

Themes

Book Title (Themes)

Arroz Con Leche
 Butterfly House
 Dinner at Aunt Connie's House
 The Hundred Dresses **Level O**

Author

Lulu Delacre
 Eve Bunting
 Faith Ringgold
 Eleanor Estes

Teacher's Room

Kimberly G.
 Allyson C.
 Norma
 Garner, Charlyne

(Acceptance)

Brother Eagle, Sister Sky
 Dear Oklahoma City Get Well Soon
 Different Just Like Me
 Every Living Thing **Level R** (short stories with various themes, including acceptance, dealing with fear)
 Mr. Lincoln's Way, Acceptance, understanding; Teachers/students relationship.

Chief Seattle
 Jim Ross/Paul Meyers
 Lori Mitchell
 Cynthia Rylant

Charlyne
 Suzanne
 Peggy
 Diane, Charlyne

Patricia Polacco

Charlyne

(Adoption)

I Love You Like Crazy Cakes
 Legend of the Indian Paintbrush **DRA 38/P**

Rose Lewis
 Tomie dePaola

Charlyne
 Julie R.

(Be Happy with What You Have)

A Screaming Kind of Day
 See the Ocean
 Something Beautiful
 Teammates

Gilmore
 Estelle Condra
 Sharon Dennis
 Peter Golenbock

Kathy
 Kathy
 Suzanne
 Diane G.

(Be Yourself)

The Big Box
 The Bird, the Frog, and the Light

Toni Morrison
 Avi

Lisa H, Charlyne
 Charlyne

(Change, Moving, Remembrance, Westward Movement)

Wilma Unlimited

Kathleen Krull

Joy

(Doing your best, perseverance)

The Yellow Star

Carmen Agra Deedy

Charlyne

(Education is Important)

Toll Bridge Troll

Patricia Rag Wolff

Carole

(Family)

Get Out of Bed (family relationships) **Level K**

Robert Munch

Michelle

(Friendship)

George and Martha **DRA 24/L**
 Goose
 Letter to Amy **DRA 20/K**
 Mrs. Katz and Tush
 Nine for California
 The Old Woman Who Named Things

James Marshall
 Molly Bang
 Ezra Jack Keats
 Patricia Polacco
 Sonia Levitin
 Cynthia Rylant

Kathy
 Michelle
 Kimberly G.
 Rochelle, Charlyne
 Kathy
 Charlyne

Penguin Pete, Ahoy! Rainbow Rhino	Marcus Pfister Peter Sis	Kathy Charlyne
(Friendship/Loneliness) I Can Hear the Sun	Patricia Polacco	Charlyne, Kathy
(Finding Beauty in Hard Situations) Swimmy Sylvester and the Magic Pebble DRA 24/L	Leo Lionni William Steig	Kathy Charlyne
(Fitting In) Bridge to Terebethia Level S , Theme: Fitting in; being yourself	Kathryn Patterson	Suzanne H.
(Healing) The Empty Pot A Flag for Our Country Freddy's Train Ride DRA 22/K Frog Girl	Demi Eve Spencer Rick Leslie Paul Owen Lewis	Kathy Deb W. Antonette Charlyne
(Humility) The Blue Hill The Brand New Kid	Meadows Katie Couric	Antonette Kathy
(Individuality) Three Cheers for Tacky	Helen Lester	Kathy
(Justice) For Every Child (All children have rights) Mandela	UNICEF Floyd Cooper	Suzanne H. Suzanne H.
(Loneliness) An Angel for Solomon Singer The Pain and the Great One DRA 20/K	Cynthia Rylant Judy Blume	Diane, Charlyne Charlyne
(Moving) Alexander, Who's Not... (Moving to a new home) Level L	Judith Viorst	Michelle
(Multicultural) A Bad Case of Stripes	David Shannon	Charlyne
(Prejudice, Acceptance) Tea With Milk	Allen Say	Carole
(Respect for Nature) Chrysanthemum DRA 38/P	Kevin Henckes	Kathy
(Sibling Rivalry)		
(Self-awareness) Parts Peach and Blue	Tedd Arnold Sarah Kilborne	Charlyne Maryann, Kathy

(Survival)

Hatchett **Level R**

Gary Paulsen

Suzanne H.

(Trust)

The Mare on the Hill
Me and Mr. Mah

Thomas Locker

Spalding & Wilson Kathy

(Unconditional Love)

Love You Forever

Robert Munsch

Charlyne

(Wisdom & Sacrifice)

The Wave
What You Know First

Margaret Hodges

Charlyne

Patricia Maclachlan Charlyne