

Oral Language Builders' Curriculum Content Areas

BOOK TITLE	LANGUAGE ARTS	SCIENCE	MATH	SOCIAL STUDIES
The Kangaroo	prepositions action verbs (jumping, hiding) rhyming retelling story sequencing events setting parts of house vocabulary furnishings	marsupials types of animals 5 senses	counting colors shapes sizes distance measurements	geography distance between places hemispheres near/far continents countries compass rose N,S,E,W
The Caterpillar	sequencing compare/contrast action verbs make predictions	life cycle of caterpillar habitats metamorphosis transitions animals interactions among people, plants, and animals 5 senses	time ordinal numbers addition counting	landforms water forms interactions with environment
The Turtle and the Rabbit	beginning middle end setting story development opposites predictions sequencing retelling story (also from different perspectives) make predictions	heart rate habitats identifying living vs. nonliving things 5 senses	bar graphs heart rate chart ordinal numbers counting counting down	climate desert
Traveling	verb tenses action verbs compare/contrast setting giving descriptions	seasons impact of transportation on environment planets space pollution atmosphere 5 senses	time calculating speed counting addition/subtraction	geography modes of transportation people interacting with environment city

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Weather	setting speech/thought bubbles making weather predictions compare/contrast describing and identifying patterns in weather	weather patterns habitats rain forest seasons describing the weather animal environments water cycle animals 5 senses	calendar dates time adding/subtracting counting # of days per month # of weeks per year # of months per year	maps geography cultural holidays seasons months climate weather patterns hemispheres continents clothing
Food	compare/contrast verb tenses describing time	food pyramid 5 senses plants fruits vs. vegetables	add to cart/subtract slices of fruit estimating weight counting	where do foods come from where do you buy food where do you grow food meals cultural connections
The Soccer Ball	action verbs sequence of game compare/contrast	hydration body parts 5 senses	directions shapes; 2D 3D counting (scores)	team work cultural games cultural connections
The Circus	describing verb tenses action verbs personification fiction vs. non fiction opposites	animals 5 senses animals' natural vs. un-natural habitats	counting shapes	origins of animals geography
The Gift	guessing making predictions describing (adjectives) question formation story sequencing retelling story	5 senses hypothesizing	shapes counting	piñata: cultural connections birthdays around the world celebrations festivals
The Neighborhood	asking questions story sequencing of events retelling story following directions sentence creation	5 senses	counting telephone emergency numbers addition/subtraction	safety jobs & professions strangers vs. adults you can trust community community helpers modes of transportation multiculturalism/diversity