Reading CAP 2015

Kindergarten Mentor Text List aligned to ELA Standards

\*Reference:www.trpub.booksource.com

RL.K.1 (With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text)

1. Where the Wild Things Are Maurice Sendak
2. Peter’s Chair Ezra Jack Keats
3. Little Blue and Little Yellow Leo Lionni
4. The Cat in the Hat Dr. Seuss
5. The Little Red Hen Paul Galdone

RL.K.2 (With prompting and support, retell familiar stories including key details)

1. Miss Bindergarten Gets Ready for Kindergarten Joseph Slate
2. Pancakes for Breakfast Tomie De Paola
3. Is Your Mama a Llama? Deborah Guarino
4. A Kiss for Little Bear Else H. Minarik

RL.K.3 (With prompting and support, identify characters, settings and major events in a story)

1. Little Bear Else H. Minarik
2. Put me in the Zoo Robert Lopshire
3. Today I Will Fly! Mo Willems
4. Freight Train Donald Crews

RL.K.4 (Ask and answer questions about unknown words in a text)

1. No, David! David Shannon
2. Good Night Gorilla Peggy Rathmann
3. Fathers, Mothers, Sisters, Brothers:A Collection of Family Poems by Mary Ann Hoberman
4. Let’s Get a Pup! Said Kate Bob Graham
5. Is Your Mama a Llama? Deborah Guarino

RL.K.5 (Recognize Common types of texts)

1. In the Small, Small Pond Denise Fleming
2. Panda Bear, Panda Bear, What do You See? Bill Martin , Jr.
3. Chicka Chicka Boom Boom Bill Martin , Jr.
4. If You Give a Mouse a Cookie Laura Numeroff
5. Scaredy Squirrel Makes a Friend Melanie Watt
6. Where the Wild Things Are Maurice Sendak

RL.K.6 (With Prompting and Support name the author and illustrator of a story and define the role of each in telling story)

1. The Three Little Pigs James Marshall
2. City Mouse Country Mouse and Two More Mouse Tales from Aesop John C. Wallner
3. In the Small, Small, Pond Denise Fleming
4. Pancakes for Breakfast Tomie De Paola
5. What Pete Ate From A-Z Maira Kalman
6. Truck- Donald Crews
7. My Five Senses Aliki

RL.K.7 (With Prompting and Support discuss the relationship between illustrations and the story in which they appear)

1. Planting a Rainbow Lois Ehlert
2. The Snowy Day Ezra Jack Keats
3. Where the Wild Things Are Maurice Sendak
4. Are You My Mother? P. D. Eastman
5. In the Small, Small, Pond Denise Fleming
6. Alpha Oops! Alethea Kontis
7. Feathers For Lunch Lois Ehlert
8. The Reasons for Seasons Gail Gibbons

RL.K.9 (With Prompting and Support compare and contrast the adventures and experiences of characters in familiar stories)

1. Knuffle Bunny Free: An Unexpected Diversion Mo Willems
2. Goldilocks and the Three Bears Jan Brett
3. The Three Billy Goats Gruff Paul Galdone

Teaching Skills with Children’s Literature as Mentor Text

(Ref:www.txla.org)

(presented at TLA 2012 conference)

1. Vocabulary:

Context Clues/Decoding

The Everything Book by Denise Fleming

And the Cow said Moo! by Mildred Phillips

Tomorrow’s Alphabet by George Shannon

1. Word Patterns:

Mrs. Wishy Washy’s Farm by Joy Cowley

Down by the Cool of the Pool by Tony Mitton

The Flea’s Sneeze by Lynn Downey

1. Initial Consonants:

Clara’s Caterpillar by Pamela Edwards

Off We Go by Jane Yolen

Hooway for Wodney Wat by Helen Lester

1. Predicting Outcomes:

The Magic Hat by Mem Fox

Who Took The Cookies from the Cookie Jar? By Bonnie Lass and Philemon Sturges

Gingerbread Baby by Jan Brett

It looked like Spilt Milk by Charles Shaw

The Little old Lady who was not afraid of anything

by Linda Williams

1. Sequencing:

I Want my Hat Back by Jon Klassen

A Taste of Honey Nancy Elizabeth Wallace

Chicken Little Rebecca Emberley

I Know an Old Lady Who Swallowed a Pie Alison Jackson

Olivia Ian Falconer

1. Cause and Effect:

Scaredy Squirrel Melanie Watt

The Perfect Nest Catherine Friend

1. Similes:

Gilberto and the Wind Marie Hall Ets

Quick as a cricket Audrey Wood

One Dark Night Hazel Hutchins

1. Alliteration:

Toot and Puddle:Puddle’s ABC by Holly Hobbie

The Wacky Wedding Pamela Duncan Edwards

1. Characterization:

Tops and Bottoms by Janet Stevens

Chato’s Kitchen by Gary Soto

1. Point of View:

Birdhouse for Rent by Harriet Ziefert

The Pigeon Finds a Hot Dog! by Mo Willems

1. Problem/Solution:

The Woods Paul Hoppe

Ernest and the Big Itch by Laura Barnes

Knuffle Bunny Mo Willems

Little Red Riding Hood

1. Sentence Types:

Punctuation

Whose Baby Am I? by John Butler

Wemberly Worried by Kevin Henkes

David Goes to School ! by David Shannon

Froggy books by Jonathan London

1. Parts of Speech:

Let's Save the Animals A Lift the Flap Book Frances Barry

Roller Coaster by Marla Frazee

Moosetache by Margie Palatin

1. Narrative:

Busy, Busy Mouse by Virginia Kroll

Olivia Saves the Circus by Ian Falconer

10 Minutes till Bedtime by Peggy Rathmann

1. Compare and Contrast

The Jalapeno Man by Debbie Leland

Cook-A-Doodle-Doo! by Janet Stevens and Susan Stevens Crummel

The Enormous Carrot by Vladimir Vagin

1. How-To

Beverly Billingsly Borrows a Book by Alexander Stadle

Olivia by Ian Falconer

A Taste of Honey by Nancy Elizabeth Wallace

Fall Leaves Fall by Zoe Hall

The Little Red Hen Makes a Pizza by Philemon Sturges

The Apple Pie Tree by Zoe Hall

The Little Red Hen by Byron Barton

Building a House by Byron Barton