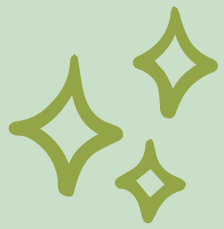




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CONTENT CIRCLES

Liza has continued reading Mashkiki Road with students during circle time as an example of content circles. We have investigated values - "how do we show respect?"; the 7 Core Assumptions - "what is a gift or strength you contribute to your community?"; and SEL - "how does it feel when someone does not tell you the truth?". These circles can also be extended into writing lessons - "write about a time when you were proud of yourself" or "I am brave when...". Content circles are a great way to incorporate productive language skills & oral language into any lesson.

RECENT CIRCLE PROMPTS

- Prompt:** tell me about a stuffed animal that makes/made you feel safe?
- Prompt:** what is one thing you want your families to know about you at school?
- Prompt:** what do you need from your classmates to be truly yourself?
- Prompt:** what is something you noticed today?
- Prompt:** what is something you are looking forward to?

