

The Kacklin' Kitchen

Lesson #5



Age:
5th Grade

Objective:

- Students will write to communicate ideas and information effectively.
- Students will write for an audience and a purpose.

Materials:

The Kacklin' Kitchen by Julie Woik

Pencils or Pens/Colored Pencils

Scissors

Glitter/Stickers/Other Decorations

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. Discuss how being thankful for what we have, builds respect within ourselves and for everything around us. Have the students color their cupcake, write their name and what they're thankful for, decorate them, and cut them out. They can be hung on the walls in class or in the halls of the school. A good reminder to everyone - to be **THANKFUL!**

Assessment:

Students will write personal statements that are relevant to the essential message of the storyline.