Fluent Small-Group Lesson Plan

Names of Students in Group:

Date: Number of Lessons:

Whole-Class Lesson Focus (Scope/Sequence):

Small-Group Focus:

**ACTIVITY OPTIONS & OBSERVATION NOTES**

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| **3-7 min.—****BEFORE READING** | **Introduce a new text.** Give title and gist.Explain critical concepts/vocabulary:Explain method for recording *Thinking Voice* thoughts: |  |
| **8-10 min.—****DURING READING** | **Students read the text silently at own pace. Listen to one student whisper read at a time if needed. Check prompts used.****Vocabulary Prompts:***Where can you break that word?**Read on to see if the author explains the word. Check text features for explanation of word.***Fluency & Phrasing Prompts:***Read in phrases.**Change expression to match the tone of text.***Self-Monitoring Prompts:***Reread at difficult part.**Were you right? How do you know? How else do you know? What would look right and make sense?* |
| **3-5 min.—****AFTER READING** | **Facilitate a comprehension discussion:** (Choose 1)*Storyboard* with Story Elements*Retelling Glove**Somebody-Wanted-But-So-Then (SWBST)*Character Analysis Problem/Solution Text Features Main Idea*Yes, Ma’am* constructed response | **(Day 2 or 3) Discussion and Guided Writing:** |
|  | **1-2 min.—Word Study (if appropriate):**Make an affix word. Write an affix word. Read an affix word. |
| **NOTE: As texts get longer, consider a 2-day lesson plan.**Day 1—*Introduce text. Read to a certain point and discuss.* Day 2—*Quickly revisit text. Read to the end and discuss complete text.* |  |

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