

Art With Heart

Lesson #5



Age:
3rd Grade

Objective:

- Students will respond to a work of literature by explaining how the events compare with those in his or her, own life.
- Students will write their opinion regarding the text, and will provide reasons to support their statements.

Materials:

Art With Heart by Julie Woik

Pencils

Print out form that correlates with this lesson.

Optional - Send home letter to parents regarding this lesson.

See attached *Letter for Parents*

Activity:

Gather the children in a circle and read Art With Heart, showing everyone the illustrations. After the reading, hand out the form for this activity. Talk with the students about what Bellamy's "forty-five" records are, and the various mediums music has been brought to the world over the years. Then have the students fill out the activity, using their opinions. After everyone has finished, read and discuss some of the student's comments. Hang them on the wall for everyone to see!!

Assessment:

Students will write comments that reflect comprehension of the text. They'll understand that a variety of messages can be conveyed through the text in a piece of literature.