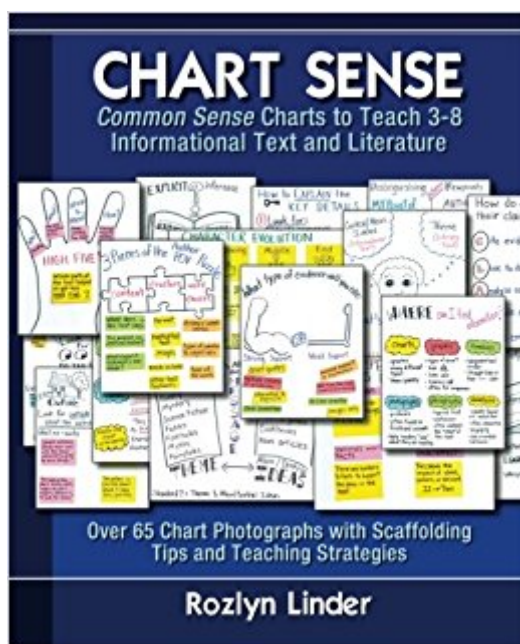


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# Chart Sense: Common Sense Charts To Teach 3-8 Informational Text And Literature



## Synopsis

Chart Sense is the ultimate resource for elementary and middle school teachers who are ready to create meaningful, standards-based charts with their students. The same charts that Rozlyn creates with students when she models and teaches in classrooms across the nation are all included here. Packed with over sixty-five photographs, Chart Sense is an invaluable guide for novice or veteran reading teachers who want authentic visuals to reinforce and provide guidance for reading skills. Organized in a simple, easy-to-use format, Rozlyn shares multiple charts for every reading informational text and literature standard. Don't mistake this as just a collection of anchor chart ideas. At over 150 pages, this book is filled with actual charts, step-by-step instructions to create your own, teaching tips, and instructional strategies. This book includes:

- Over sixty-five photographs of teacher-tested charts and examples
- Easy to navigate chapters, organized by the 3-8 reading standards
- Step-by-step instructions to create each chart
- Teaching notes and instructional strategies
- Ideas and tips for scaffolding and differentiation . . . and MORE! Not a bunch of theory or philosophy . . . just hands-on, teacher-tested charts that you can use in your classroom . . . TODAY!

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## Customer Reviews

This is the first book I have ever read on anchor charts for 3-8 students. The charts are POWERFUL and really make an impact on instruction. I was lucky enough to watch Dr. Linder teach my own students, using two of these charts. the kids were glued to her! They used the chart as a visual aid

and still beg for her to come back. Now, I create or refer to an anchor chart with every mini-lesson. If you aren't using charts with your students, you are missing a powerful instructional tool. Chart Sense can show you how!-Natalie Casey, fifth grade teacher  
Chart Sense is amazing! Roz takes all of the literature and informational text standards and shares tons of anchor charts that go with each chart. She includes lessons, book titles, and helpful hints for EVERY reading standard. This is my new go-to resource for teaching reading. It is simple, easy to use, and offers so much help. I wish I had this on the first day of school!-Sarah Gladstone, middle school teacher

This book has been such a labor of love! Each chart in this book was created with real students in real classrooms across the nation. I am so thankful for all of the wonderful middle school and elementary school teachers that let me into their classrooms to work with their students. The Common Core reading standards are made plain and simple for students through the use of visual aids. I hope that this book is a starting point for all reading teachers charged with simplifying and demystifying the standards.-Dr. Roz

I absolutely LOVE this book. As an avid creator and user of anchor charts in the classroom, I love having this book as another useful and practical guide for creating charts that my students can use and understand. I highly recommend this book to any 3-8 teacher. I especially like how Dr. Linder wrote on how to introduce the charts, and encouraging teachers to adjust the charts to fit their students' needs. Having visuals in the classroom, especially ones that are interactive, are wonderful tools! I love charts!!

Dr. Linder is an amazing writer, and clearly has worked with kids before! Her text, Chart Sense, has offered me so much guidance as I prepare to move from kindergarten to 6th grade. Her charts shared, as well as the lesson ideas to accompany, are connected and explained easily within the context of Common Core. Moreover, she has written an entire text on Informational text, that is invaluable! After writing to her, I've learned that a similar text about reading and teaching literature will be released in November! Much thanks to Dr. Linder! I highly recommend this text!

Anchor charts have become a staple in classrooms. So many of us spend countless hours searching on pinterest for just the perfect chart that will capture our students attention and engage them in the topic. This book is like taking all of the best charts from pinterest and putting them in one book. Then add in the K-2 how to make great charts book (can't remember the name of it off of the

top of my head right now) and you will know what the contents of this book are. I recommend a copy of this be available for all teachers to use as a resource. Love it!

LOVE, love, this book! Excellent support! Great resource, especially for interactive notebooks!

This book has been an awesome resource in my work to provide coaching, training and professional development for secondary teachers, principals, and district curriculum leaders. It offers anchor charts as accessible and adaptable tools to encourage students to think and express ideas logically and contribute meaningfully to the work of their groups or teams. Educators, I encourage you to purchase, and most importantly, USE these tools to increase student engagement and learning. Kudos to Dr. Roz!

This is a great book for elementary and middle school teachers. Us high school teachers could get some use out of it, too, though some of the charts would need to be modified. I plan on keeping it and using some of the charts, even though I made the mistake of not reading the title more thoroughly (I teach upper level high schoolers). :)Recommended!

Better than pinterest! All you need is right there. I will definitely use this in my class next year.  
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Awesome! I love to attend workshops and classes with Dr. Roz. She is a joy and provides just what a teacher needs to implement standards based instruction. Dr. Roz has been in the classroom and relates to what a classroom teacher wants and needs. I have purchased charts sense for K-2 and common Core Guidebook for Informational Text 3-8. They are awesome, practical, and useful as a classroom guide.

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