

# JOSEPH: TEXTS FROM ORAL READING

All texts were from the Flynt-Cooter Reading Inventory for the Classroom

## SENTENCE READING TEXT

1. He wanted to fly.
2. The family got together.
3. The boy was jumping.

*Sentence reading stopped because student was having difficulty with the vocabulary.*

## EXPOSITORY TEXT

### BEARS

There are many kinds of bears.

Some bears are brown.

Others are black.

Still others are white and are called polar bears.

The biggest bears are called grizzly bears.

Bears can smell and hear very well.

Bears have small eyes and cannot see very well.

They eat all kinds of food.

They eat small animals, plants, and berries.

Most bears sleep during the winter.

When they wake up, they are hungry.

Bears can run very fast.

They can climb trees.

They are not safe animals to be around.

The best place to be around bears is at the zoo.