



Additional Stories to Read and Retell and/or Talk About:

Early Elementary Grades (K-2)

Great White Bear
by Dan Slottje

Vocabulary Focus: sly, deserted, loyalty

Gregory , the Terrible Eater
by Mitchell Sharmat

Vocabulary Focus: average, revolting, hamper

Sam Is My Half Brother
by Lizi Boyd

Vocabulary Focus: disappointed, discover, shriek

“Stand Back,” Said The Elelphant,
I’m Going To Sneeze!”
by Patricia Thomas

Vocabulary Focus: hurricane, quiver, confusing

Strega Nona
by Tommie de Paola

Vocabulary Focus: valuable, barricade, compliment

Middle-Elementary Grades (3-4)

Amazing Grace
by Mary Hoffman

Vocabulary Focus: amazing, audition, imaginary

Eyes of the Dragon
by Margarte Leaf

Vocabulary Focus: inspection, stern, clever

Heckedy Peg
By Audrey Wood

Vocabulary Focus: windowsill, hearth, despair

Rude Giants
by Audrey Wood

Vocabulary Focus: cozy, butter maid, bellowed

Sam, Bangs & Moonshine
by Evaline Moss

Vocabulary Focus: sodden, diminishing, torrents

Upper Elementary Grade (5)

A Day’s Work
by Eve Bunting

Vocabulary Focus: appreciate, integrity, honesty

Annie And The Old One
by Miska Miles

Vocabulary Focus: harmony, mellow, bluffs

Humphrey The Lost Whale:
A True Story
by Wendy Tokuda and Richard Hall

Vocabulary Focus: thrashed, pod, flotilla