

**WOTP Mentoring: Communities of Practice
Focused Mentoring Session for English Language Arts
Teachers in the WOTP
Riverside School Board
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Sincere thanks to Dr. Lynn Senecal, Director of the Inclusive Schools Network (ISN) for facilitating this special Mentoring session for WOTP teachers. Dr. Senecal offered many practical tools and ideas for supporting readers and writers with diverse learning profiles within the WOTP. Dr. Senecal helped us focus on *teaching with purpose* as she generously shared some of her excellent resources with the group. Many of these resources are available on the ISN's new website:

<https://www.shapesofmind.org/>

If clicking on the link doesn't open the site, copy and paste the link into your web browser. For further support accessing and implementing ISN resources please contact your school board's ELA consultant or special education department.

In addition, the following two resources were recommended and discussed by teachers:

The Reading Strategies Book by Jennifer Serravallo, published by Heinemann in 2015,

and

The Writing Strategies Book, also by Serravallo, published by Heinemann in 2017.

