

The Red-Tailed Hawk by Lola Schaefer

Phonemic Awareness	Phonics	Vocabulary	Fluency, Expression, Pace	Comprehension	Reading/Writing Link										
<p>Page 10 When the hawk tries to fly again, what words might the author have used that would create the “sounds” of a hawk attempting it’s first flight after an injury?</p> <p>What do we call that technique when authors use words that make sounds to add to the tone or mood of the story? (onomatopoeia)</p>	<p>decode if necessary:</p> <p>veterinarian exercised</p>	<p>Topic specific words:</p> <p>veterinarian released raptor balance of nature</p> <p>Use the nonfiction note to support the development of the students’ understanding of these words and concepts.</p>	<p>“Pages 4 and 5: <i>Notice the amount of text on these pages. You will need to read the text silently to see where to pause to help you make meaning and to be able to read it smoothly and with expression. Sentences do not always start on a new line, so you will need to watch that very carefully.</i>”</p> <p>Source: Book Note by Margaret E. Mooney</p>	<p>Page 2: Describe the problem of the story and how you think it will be resolved.</p> <p>What was the point of this story?</p>	<p><u>Sentence Structure and Transitions</u> How does this writer structure sentences and move the reader through the story?</p> <p>What transitions show time passing; they can be listed on a chart as students find them....</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="1444 532 1860 721"> <tr> <td>Beth</td> <td>Time passing....</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Beth found</td> <td>everyday</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Beth took</td> <td>while</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Beth released</td> <td>after</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>weeks later</td> </tr> </table> <p>Many students need some help writing more complex sentences; helping them see how to begin a sentence with a transitional word or phrase to move the reader through time rather than always starting the sentence with the subject followed by the verb will help them with sentence complexity.</p>	Beth	Time passing....	Beth found	everyday	Beth took	while	Beth released	after		weeks later
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