

# The Kacklin' Kitchen

## Lesson #2



**Age:**  
5<sup>th</sup> Grade

### **Objective:**

- Students will determine a main idea and construct meaning from the text and illustrations.
- Students will focus and record their thoughts concerning the essential message in the text.

### **Materials:**

The Kacklin' Kitchen 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 The Kacklin' Kitchen, showing everyone the detailed illustrations. After the reading, hand out the form associated with this lesson. Ask each of the students to write down their thoughts regarding RESPECT and bullying. Discuss the impact their words can have on others in the school who read their thoughts. These comments can then be hung on the classroom walls or in the halls of the school.

### **Assessment:**

Students will express their thoughts regarding the main concept of the story. They'll experience how their word choices and opinions can inspire positive reactions in others.