

Designated ELD Model Sentences Database

NOTE: Please remember that the text from which these model sentences were selected <u>must be used first during content instruction for instructional/comprehension purposes</u> before the model sentences are used to examine "How English Works" (linguistic features) during Designated ELD.

Recommended for the Following Grade Level(s)	☐ Kindergarten ☐ Fourth	
	☐ First ☐ Fifth	
	⊠ Second □ Sixth	
	⊠ Third	
Standard (i.e., ELD.PII.2.3)	ELD.PII.2.1, ELD.PII.3.1	
Strand (i.e., Using verbs and verb phrases)	Understanding text structure	
Refer to grade and proficiency level standards for planning.		

Name of Book, Story or Selection	Mr. Putter & Tabby Pour the Tea	
Author	Cynthia Rylant	
Name of Textbook (if it comes from a textbook)		
Page Number(s) on which to Find the Model Sentences	Page 23-26 (Chapter 3)	
Lexile Level (either of the book or the actual model	540	
sentences passage)		

Model Sentences for Day 1 (linguistic features not bolded)

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Model Sentences for Day 2+ (linguistic features bolded)

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Focus	How do connecting words or phrases help us understand how this passage is organized?
Question	
Guiding	1. What are the connecting words/phrases in this sentence?
Questions	2. How do these words help us understand the order in which things/events in
	this passage happen?
	Use this questioning protocol for each sentence of the model sentences passage.
Wrap-Up	How do connecting words or phrases help us understand how this passage is organized?
Question	

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