

The Garden Gathering

Lesson #2



Age:
2nd Grade

Objective:

- Students will write to communicate ideas and information effectively.
- Students will practice correct spelling, punctuation and capitalization.
- Students will use personal perspective in responding to a work of literature to increase comprehension of THEME.

Materials:

The Garden Gathering by Julie Woik

Pencils or Pens

Optional - Send home letter to parents regarding this lesson.

See attached *Letter for Parents*

Activity:

Gather the children in a circle and read *The Garden Gathering*. After the reading, have a discussion about the good qualities of various characters in the book. Hand out the form that comes with this lesson. Ask students to write three things that they like about themselves. After 15 minutes, ask for students to share the list with the class.

Assessment:

Students practiced correct spelling, punctuation and capitalization, while using their personal perspective to increase comprehension of a theme.