

SUPPLEMENTAL RESOURCES

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WEB

Talking Books

www.storylineonline.net (free resource)

- sponsored by the Screen Actor's Guild
- high-quality books read aloud by actors (modeled read-aloud)

www.onemorestory.com (fee-based resource)

- high-quality books
- perfect for repeated reading — children can read independently (and click on words to have them pronounced) or have the book read to them until they are ready to read.

Reader's Theater Scripts

www.fictionteachers.com (look for *Classroom Theater* — many fun scripts to download)

www.lisablau.com (a new one each month/ archived)

www.cdli.ca/CITE/langrt.htm#Scripts

www.readerstheater.ecsd.net [K-3 scripts]

<http://www.teachingheart.net/readerstheater.htm> (LOTS!)

http://cpanel.servdns.net/~readingl/Readers_Theater/Scripts/scripts.html

www.aaronshep.com

www.proteacher.com/070173.shtml - links to lots of resources

www.suzykline.com *Herbie Jone's reader's theater scripts from her books!*

www.readinglady.com (a GREAT resource — many, many fun reader's theater scripts ready to download and print)

<http://www.teachingheart.net/readerstheater.htm> *lots of great scripts from TeachingHeart*

www.learningunlimitedllc.com *several scripts available*

www.scriptsforschools.com/ (\$ — lots of different categories to select from)

<http://www.loiswalker.com/catalog/teach.html> *A guide to writing your own scripts*

PROFESSIONAL BOOKS—Fluency & Vocabulary

Good-Bye Round Robin: 25 Effective Oral Reading Strategies **my favorite teacher-friendly resource*

by Michael F. Opitz and Timothy V. Rasinski

Heinemann Publishers

- teacher friendly

- lots of practical ideas

The Fluent Reader: Oral Reading Strategies for Building Word Recognition, Fluency, and Comprehension

by Timothy V. Rasinski Scholastic

- great book / more background on reading fluency

- gives classroom application

From Phonics to Fluency: Effective Teaching of Decoding and Reading Fluency in the Elementary School

by Timothy V. Rasinski and Nancy Padak

Pearson Education

Words, Words, Words

by Janet Allen

Stenhouse Publishers

- great book

- great classroom strategies

Choral Reading

www.barbsbooks.com

www.scriptsforschools.com

www.teachersideaspress.com

Middle School/Junior High School Resources

A Guide to Writing Your Own Scripts <http://www.loiswalker.com/catalog/teach.html>

Reader's Theatre Anthology by Mel White

Introduction to Reader's Theater by Gerald Lee Ratliff

Reader's Theatre in the Middle School and Junior High Classroom by Lois Walker

<http://loiswalker.com/catalog/catres.html>

Resources from Publishers

Teacher Created Materials

[Indiana Rep: Carla Westphal (317) 753-5247]

Choral Reading

Texts for Fluency Practice by Timothy Rasinski & Lorraine Griffith

- K-1

- 2-3

- 4 and up

- include many poems, lyrics, and Reader's Theater scripts

- all reproducible for classroom use

Reader's Theater

Reader's Theater Kits Grades 1-2, 3-4, & 5-6

- 6 copies of each script w/ lesson plans—written for varied reading abilities

- includes recording of each scripts for use in learning centers**

- scripts in Language Arts, Social Studies, Math, and Science

National Geographic School Publishing

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Reader's Theater

Reading Expedition Series "Stand Up and Speak Out" Series

- content-based fiction books which are written in reader's theater script format

Scholastic

Building Fluency: Lessons and Strategies for Reading Success

by Wiley Blevins

- teacher friendly

- lots of reproducibles

Perfect Poems with Strategies for Teaching Fluency (varied—grade level specific)

Fast Start for Early Readers by Nancy Padak and Tim Rasinski

a send-home literacy program — linking home & school with fluency activities

25 Just-Right Plays for Emergent Readers grades K-1

3-Minute Reading Assessments by Tim Rasinski and Nancy Padak

- grades 1—4

- grades 5—8

Manipulatives for Emergent Readers

- letter tiles — available at teacher's supply stores, WalMart
- Build-A-Word Cubes — Lakeshore Materials
- Desktop Onset & Rime Cards — Teacher Resource Center www.trcabc.com
- Desktop pocket chart — Teacher Resource Center www.trcabc.com