

The Pond by Janice Boland

Phonemic Awareness	Phonics	Vocabulary	Fluency, Expression, Pace	Comprehension	Reading/Writing Link
Orally list words that start with blends st sw sp	Attending to blends--st, sw, sp—and to medial sounds especially short vowels	Making connections between words of similar meanings calm still Chart a list of synonyms pond		Inferential reading of illustrations: Compare the photographs on the cover and the title page. What has happened? Using adjectives to describe places Page3—What words are the same as on page 2? What kind of word will the last word be?	Draw a sketch of a place you know. Write a list of words that describe it. Use the words in a story about the place.

Guided Reading Level: Early 2
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