

Day One

Time	Event	Notes to Self:
8:30 – 8:35	Welcome	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Logistics, seating 	
8:35 - 8:55	Me Box (Connections/Introductions)	
8:55 – 9:10	Index cards for students	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Name, email, name of school from spring 2011, grade in school, student’s connection to teacher 	
9:10 – 9:25	Word Play	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Making Words OR Making Words Formative Assessment Guess What Homework Poem Guess What Formative Assessment 	
9:25 – 9:35	Break	
9:35 – 9:50	Introduction of Strategy – p. 34 <i>Texts and Lessons</i>	
	<p>Video of Turn and Talk http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IGApEmuOSy4</p> <p>Click here to access the Observation Guide for viewing the video</p>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Activate Schema / Build Background Homework Facts Alfie Kohn on Homework The Myth about Homework Homework? Is it Worth It? 	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Video <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Boy is distracted trying to do homework Click here for viewing guide for “Boy is distracted trying to do homework” video Bad Homework excuses <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Homework Poem 	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Jack Prelutsky poem 	
9:50 – 10:10	Vocabulary	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vocabulary for first 5 lessons • Vocabulary PowerPoint for Day 1 or http://www.authorstream.com/Presentation/wkuliteracy-1090945-vocabularyday1/ • Vocab Cards 	
10:10 – 10:50	One Page Wonder: “School’s Lesson Plan: No More Homework” p. 37 <i>Texts and Lessons</i>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • STRATEGY: Turn and Talk p. 34 <i>Texts and Lessons</i> 	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Persuasive writing piece How to write a persuasive essay (with examples and rubrics) Persuasive Essay on Too Much Homework - #1 Persuasive Essay on Too Much Homework - #2 	
10:50 – 11:25	Book Talks (see next page, scroll down)	
11:25 – 11:30	Ticket Out (Strategy summary in their own words)	

Title	Author	Description/Information
Dare to Dream	Sandra McLeod Humphrey	http://www.myshelf.com/aom/03/humphrey.htm
A Long Way Gone: Memoirs of a Boy Soldier	Ishmael Beah	http://www.alongwaygone.com/ http://www.alongwaygone.com/ishmael_beah.html http://www.alongwaygone.com/media.html http://www.nytimes.com/2007/02/25/books/review/Boyd.t.html
They Poured Fire on Us From the Sky: The Story of Three Lost Boys from Sudan	Benjamin Ajak, Benson Deng, Alephonsian Deng, Judy Bernstein	http://xnet.kp.org/permanentejournal/summer06/pourfire.html http://www.npr.org/templates/story/story.php?storyId=4698532
Soul Surfer - Movie Tie-In: A True Story of Faith, Family, and Fighting to Get Back on the Board	Bethany Hamilton (Author), Rick Bundschuh (Author), Sheryl Berk	Bethany Hamilton Homepage http://www.soulsurferthemovie.com/ Quotes from the book
Touching Spirit Bear	Ben Mikaelson	http://docs.plea.org/pdf/Touching%20Spirit%20Bear%20Online.pdf http://www.sd79.bc.ca/programs/abed/FN_resource_Touching_Spirit_Bear.pdf http://bcspiritbear.com/spirit-bear-facts/ http://www.bearlife.org/kemode-bear.html http://www2.news.gov.bc.ca/news_releases_2005-2009/2006AL0002-000066-Attachment3.htm http://laws.justice.gc.ca/eng/acts/Y-1.5/
Guts	Gary Paulsen	http://www.randomhouse.com/features/garypaulsen/about.html http://www.randomhouse.com/features/garypaulsen/journal.html http://www.randomhouse.com/features/garypaulsen/newadventures.html http://www.trelease-on-reading.com/paulsen.html
How Angel Peterson Got His Name	Gary Paulsen	"
My Life in Dog Years	Gary Paulsen	http://www.enotes.com/life-dog-qn