

I Went Walking

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Before the Computer Lab - Teacher

- Teach the sense of sight during 5 senses unit.
- Read I Went Walking.
- Take students on a walking trip in and around the school having them focus on their sense of sight.
- Have students prepare a draft for the lab.
- Create a template for students to use.
- Explain assignment.

Activity

1. The teacher will model opening the MS Word drawing toolbar and/or inserting Clip Art.
2. Have students log on, open an MS Word or Power Point template.
3. Show how to choose the Comic Sans MS font and size 36.
4. Have students type what they saw in the blank. Example I went walking. What did you see? I saw a yellow slide looking at me.
5. Then using the drawing toolbar or Clip Art, illustrate the object.

Assessment

Have the students save their work in their folders and then print out a hard copy to turn in.

If you use Power Point to make individual student books, print the slides as handouts, 1 or more per page.

Adaptations

This lesson can be easily adapted to any patterned book that you'd like the class to make. They can do more of the writing as they become ready.

Extensions

Have students make their own patterned books by writing and illustrating 4 or more pages. Then they can either save and print their book, or they can save and make their book into a slide show.

Modifications

Have students work with their buddy class to help complete assignments or they can work in partners to complete a page.