

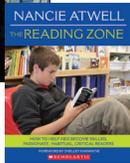


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A middle-school English teacher since 1973, Nancie Atwell is the inaugural recipient of the Global Teacher Prize. She donated the \$1 million award to the Center for Teaching and Learning, the K-8, non-profit demonstration school she founded in Edgecomb, Maine, in 1990. She is the first classroom teacher to receive the major U.S. research awards in the language arts, the M.L.A. Mina P. Shaughnessy Price and the N.C.T.E. David H. Russell Award. She was honored as the N.C.T.E. Outstanding Middle School English Teacher and River of Words Poetry Teacher of the Year. Nancie is the author of the classic text *In the Middle*, now in its third edition, which Thomas Newkirk of the University of New Hampshire describes as “the greatest book on literacy teaching ever written in this country.”



Sara Pennypacker is the author of 14 children's books, including the award-winning, *New York Times* best-selling *Clementine* series which includes *Clementine's Letter*, for which she won the Christopher Award. She is also the author of the Stuart Books and the novel *Summer of the Gypsy Moths*. Her picture books include *Meet the Dullards*; the Golden Kite Award-winning *Pierre in Love*, and *Sparrow Girl*. She is the founder of the ShareOurBooks.org program, which lends books provided by authors for community reads. Sara divides her time between Cape Cod, Massachusetts, and Florida. You can visit her online at [www.sarapennypacker.com](http://www.sarapennypacker.com).

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