

Novel: Stone Fox

Academic Standards: 1.1 Learning To Read Independently;
1.5 Quality of Writing; 1.6 Speaking and Listening

Materials: Class set of novels, Reading-Response Journals

Before:

1.1.5A Establish purpose for reading.

1.1.5D Make predictions using prior knowledge, illustrations, and headings.

During:

1.1.5C Use new-word strategies, context clues, and a dictionary to understand and use new words.

1.1.5D Make predictions based on comprehension of the text.

1.1.5G Demonstrate comprehension.

1.1.5H Demonstrate fluency and comprehension in reading.

- Read familiar materials aloud with accuracy.
- Self-correct mistakes.
- Use appropriate rhythm, flow, meter and pronunciation.

1.6.5A Listen to others:

- Ask pertinent questions.

1.6.5B Listen to selection:

- Predict result of story actions.
- Retell actions of the story in sequence, explain theme, describe characters and setting.
- Identify and define new words and concepts.
- Summarize selection.

1.6.5D Contribute to discussions:

- Ask relevant questions.
- Respond accurately to questions asked.
- Give reasons for opinions.
- Listen to and acknowledge contributions of others.

1.6.5E: Participate in small and large group discussions.

- Plan, and participate in, group presentations.

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After:

1.1.5G Demonstrate understanding and interpretation of text:

- Summarize major ideas, themes or procedures of text.
- Relate knowledge gained from text to other media.
- Clarify ideas and understandings through rereading and discussion
- Go back into the story and find evidence to support your answers
- Extend ideas found in the text

1.5.5B Write using well-developed content appropriate for the topic.

- Gather, organize and select appropriate information for task.
- Write paragraphs that have a topic sentence and supporting details.

1.5.5C Write with controlled and/or subtle organization

- Sustain logical order within sentences and between paragraphs.

1.5.5D Style:

- Use different types and lengths of sentences.
- Use precise language.

1.5.5E Revise writing to improve organization and word choice.

1.5.5F Edit writing using the conventions of language.

- Spell common, frequently words correctly.
- Use capital letters correctly.
- Punctuate correctly.
- Use parts of speech properly.
- Use complete sentences.