



Grade Level: Grade 2

Subject: Language

Objective:

- Students will be able to comprehend and retell the story "Jungle Buddyz: A Race to Remember".
- Students will discuss the theme of friendship and perseverance.
- Students will reflect on the importance of believing in oneself.

Materials:

- Copy of the story "Jungle Buddyz: A Race to Remember"
- Whiteboard or chart paper
- Markers
- Worksheet with comprehension questions (optional)
- Extension activity materials (optional)

Introduction:

1. Begin the lesson by introducing the story "Jungle Buddyz: A Race to Remember". Show the cover of the book or project it on the screen.
2. Ask the students if they have ever heard of or read this story before. Elicit their responses and discuss briefly.

Story Comprehension:

1. Read the story "Jungle Buddyz: A Race to Remember" aloud to the students. You can use different voices for each character to make it more engaging.
2. After reading, ask the students questions to check their comprehension. Examples of questions could include:
 - Who are the main characters in the story?
 - What kind of animal is Scooter?
 - How did Scooter feel before the race?
 - How did Scooter's friends help him?
 - How did Scooter feel after completing the race?
 - What did Scooter learn from his friends?
3. You can provide students with a worksheet that includes comprehension questions or discuss the answers as a class.

Discussion and Reflection:

1. Write the words "Friendship" and "Perseverance" on the whiteboard or chart paper.
2. Have a class discussion on the theme of friendship and perseverance in the story. Ask the students questions like:
 - How did Scooter's friends help him during the race?
 - Why was it important for Scooter to believe in himself?
 - Why is it important to have friends who support and encourage you?
 - Can you think of a time when you had to believe in yourself and keep trying?
 - How does it feel when you accomplish something you were unsure about?
3. Write down students' responses under each word on the whiteboard or chart paper.

Conclusion:

1. Summarize the key points from the discussion on friendship and perseverance.
2. Emphasize the importance of believing in oneself and having supportive friends.
3. Have each student share one thing they learned from the story or one way they can support and encourage their friends.

Extension Activity:

1. For the extension activity, you can have the students create a friendship-themed craft, such as making friendship bracelets or creating a friendship collage.
2. Alternatively, you can have the students write a short story or draw a picture about a time when they had to believe in themselves and persevere.
3. Display the students' crafts or stories in the classroom to celebrate the theme of friendship and perseverance.

Note: Adapt the lesson plan as needed to suit the specific needs and requirements of your students.