 1993	Level L

Personification Mentor Texts

Pinkney, Andrea Davis	Bill Pickett: Rodeo-Ridin Cowboy	San Diego: Harcourt Brace, 1996	Level P
Siebert, Diane	Sierra	New York: HarperCollins, 1991	Level Q

Point of View Mentor Texts

Bunting, Eve	The Wall	New York: Clarion, 1990	Level N
Scieszka, Jon	The True Story of the Three Little Pigs	New York: Viking, 1989	Level Q

Simile Mentor Texts

Igus, Toyomi	Two Mrs. Gibsons	San Francisco: Children's Book Press, 1996	Level L
Johnston, Tony	The Wagon	New York: Tambourine, 1996	Level P
Sheldon, Dianne	The Whales' Song	New York: Dial, 1991	Level N
Sheldon, Dianne	The Boy of the 3 Year Nap	New York: Dial, 1991	Level O
Turner, Ann Warren	Nettie's Trip South	New York: Macmillan, 1987	Level O

Symbolism Mentor Texts

Altman, Linda Jacobs	Amelia's Road	New York: Lee & Low, 1993	Level M
Baylor, Byrd	The Table Where Rich People Sit	New York: Scribner's, 1994	Level O
Bunting, Eve	Fly Away Home	New York: Clarion, 1991	Level M
Garland, Sherry	The Lotus Seed	San Diego: Harcourt Brace Jovanovich, 1993	Level N
Mills, Lauren	The Rag Coat	Boston: Little, Brown, 1991	Level N
Polacco, Patricia	Pink and Say	New York: Philomel, 1994	Level S
Stanley, Diane	Rumpelstiltskin's Daughter	New York: Morrow, 1994	Level P

Some of these titles were suggested by the March 1999 English Journal.