Mentor Texts

to teach children about Personal Narratives

Those Shoes by Maribeth Boelts
Bigmama’s by Donald Crews
When I Was Your Age by Amy Erlich
What You Know First by Patricia Maclachlin
The Relatives Came by Cynthia Rylant
When I Was Young in the Mountains by Cynthia Rylant
Every Friday by Dan Yaccarino
Chicken Sunday by Patricia Polacco
Shortcut by Donald Crews
Night Shift Daddy by Eileen Spinelli
The Snowy Day by Ezra Jack Keats
Roller Coaster by Marla Frazee
Salt Hands by Jane Chelsea Aragon
Knuffle Bunny by Mo Willems
Shortcut by Donald Crews
Fireflies by Judy Brinckloe
The Paperboy by Dav Pilkey
The Other Side by Jacqueline Woodson
Saturday and Teacakes by Lester Laminach
The Leaving Morning by Angela Johnson
Mrs. Mack by Patricia Polacco
Coat of Many Colors by Dolly Parton

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