January Lesson Ideas (Primary)

Literary highlights and extensions for the month of January



Book Ideas

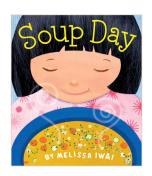


Best in Snow

by April Pulley Sayre

Themes: Nonfiction | Winter | Weather

- Learn more about when the author got her name with this <u>Audio Name Pronunciation</u>. What season was it?
- Discover how snow provides exciting photography opportunities in this <u>Meet-the-Author</u> Recording.
- Read the story and support vocabulary development with <u>Vocabulary Graphic Organizers</u>.
- Deepen understanding of the characteristics of winter with this Concept Lesson.



Soup Day

by Melissa Iwai

Themes: Picture Book | Cooking | Soup

- Connect with the author by listening to her Audio Name Pronunciation.
- Build excitement for reading by having students help complete the Book Cover Jigsaw Puzzle.
- Watch this <u>complete video reading</u> with the author and learn how she made eating vegetables an enjoyable experience for her son.
- Access discussion, activity, and recipe ideas with this story time guide.

Author Study Ideas



Rosemary Wells

- Introduce author Rosemary Wells with her Audio Name Pronunciation.
- Learn about Wells' inspiration for You Can Do It, Noisy Nora with this Virtual Book Tour.
- Explore resources for other titles by Rosemary Wells.
- Use the share tool to create a shelf card for the <u>author</u>, adding to book baskets, displays, or shelves to help young readers understand that books have authors and illustrators.

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