

Pattern Five: Circle Stories

FAQ: Is this pattern complete or does it require a subplot?

Answer: This plot requires one or more subplots.

Choose Type of Circle:

*Journey (return home at end)

The Best Nest by P.D. Eastman

*Time Travel (return home at end)

A Wrinkle in Time by Madeline L'engle

*Lost and Found

Stellaluna by Janell Cannon

*Dream

Beetle Boy by Lawrence David

*Self acceptance

Chrysanthemum by Kevin Henkes

*Entering Other Worlds Without Time Travel

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The Secret World of Og by Pierre Burton

Next Choose Subplot:

copycat

stuck

contest

physical transformation

Circle Story books you might know:

Journey Circle Stories:

1. Rosie's Walk by Pat Hutchins
2. Elmer in the Snow by David McKee
3. Peter Rabbit by Beatrix Potter
4. Small Green Snake by Libba Moore Gray
5. Hang on Hopper by Marcus Pfister

Time Travel Circle Stories:

1. The Great Kettles by Dean Morrissey
2. A Handful of Time by Kit Pearson
3. A Wrinkle in Time by Madeline L'engle
4. The Time Warp Trio 2095 by Jon Scieszka
5. The Magic Treehouse Series by Will and Mary Pope Osborne

Lost and Found Circle Stories

1. Stellaluna by Janell Cannon
2. The Paper Crane by Molly Bang
3. No Spots for this Giraffe by Lucie Papineau
4. The Case of Hermie the Missing Hamster by James Preller
5. The Mitten by Jan Brett

Dream Circle Stories

1. Green Wilma by Tedd Arnold
2. Will's Mammoth by Rafe Martin
3. Matthew and the Midnight Pirates by Allen Morgan
4. Jacob Two Two Meets the Hooded Fang by Mordecai Richler
5. Beetle Boy by Lawrence David

Self Acceptance Circle Stories

1. Chrysanthemum by Kevin Henkes
2. I want to be Somebody New by Robert Lopshire
3. Edward the Emu by Sheena Knowles

Entering Other Worlds without Time Travel

1. The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe by C.S. Lewis
2. Miss Smith's Incredible Storybook by Michael Garland
3. Gordon Loggins and the Three Bears by Linda Bailey
4. Matthew's Dragon by Susan Cooper
5. The Secret World of Og by Pierre Berton