

CIRCLING STRATEGIES

KEY:



Stay on the verb by circling, and adding parallel characters.

TEACHING ONE SENTENCE AT A TIME.

A. CIRCLING questions after a statement

1. Y=Ask a “yes” question
2. E/O=Ask an “either/or” question
3. N=Ask a “no” question
4. W=Ask a “W” question



Example: Bart habla con las niñas en bicicletas. (Statement)

1. TEACHER: Does Bart speak with the girls on bikes?
2. TEACHER: Does Bart speak with the girls on bikes or tricycles?
3. TEACHER: Does Bart speak with the girls on tricycles?
4. TEACHER: Who talks with the girls?

B. CONVERSATION questions

1. State the sentence
2. Ask the actor a question
3. Coach the full sentence response
4. Confirm to the actor
5. Report/Verify the sentence to the class.



Example: Bart habla con las niñas en bicicletas. (Statement)

1. TEACHER: Bart speaks with the girls on bikes. (Statement)
2. TEACHER: Bart, do you speak with the girls on bikes? (Ask the actor)
3. ACTOR: Yes, I speak with the girls on bikes. (Coach, if necessary)
4. TEACHER: Correct. You speak with the girls on bikes. (Respond)
5. TEACHER: Bart talks with the girls on bikes. (Restate)

CIRCLING HOMEWORK

STATEMENT:



Bart speaks with the girls on bikes.

Circle the SUBJECT

Answer with yes _____ (Verify)

Either/or _____ (Verify)

Answer with a no _____ (Restate negative and verify positive)

Question word _____ (Verify)

Circle the VERB

Answer with yes _____ (Verify)

Either/or _____ (Verify)

Answer with a no _____ (Restate negative and verify positive)

Question word _____ (Verify)

Circle the COMPLEMENT

Answer with yes _____ (Verify)

Either/or _____ (Verify)

Answer with a no _____ (Restate negative and verify positive)

Question word _____ (Verify)

Get a new statement by asking when

Answer with yes _____ (Verify)

Either/or _____ (Verify)

Answer with a no _____ (Restate negative and verify positive)

Question word _____ (Verify)

Add a parallel character

Answer with yes _____ (Verify)

Either/or _____ (Verify)

Answer with a no _____ (Restate negative and verify positive)

Question word _____ (Verify)

ASK-A-STORY HOMEWORK

STATEMENT:

Script your sentences in
the following pattern.

A. Ask the class circling questions about the statement.

Yes _____
E/O _____
No _____
W _____

B. Ask the actor conversation questions.

Statement _____
Ask _____
Coach _____
Restate _____
Report _____

C. Add a parallel character.

Question _____
New statement about new character

D. Ask the class circling questions about parallel character.

Yes _____
E/O _____
No _____
W _____

E. Ask the parallel character conversation questions.

Statement _____
Ask _____
Coach _____
Restate _____
Report _____

ASK-A-STORY HOMEWORK

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STATEMENT:

Script your sentences in
the following pattern.

F. Add yourself as a parallel character.

Question _____

New statement about me

G. Ask the class circling questions about me.

Yes _____

E/O _____

No _____

W _____

H. Ask the actors circling questions about me.

Yes _____

E/O _____

No _____

W _____

I. Ask actors questions about each other.

Yes _____

E/O _____

No _____

W _____

Review any of the above questions. (pick any 11 ?s from the ones already written)
