Standard Connection: ELA.RI.PK4.9 ELA.L.PK4.6 S.PS.PK4.2 VA.CN10a.1.PK

Enduring Understanding(s):

- Color can be used to communicate ideas, thoughts, and feelings.
- · Color can carry information.

Essential Question(s):

How are colors used to communicate ideas, thoughts, and feelings?

Vocabulary **Materials Books** Dog's Colorful Day MAXS Max's Dragon Shirt fur: soft hair on an animal dry erase board permanent: will not come off and markers • permanent marker stain: a mark that is difficult to remove small container of water ROSEMARAY template of Dog with washable: can be removed ear stain drawn in with soap and water permanent marker (see Resource)

Let's Find Out About It: Preparation: Set up materials. On a dry erase board, draw or use template of Dog. Draw "washable" stains with dry erase markers. Draw Dog's stain on ear in permanent marker. "In Dog's Colorful Day, Dog's fur is white with one black spot on Show illustrations. his left ear. What do you notice?" Children respond. Show dry erase board with Dog template. "Stain" his fur with dry "Here is an image of Dog. Many things stained Dog's fur like erase markers and erase _. What happened when Dog had a bath?" them-giving Dog a bath. Children respond. "Dog still has a black spot on his ear. The black spot is **permanent** - it won't come off - even if Dog's fur is washed many times." "The other **stains** on Dog - the green grass, blue paint, red jam spots - were all washable - they came off when Dog's fur got Show illustrations. soapy and wet. How are the washable stains on Dog similar to Children respond. or different from the stains on Max's dragon shirt?"

