



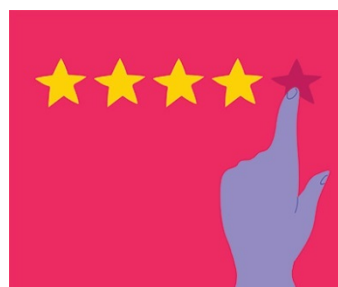
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Literacy Tip: Mirrors and Windows



Allow the books in your classroom to mirror your students' cultures, as well as create a window to other cultures. The concept of "mirrors and windows" was introduced by [Emily Style](#). The blog We Are Teachers has [a post](#) with in-depth explanations and classroom applications.

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