

Article Review

Complete APA bibliographic reference:

Davis, P. (1998). Attitudes to reading: What can stories tell us? *Reading*, 32 (3), 12-15.

Three to five descriptor terms that best describe the topic:

Reading attitudes, reading ability, reading interests, reading skills, story telling

Type of Article:

Theory

Levels:

Lower Elementary

Briefly stated major purpose(s) of the study:

Davis suggests that student's attitudes to reading clearly influence their success in reading. She reports the latest research that proclaims "story telling" time in the classroom can promote positive reading attitudes, especially for the struggling reader in the lower grade levels.

Discussion article – summarize the major points in 1- 4 sentences:

Story telling for the poor reader in the classroom can provide valuable information on how the student sees their world. Young students relate their ideas and beliefs during story telling time while the older students often refrain from expressing their real beliefs on the same occasion.

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