

The Kacklin' Kitchen

Lesson #4



Age:

Pre-Kindergarten

Objective:

- Students will use handwriting to learn letter recognition.
- Students will become familiar with letter sounds.
- Students will use mathematics to problem solve.

Materials:

The Kacklin' Kitchen 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 *The Kacklin' Kitchen*, showing everyone the illustrations. After the reading, hand out the form in which students will be reviewing the letter M. The main character in this story is Mookie MaGee. He is the motivation for this activity. Have the students practice writing the letter m, find the letter m, and count all of the m's.

Assessment:

Students recognize and understand letter sounds, helping them establish strong reading and writing skills. Letter recognition helps children become more familiar with the alphabet.