

## Mentor Texts to Support the Writing Workshop

<b>Lucy Calkins "Writer's Craft"</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Author</b>
<b>Small Moments: <i>Short Sentence Impact</i></b>	Big Mama's	Donald Crews
Small Moments: <i>Focus-Zoom in, Onomatopoeia</i>	Shortcut	Donald Crews
Small Moments: <i>Show, Don't Tell</i>	Julius, The Baby of the World	Kevin Henkes
Small Moments: <i>Character Thinking</i>	Lily's Purple Plastic Purse	Kevin Henkes
Small Moments: <i>Character Thinking</i>	Wemberly Worried	Kevin Henkes
Small Moments: <i>Dialogue</i>	Owen	Kevin Henkes
Small Moments	Kissing Hand	Audrey Penn
	Amazing Grace	Mary Hoffman
	Aunt Flossie's Hats(and Crab Cakes Later)	Elizabeth F. Howard
	Goggles	Ezra Jack Keats
	A Letter of Amy	Ezra Jack Keats
	Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good, Very Bad Day	Judith Viorst
	Ira Sleep Over	Bernard Waber
	A Chair for My Mother	Vera B. Williams
	Knuffle Bunny	Mo Willems
	Owl Moon	Jane Yolen
	The Leaving Morning	Angela Johnson
	Fireflies	Julie Brinckloe
	Night Shift Daddy	Eileen Spinelli
	Honey, I love	Eloise Greenfield
	The Two of Them	Aliki
	The Other Way to Listen	Byrd Baylor
<b>Beginnings</b>	The Paper Crane	Molly Bang
	The Very Hungry Caterpillar	Eric Carle
<b>Comeback Lines</b>	Ask Mr. Bear	Marjorie Flack
	Caps for Sale	Slobodkina
	Duck on a Bike	David Shannon
	Ella Sarah Gets Dressed	Irvine Chokes

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<b>Comeback Lines</b>	Fox Makes Friends	Relf
	If Anything Ever Goes Wrong at the Zoo	Hendrick
	Just For You	Mercer Mayer
	Mommy, Carry Me Please!	*Cabrera
	The Blind Men and the Elephant	Backstein
	The Very Important Caterpillar	Eric Carle
	Today is Monday	Eric Carle
	Wemberly Worried	Kevin Henkes
	<b>Detailed Lists</b>	A Color of His Own
All You Need in a Snowman		Alice Schertle
Curious George and the Pizza		Rey, Margret and H.A.
Emma Kate		Patricia Polacco
Fire Engines		Rockwell, Anne
How Do You Know It's Summer?		Fowler, Allan
Icky Bug Colors		Pallotta
In The Woods: Who's Been Here?		George
Just Us Women		Caines
Look Out Kindergarten, Here I Come		Nancy Carlson
My Lucky Day		Keiko Kasza
Peter's Chair		Jack Ezra Keats
Roosters Off to See the World		Eric Carle
Snakes: Long, Longer, Longest		Pallotta
The Very Hungry Caterpillar		Eric Carle
Zinnia's Flower Garden		Wellington
<b>Dialogue (both external &amp; internal)</b>		Bark, George
	David Goes to School	David Shannon
	Duck on a Bike	David Shannon
	Hey, Little Ant	Hoose

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<b>Dialogue (both external &amp; internal)</b>	How I Became a Pirate	Melinda Long
	I Will Never Not Ever Eat a Tomato	Lauren Child
	Peter's Chair	Jack Ezra Keats
	Quick as a Cricket	Audrey Wood
	Yo! Yes?	Raschka
<b>Dialogue Within</b>	If Not for the Cat	Jack Prelutsky
	My Teacher for President	Kay Winters
	To Bathe a Boa	Kudrna
<b>Ellipses</b>	Alexander and the Wind-Up Mouse	Leo Lionni
	Chickens Aren't the Only Ones	Ruth Heller
	Emma Kate	Patricia Polacco,
	I Ain't Gonna Paint No More!	Karen Beaumont
	The Big Orange Spot	Pinkwater
<b>Endings</b>	Dinosaurs: Strange and Wonderful	Pringle
	First Day Jitters	Danneberg
	In November	Rylant
	Owl Moon	Yolen
	The First Dog	Brett, Jan
<b>Informational Text How-To's</b>		
	Planning a Birthday Party	Faye Bolton
	Chop, Simmer Season	Alexa Brandenberg
	How to Lose Your All Your Friends	Nancy Carlson
	How to Make a Mud Pie	Deborah Eaton
	Walk On	Marla Frazee
	How to Make Salsa	Jaime Lucero
	Washing the Dog	Sloan
<b>Sound Effects</b>	Barnyard Banter	Fleming, Denise
	Cock-a-Moo-Moo	Dalas-Conte

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<b>Sound Effects</b>	Froggy Plays Soccer	Jonathan London
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	Hello Ocean	Pam Munoz Ryan
	The Frog Prince	Tarcov
	The Librarian from the Black Lagoon	Mike Thaler
<b>Talk to the Reader</b>	David Gets in Trouble	David Shannon
	Don't Let the Pigeon Stay Up Late	Mo Willems
	Me On the Map	Joan Sweeney
	Quick as a Cricket	Audrey Wood
	The Little Mouse, The Red Ripe Strawberry...	
<b>Text That Describes Exactly What Is On The Page</b>	A Color of His Own	Leo Lionni
	Bad Kitty	Bruel
	Bark, George	Feiffer
	Beatrice Doesn't Want To	Laura Numeroff
	Charlie Needs A Cloak	dePaola
	Diary of a Worm	Doreen Cronin
	Duck on a Bike	David Shannon
	From Caterpillar to Butterfly	Heiligman
	Happy Birthday, Moon	Frank Asch
	If Anything Ever Goes Wrong at the Zoo	Hendrick
	If I Built a Car	Van Dusen
	Patty's Pumpkin Patch	Teri Sloat
	Pumpkin Pumpkin	Titherington
	Swimmy	Leo Lionni
	The Spider Weaver	MusGrove
The Three Little Pigs	James Marshall	
The Very Hungry Caterpillar	Eric Carle	
<b>Uses a Refrain</b>	Barnyard Banter	Denise Fleming

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<b>Uses a Refrain</b>	I Ain't Gonna Paint No More!	Karen Beaumont
	Jump, Frog, Jump	Kalan
	Over in the Meadow	Jack Ezra Keats
	The Big Orange Splot	Pinkwater
	The Gingerbread Man	Aylesworth
	Wemberly Worried	Kevin Henkes
<b>Uses Dialogue Balloons or Text Boxes</b>	Arnie the Doughnut	Laurie Keller
	Diary of a Worm	Doreen Cronin
	Duck on a Bike	David Shannon
	I Will Never Not Ever Eat a Tomato	Lauren Child
	Punctuation Takes a Vacation	Pulver
	Super Hero ABC	McLeod
	Suprising Sharks	Nicola Davies
	The Librarian from the Black Lagoon	Mike Thaler
	Dear Annie	Judith Casely
	Donavan's Word Jar	Monalisa DeGross
<b>Books that Sound notebook like</b>	Nothing Ever Happens on 90 <sup>th</sup> Street	Roni Schotter
	Amelia's Notebook	Marissa Moss
	Woman Hollering Creek (Eleven, Hairs, Laughter)	Sandra Cisneros
	Marshfield Dreams (Statues, Jimmy)	Ralph Fletcher
<b>Personal narratives/Memoir/Fiction that resembles Memoir</b>		
	Those Shoes	Maribeth Boelts
	Bigmama's	Donald Crews
	When I was Your Age	Amy Erlich
	What you Know First	Patricia Maclachlin
	The Relatives Came	Cynthia Rylant
	When I was Young in the Mountains	Cynthia Rylant

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<b>Memories in bits of life</b>		
	My Mama had a Dancing Heart	Libba Moore Gray
	Miz Berlin Walks	Jane Yolen
	The Three of us	Angela Johnson
	All the Places to Love	Patricia MacLachian
<b>Close Echo Effect</b>		
	Night in the Country	Cynthia Rylant
	The Whales	Cynthia Rylant
	Miz Berlin Walks	Jane Yolen
<b>Intentional Vagueness</b>		
	The Relatives Came	Cynthia Rylant
	The Whales	Cynthia Rylant
	The Aunt in Our House	Angela Johnson
<b>Poetry</b>		
	Gathering the Sun	Alma Ada
	Touch the poem	Arnold Adoff
	Laughing Tomatoes	Francisco Alarcon
	Nathaniel talking	Eloise Greenfield
	Honey, I Love	Eloise Greenfield
	Falling Down the Page	Georgia Heard
	Creatures of the earth, Sea and Sky	Georgia Heard
	The Dream Keeper	Langston Hughes
	Once I ate a Pie	Patricia MacLachlan
	Sky Scrape/City Scrape	Jane Yolen