

**Create A POWER Reading Circle Program**

Teacher \_\_\_\_\_ Reading Class(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Approximate Time Frame:

\_\_\_\_\_

Date for Book Choice \_\_\_\_\_

Reading / Days \_\_\_\_\_

Meeting/Discussion Days \_\_\_\_\_

What books will you use? What is the approximate reading level of each book?

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| 1. | _____ | _____ |
| 2. | _____ | _____ |
| 3. | _____ | _____ |
| 4. | _____ | _____ |
| 5. | _____ | _____ |
| 6. | _____ | _____ |

Back Up Books for Groups that Finish Their Novels Early:

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_

How will you preview books with students before they choose? Circle all that apply:

1. Book Pass
2. Book Talk
3. Computer Research
4. Read Alouds
5. Other: \_\_\_\_\_

How will you inform the parents of your plans regarding reading circles?

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**POWER Reading Circle Structure**

Will the students meet/discuss simultaneously or one at a time with you?

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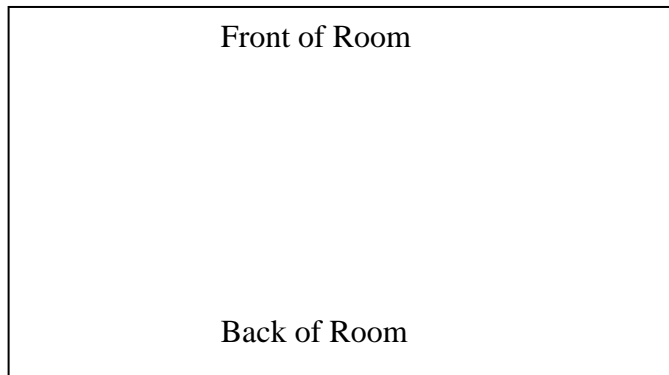
Who will lead the meetings?

What roles will you use?

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_
6. \_\_\_\_\_

How many days a week will you devote to reading circles? \_\_\_\_\_

Where will they meet in the classroom for their reading circles?



How will students be assessed when completed with reading circle novels?

Circle all that apply:

1. Authentic Assessment
2. Book Project
3. Response Journal
4. Other: \_\_\_\_\_

If a student is not prepared for the meeting, what is the plan? (For example, didn't read or didn't complete assignment? Absent?)