

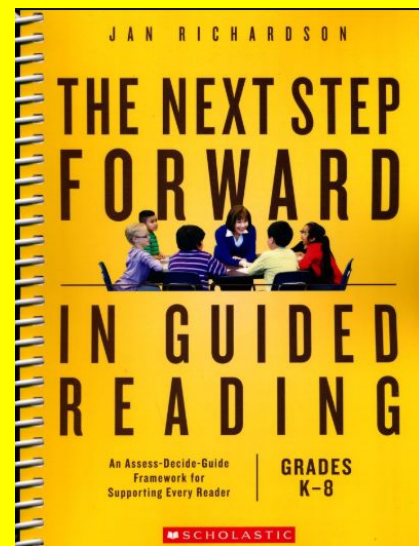
The Next Step Forward in Guided Reading

A Framework by Jan Richardson



Who is Jan Richardson?

Jan Richardson, Ph.D., a leading expert in guided reading, is a former K-12 teacher, reading specialist, Reading Recovery teacher leader, and staff developer. She currently is an educational consultant, providing presentations and classroom demonstrations across the U.S. and Canada



The Framework

1) Assess

- Know each student's reading habits and preferences
- Pinpoint each child's developmental word knowledge
- Understand a learner's ability to comprehend on various reading or listening situations.

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2) Decide

- Form flexible, needs-based groups
- Pinpoint an instructional focus
- Select texts that will compel readers to think and problem solve
- Differentiate and evaluate reading instruction
- Monitor progress

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3) Guide

- Introduce the text and state the learning target
- Scaffold and teach for strategies
- Incorporate word study and vocabulary instruction
- Connect reading and writing
- Engage readers!

The Levels

Jan Richardson's model is broken down into reading levels. Each level has specific skills that students must master to be successful at the next level

- Pre-A reader
- Emergent Reader
- Early reader
- Transitional Reader
- Fluent Reader



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