**Transitional Guided Reading Lesson Plan**

For reading at levels J-P who need to improve decoding, fluency and retell.

Title:The Dolphin on the Wall Level: O Group: \_\_\_\_Strategy Focus: Inferring Lesson #\_\_\_\_

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| **Day 1** Date Pages 2-8  **Introduce New Book:** *This book is about:*  In this book a young boy is competing in his first swim meet. How can a dolphin help him overcome his nerves?  New vocabulary:  backstroke, freestyle, churned | **Day 2** Date\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Pages 9-16  (Continue first reading) Notes/Observations  **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**  **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**  **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**  **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**  **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**  **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**  **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**  **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** |
| **­­­­­Teaching Points: Choose 1 or 2 each day** | **­­­­­Teaching Points: Choose 1 or 2 each day** |
| **Decoding strategies**: **Vocabulary Strategies:**   * Reread & think what would make sense. Reread the sentence and look for clues. * Cover (or attend to) the ending. Check the picture or visualize. * Use a known part. *(e.g. shouted)* Use a known part. (e.g. compound words) * Use analogies. *(e.g. saw – jaw)* **Comprehension Strategies:** * Chunk big words. (re-mem-ber) Fiction: Nonfiction:   **Fluency & Phrasing** BME Recall information   * Phrasing. 5-finger Retell Write key words * Attend to bold words. S-W-B-S Compare/contrast * Dialogue, intonation & expression. Compare characters Ask questions * Attend to punctuation. Track character’s feelings Summarize w/support   Flag the V.I.P Main Idea/Details | |
| **Discussion Prompt:**  What can you infer about Jason’s feelings after the first race? Why? Prove it! | **Discussion Prompt:**  How did the dolphin help Jason to win? Use support from the book to make your inference. |
| **Word Study (if appropriate)**   * Sound boxes Analogy chart * Make a big word | **Word Study (if appropriate)**   * Sound boxes Analogy chart * Make a big word |
| **Day 3 Reread the book for fluency (5-10 min.) & Guided Writing (10-15 min.)**   * Beginning-Middle-End 5-finger retell SWBS Character Analysis * Problem – solution Compare or contrast Event – detail Other: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_   How did Jason change in the story? | |