

Shared Reading Is...	Shared Reading Is Not...
using a text that is visible and accessible for all children in the class	reading aloud with a text that is only visible to the teacher
using a variety of texts including different genres, digital, and visual texts	favouring one genre or text type
helping students apply strategies in authentic reading experiences	having students practice skills in isolation
inviting students to join the teacher in reading often	one student reading at a time while other students follow along (round-robin reading)
sharing teacher thought processes while demonstrating a skill or strategy	choral reading without a purpose