

Picture Book Workshop

June 24-28 11:00-1:00 pm EST

for rising 4th-8th graders

Voracious readers often become creative storytellers themselves! During this summer program, students will explore “*how did the author DO that?*” and then put their hands to composing a picture book of their own.

Using Caldecott award-winning picture books, students will discover some of the essential elements of excellent stories: *characters, plot, setting, and conflict*. We will experience what makes each of these elements effective, and then students will practice applying these story elements themselves on their own creative writing. They will share ideas and drafts, exchange constructive input, and by the end of our summer program, students will have a solid start (or even finish!) on their own original picture book!

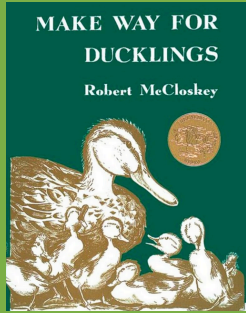
Needed Supplies: A spiral notebook & your imagination



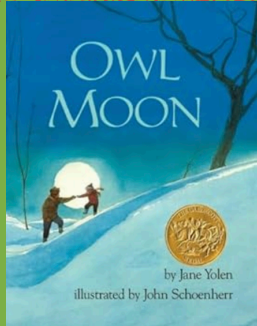
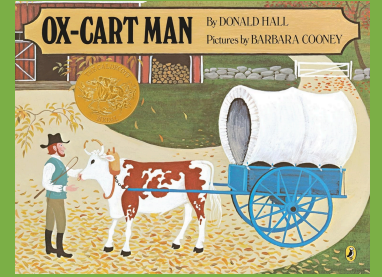
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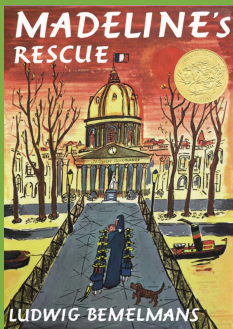
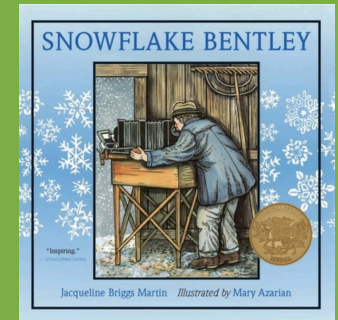
Class Schedule



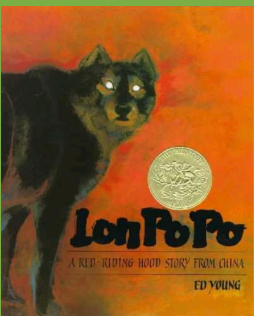
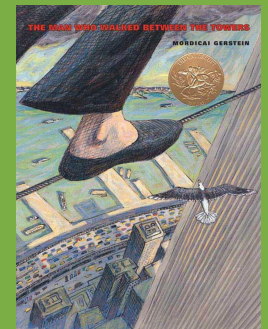
Monday, June 24
Character



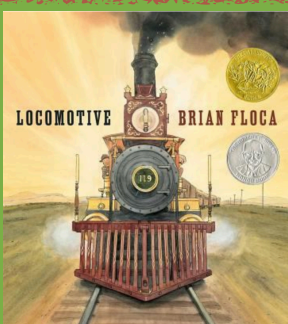
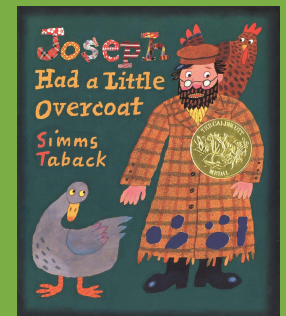
Tuesday, June 25
Setting



Wednesday, June 26
Plot



Thursday, June 27
Conflict



Friday, June 28
Illustrations &
Presentations!

