

# Literature Circle Role Descriptions

## Discussion Director/Checker

- creates questions to increase comprehension
  - asks who, what, why, when, where, how, and what if
- Checker
- checks for completion of assignments
  - evaluates participation
  - helps monitor discussion for equal participation

## Vocabulary Enricher

- clarifies word meanings and pronunciations
- uses research resources

## Literary Luminary

- guides oral reading for a purpose
- examines figurative language, parts of speech, and vivid descriptions

## Connector

- find connections between the book and the world outside.
- Connect reading to life, school, community and similar events at other times and places.

## Summarizer

- Write a brief summary of assigned reading
- Start group discussion with key points, highlights, and general idea of reading.