

SUMMATIVE REFLECTION

(3 KEY LEARNINGS)

**Inclusion is making the mix.
“Diversity is the mix.” by Andrés Tapia.**

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1. Literacy

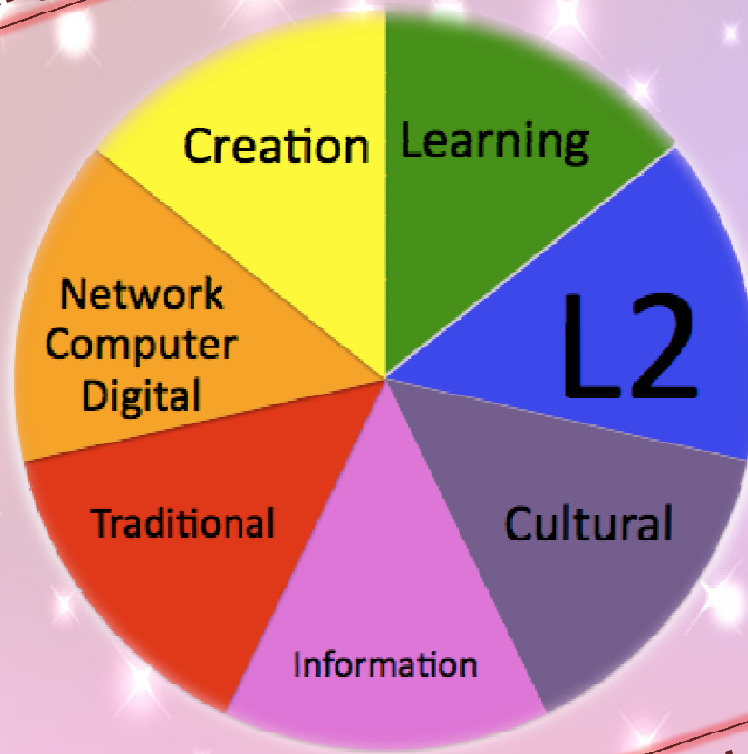
I believe that literacy goes beyond the conventional definition of having the ability to read and write. To me, literacy should acknowledge that people possess funds of knowledge in a variety of areas and are therefore multiliterate. Literacy should promote social justice, critical thinking and multiple forms of representation.





**Students
are diverse and come
with a variety of literacy skills**

**I have learned to be more aware
and accepting of my students' abilities.**



**I am constantly working at catering my teaching
methods to my students' funds of knowledge.**

2. CRITICAL LITERACY



**Teach students to ask questions
before, during and after reading**

Benefits For Students:

- Develops comprehension and vocabulary
- Enhances listening and speaking skills
- Aids in the development of critical literacy skills
- Creates meaning as they learn



Benefits For Teachers:

- Ability to assess the advancement of student ideas in relation to picture evaluation and confirmation or modification of predictions



Before Reading

Teaches students to make predictions
before they start reading

Sample Questions



What does the
title tell you
about this story?

What do the
pictures tell you
about this story?

During Reading

Students check, confirm and modify their predictions.
They continue building meaning.

I want to know
about ...

I think...

What about...





I'm interested in...

???

I'm amazed because ...

I'm confused about ...

I want to learn about ...

I learned ...

After Reading
What did students learn and what questions they still have

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3. Books

Different types of books:

- a. Wordless Books
- b. Books with Words
- c. Digital Collections
- d. Digital Book Creations

Wordless Books

Example:



- Students can enjoy looking at the pictures
- Uses a student's previous knowledge
- Teaches students to predict and infer
- Educates a student about text structure

Books with Words

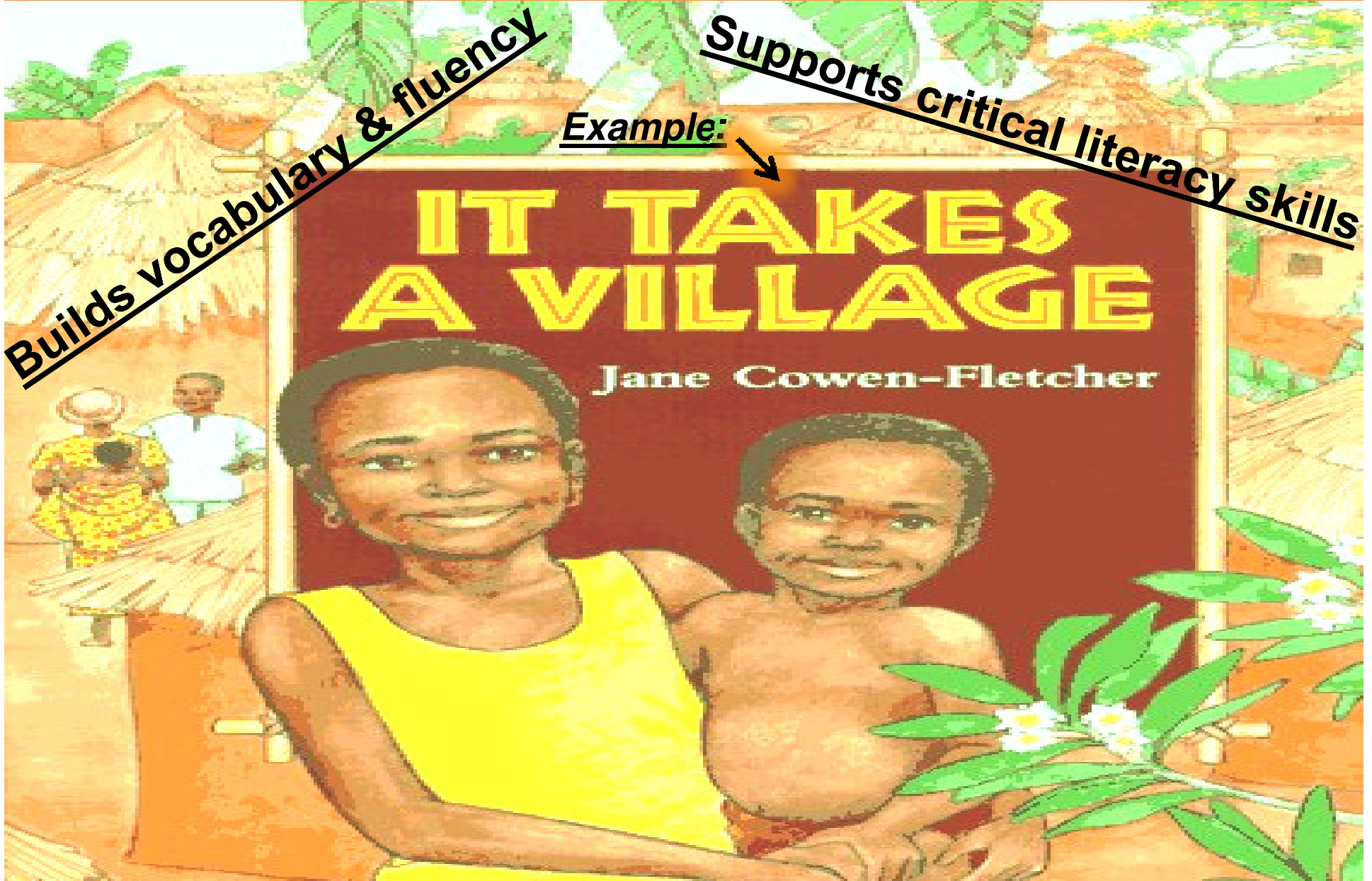
Builds vocabulary & fluency

Example:

Supports critical literacy skills

IT TAKES A VILLAGE

Jane Cowen-Fletcher



Digital Collection

Example:

Books
are
free



INTERNATIONAL
CHILDREN'S
DIGITAL LIBRARY

A Library for the World's Children

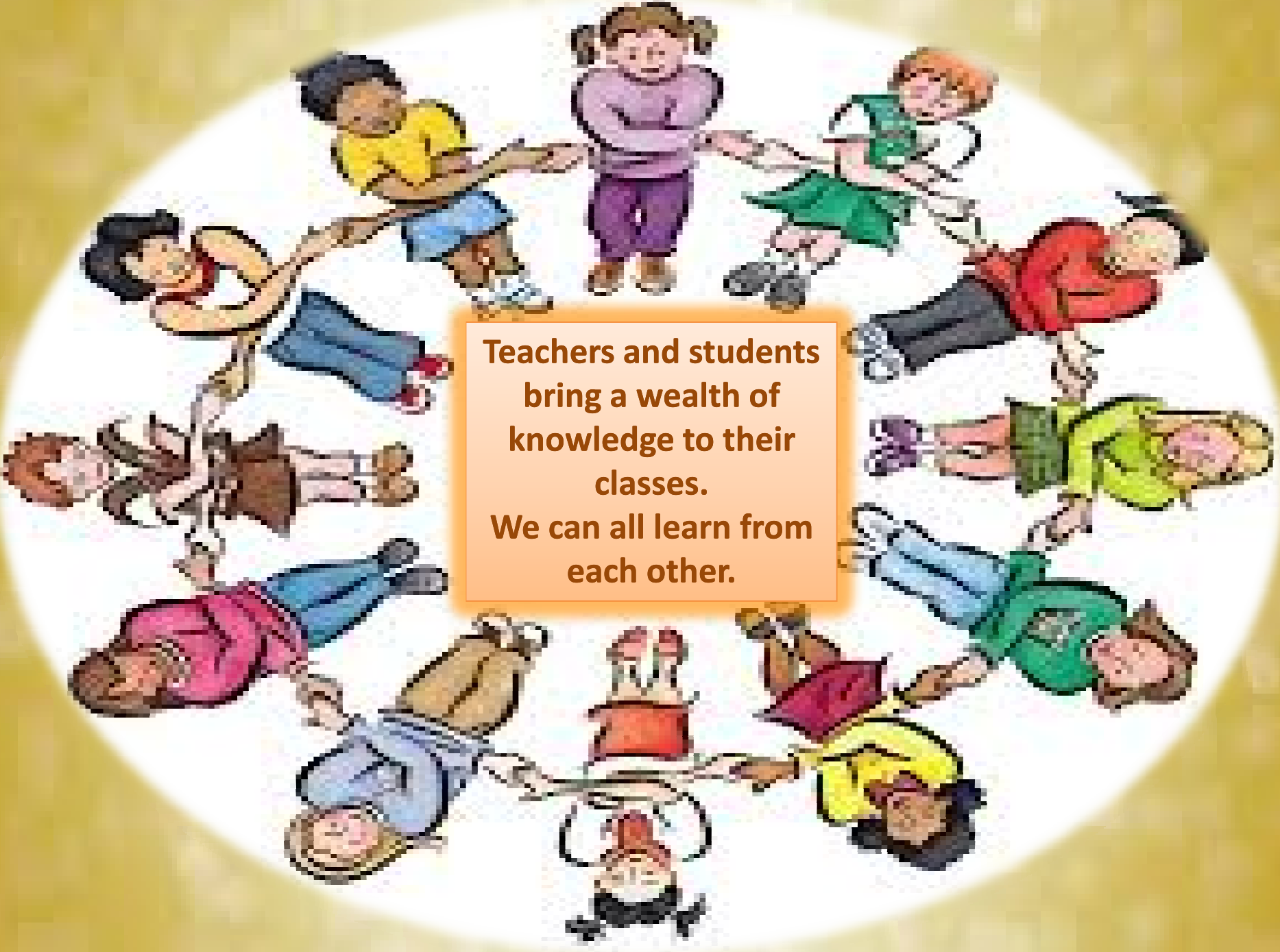
Can access
books from
anywhere

Books are available for different reading levels

Digital Book Creation



- **Allows students to write and publish their own books**
- **Offers real time feedback from others**
- **Develops writing skills**

A circular illustration of diverse people of various ages and ethnicities holding hands in a circle. The people are drawn in a simple, colorful style. In the center of the circle is a text box with a light orange background and a dark orange border. The text inside the box is written in a dark orange, sans-serif font.

**Teachers and students
bring a wealth of
knowledge to their
classes.
We can all learn from
each other.**

Thank
You

