

Lesson: Environmental Fairy Tale Activity

Grade: 1

Objectives:

Students will:

- Reinforce what they have learned about caring for the environment
- Communicate what they learned in the Jigsaw lesson through writing and illustration
- Draw conclusions about the knowledge they've gained

Materials:

Books:

- *The Salamander Room* by Mazer
- *The Butterfly Boy* by Yep
- *Roxaboxen* by McLerran
- *A Fairy Went A-Marketing* by Fyleman
- *The Star Maiden* by Esbensen

Chartwriting/illustrating paper

Pencils, crayons

Written info from jigsaw lesson on main points of each book

Presentation: Explain that we will be writing about and illustrating part of what we read in the Jigsaw lesson. Each student should use the book that his or her group read together. Review notes with students about what they learned from their book.

Directions:

1. Draw a picture of the environmental lesson you learned from your book.
2. Under the illustration, write 3 sentences about it.
3. Some students may want to share their story/pictures orally with the class, or teacher can display on bulletin board.

Time: 30-45 minutes