



Let's Find Out About It: Color Names

Standard Connection:

ELA.RI.PK4.1

ELA.SL.PK4.2

S.PS.PK4.2

Enduring Understanding(s):

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

Essential Question(s):

- How do you make your thinking and learning visible to other people?

Materials	Vocabulary	Books
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Dog's Colorful Day</i> • <i>Max's Dragon Shirt</i> • colorful images (see Resource) 	<p>dripped: to flow downward in drops</p> <p>inspire: to make someone to do something</p> <p>stain: a spot or colored mark</p>	

Let's Find Out About It:

Preparation: *Set up materials.*

<p>"In <i>Dog's Colorful Day</i>, Dog's coat got stained. What do you notice?"</p>	<p>Show illustration of the different stains and their colors. Children respond.</p>
<p>"Strawberry jam dripped on his fur and made a red stain. The color of the stain could be 'strawberry jam red'."</p>	<p>Show illustration.</p>
<p>"Dog's coat got stained at the park. What do you notice?"</p>	<p>Show illustration. Children respond.</p>
<p>"What is a good name for the color of the stain?"</p>	<p>Show illustration of Dog rolling in the grass. Children respond.</p>
<p>"Color names are inspired by food. These orange crayons are named 'macaroni and cheese'. Color names are inspired by things in nature. This yellow paint is named 'daffodil yellow,' but this yellow paint is named 'happy yellow' because color names can also be inspired by emotions."</p>	<p>Show images.</p>