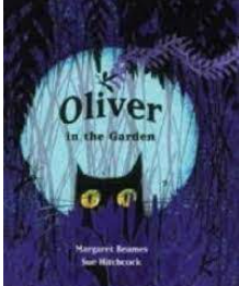


<p><b>Oliver in the Garden</b> Margaret Beames crouched            ngeru wandered            makariri silently vanished</p>	<p><b>makariri</b>  Cold As in, “ He makariri ahau.” I am cold.</p>
<p><b>ngeru</b>  Cat: As in -Oliver is a cat. He ngeru a Oliver.</p>	<p><b>crouched</b>  Bend down with legs and lean slightly forward. As in-Oliver crouched low under the bushes.  P 5</p>
<p><b>wandered</b> To move about slowly without a real purpose.  As in -Oliver wandered around the garden.  P 26</p>	<p><b>vanished</b>  disappeared  As in-The little mouse vanished down its hole.  P 20</p>
<p><b>silently</b>  Without a sound.  like-The owl flew away silently. P 20</p>	

An Example of a Shared Book lesson for the week. This is adapted from the lesson format used in the Better Start Literacy Approach.

1. Select a quality picture book
2. Choose 4 tier two vocabulary words (picture books contain many words which are not used often in everyday speech)
3. Select two words to teach the Maori word to represent them. Our opportunity to expand our Maori vocabulary in a fun easy way linked to text.
4. Print out, then cut and paste onto post it notes, and put in the book on the appropriate pages.

<b>Shared Picture Book</b>	
<b>Day 1</b>	Read the story and elaborate on the vocabulary (selected words)
<b>Day 2</b>	Teacher retells the story looking at the pictures and includes the vocabulary words in the retell
<b>Day 3</b>	Read the book cover to cover
<b>Day 4</b>	Peer retell -encourage students to include vocabulary words
<b>Day 5</b>	An activity in response to the shared book-art activity, drama, story writing.

### Suggestions

Keep the shared books that have been prepared in a box junior teachers can select from. Planning is the above format -Just record the name of the shared book in lesson plans. Put your energy into your enthusiastic teaching, not hours of writing up planning. This is the targeted book for the week-you can still use big books to target phonic patterns, punctuation, practising fluency etc and you will still be reading lots of other books to your class during the week.

### Have fun!

I am going to send you a number of pre prepared book vocab lists for you to get started on (as I make them!).

First example is above "*Oliver in the Garden*".

I have sent a copy of the books BSLA recommends but as it is UC owned I am not sharing their vocab sheets without getting permission first. This book list contains a lot of wonderful books from New Zealand authors.

Please consider supporting local if deciding to buy extra books, especially at this time!

Many of our local bookstores will give discount to schools when asked.

Great to see so many of you on line yesterday

Take care as you cope with your family bubbles and your class on line learning or working in school at Level 3

I will hopefully see you all again soon

Helen Jenkins

