

Engagement with Texts

Name: _____ Date: _____ Grade: _____

Behaviours	Comments
• listens attentively to texts that are read aloud for increasing periods of time	
• joins in with shared readings of a variety of texts especially when a text is familiar	
• reads books attentively for 10-15 minutes	
• reads an increasing variety of fiction, non-fiction, and info-fiction texts during Independent Reading	
• shows emotional responses to literature (e.g. through facial expressions, oral opinions, questions or comments, and dramatic, artistic, and some written literature responses)	
• makes oral book recommendations for others • begins to make written book recommendations for others	
• enthusiastically selects books (may prefer to stay with favourites and need support to try other types of books)	
• rereads texts used in Shared and Guided Reading	
• is keen to take books home	