

ELEMENTARY

The teacher editions of Paired Texts Packets use a system of PALs, small groups, and whole-group practices to move students through content-rich, upper-Lexile texts with ease. They support student writing through the writing process with three writing modules that include 1) prewriting options, 2) concrete revision strategies, and 3) analytic scoring rubrics.

My students embraced the practices of W2Win Paired Texts Packets as soon as I did. They loved identifying word families, reading the passages whole group, completing the Word Study in six groups of five, and planning all their responses with a PAL. – J. Kim, grade 5 ELA teacher

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Paired Texts Packets – elementary teachers editions (grades 3 and 4-5) – include the following themes and genres.

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Key to the genres of students' writing prompted: O – opinion, I – informational, I/O – informational or opinion, N – narrative	
Grade 3	1 – Native Americans: “The Comanche Native American Tribe” - “The Kwakiutl Native American Tribe” (O)
	2 – Landforms: “Plant and Animal Life in Georgia’s Mountains” - “Georgia’s Coastal Plains” (I)
	3 – Recycling: “The Real Cost of Bottled Water” - “From Sewers to Lawns” (I/O)
	4 – Heroes: “Coach” - “My Hero Brother” (N)
Grade 4	1 – Civil rights pioneers: “Frederick Douglass” - “Mary McLeod Bethune” (I/O)
	2 – Response to immigration: “The Alamo” - “The California Gold Rush” (I/O)
	3 – Ending slavery: “The Legacy of Lincoln” - “The War Within” (I)
	4 – Severe Weather: “Prepared” - “Prepared?” (I)
Grade 5	1 – Civil rights: “Civil Rights Heroes: “MLK, Jr.” - “Civil Rights Heroes: “Cesar Chavez” (I)
	2 – 1920s: “Harlem Renaissance and the Jazz Age” - “Henry Ford and the Model T” (I/O)
	3 – Invisible life: “Cells: the Building Blocks of Life” - “The World of Microorganisms” (I)
	4 – Dress codes: “The Many Faces of Me” - “Fitting In” (N)