

Art With Heart

Lesson #1



Age:
5th Grade

Objective:

- Students will use the reading process effectively to identify words and construct meaning from the text.
- Students will write to identify a central idea and comprehend the author's purpose in writing.

Materials:

Art With Heart by Julie Woik

Pencils or Pens

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. You may choose to read this story several times to the class, or have them read it themselves. Once you feel the students have a pretty good understanding of the story, have the children fill out the form that corresponds with this lesson. Afterwards, have a class discussion to assure that everyone comprehends the importance of having confidence.

Assessment:

Students will determine the main concept of the author's literary work. They'll understand that word choices can shape reactions, perceptions, and beliefs. They'll understand the development of the plot and how conflicts are resolved in a story.