

Jungle Jive

Lesson #3



Age:
4th Grade

Objective:

- Students will use writing processes effectively.
- Students will write to communicate their ideas and information effectively.
- Students will understand the power of language.

Materials:

Jungle Jive 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 *Jungle Jive*, showing everyone the illustrations. After the reading, hand out the form in which students will use their great imagination to create and write their own story from the prompt supplied. It may be very different than the author's story in *Jungle Jive*. Encourage the children to make it their OWN story!!

Assessment:

Students will write to create a story including a central idea. They will utilize their knowledge and experiences to express their ideas clearly. Students will understand that word choices can shape their ideas, feelings, and actions.