

Language Arts Levels 7-8: Think Aloud Strategies

Odyssey Level	Think Aloud Level	Part	Code	Genre	Literature	Reading Level
7	Level 1	Part 1	R7107	Fiction	Dangerous Plays: Nancy Drew by Carolyn Keene	5
7	Level 1	Part 2	R7108	Non-Fiction	Dogs - CompassLearning	5
7	Level 1	Part 3	R7109	Fiction	Kira-Kira by Cynthia Kadohata	5
7	Level 1	Part 4	R7110	Poem	Words are Like Faces by Edith Baer	5
7	Level 2	Part 1	R7111	Non-Fiction	Fly High: The Story of Bessie Coleman by Louise Borden & Mary Kay Kroeger	6
7	Level 2	Part 2	R7112	Fiction	Hush (Part 1) by Jacqueline Woodson	6
7	Level 2	Part 3	R7113	Fiction	Kira-Kira by Cynthia Kadohata	6
7	Level 3	Part 1	R7114	Non-Fiction	Black Man in Blue by Diana Myers	7
7	Level 3	Part 2	R7115	Fiction	Winnie Dancing on Her Own by Jennifer Richard Jacobson	7
8	Level 1	Part 1	R8107	Fiction	Far North by Will Hobbs	6
8	Level 1	Part 2	R8108	Non-Fiction	Fly High: The Story of Bessie Coleman by Louise Borden & Mary Kay Kroeger	6
8	Level 1	Part 3	R8109	Poem Underground Railroad	Harriet Tubman by Eliose Greenfield	6
8	Level 1	Part 4	R8110	Fiction wwII	Shadows on the Sea by Joan Hiatt Harlow	6
8	Level 2	Part 1	R8111	Fiction	Hush (Part 2) by Jacqueline Woodson	7
8	Level 2	Part 2	R8112	Non-Fiction	Rosa Parks by Marc Tyler Nobleman	7
8	Level 2	Part 3	R8113	Fiction wwII	Shadows on the Sea by Joan Hiatt Harlow	7
8	Level 3	Part 1	R8114	Non-Fiction	Where Do I Go With Physical Education by Anne Flounders	8
8	Level 3	Part 2	R8115	Fiction	Cat-Bird Land by Alena Stankus Loiselle	8

Clarify – Use your common sense to sort out anything that's confusing.

Predict – Guess what will happen next/

Summarize – Restate the "big idea", and the key details in your own words.

Visualize – See the text as a movie in your head.

Question – Write down any questions that pop into your head.

Remember – If the text reminds you of anything, write it down.

React – Note what you feel as you read the text.

Infer – Combine what the text says with want you already know.

Various strategies are incorporated within the literature pieces as help is scaffolded.

At Level 3 (Independent): Clicking on the Thought Bubble allows all strategies to be suggested.