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## INTERACTIVE ACTIVITIES

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## SENTENCES

Monday – possibilities of things to notice  
 \*figurative language – simile: words like snowflakes, alliteration: delicate / different, personification: words swirling helping verb/adverb/verb combination repetition “each one” prepositional phrases dash connecting more descriptions compound word – snowflakes

Tuesday – label the sentence  
 Words, snowflakes, have – helping verb always – adverb swirled – verb around, like, in – prepositions me, one – pronouns each, delicate, different, untouched – adjectives and – conjunction my – possessive

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Wednesday – label the sentence  
 Words have always swirled around me like snowflakes—each one delicate and unique, each one melting safe and sound in my hands. (changed adjectives)

Thursday – possibility of imitation sentence  
 Books have always floated around me like butterflies—each one captivating and comforting, each one opening unspoiled in my hands.

## mentor sentences from OUT OF MY MIND



MINI-UNIT for GRADES 4-6

ideas by jvev

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 Name: Answer Key Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Editing Assessment  
 Words have always swirling around me like snow flakes—each one delicate and different, each one melting untouched in my hands.  
 1. Circle the words that are used correctly:  
 Words have always swirled around me like snow flakes—each one delicate and different, each one melting untouched in my hands.  
 Determine if the following sentences use figurative language (F) or are to be taken literally (L).  
 \_F\_2. Deep within me, words drifts.  
 \_F\_3. A symphony is exploding inside my head with no one to hear it but me.  
 \_L\_4. She swam through the water as swiftly as a fish.  
 \_F\_5. My thoughts were like a storm.  
 Superman to see what was in my head.  
 \_L\_6. She has the smallest wheelchair I've ever seen.  
 \_F\_7. It's like I have a million eyes and no key.  
 \_F\_8. Mrs. V weaved a tapestry that must be miles of material in those things.

## QUIZZES

## WITH

## ANSWER

## KEYS

