System 44 Daily Lesson Plan

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Upper Elementary: Module 4: S44 Writing Day 1 (pp.84-85)

Standards

Common Core State Standards

Objectives

Content Goals:

- Draw evidence from informational texts and paraphrase quotations.
- Write an informative paragraph to examine and convey information clearly and accurately.

Language Goals:

- Write an informative paragraph using conjunctions with noun/verb phrases.
- Engage effectively in a discussion of ideas for writing and feedback.

Notes

LT: I will write an informational paragraph.

SC- use conjunctions correctly- find evidence- paraphrase in my own words- use proper capitalization and punctuation.

Whole-Group Instruction (20 minutes)

During Whole-Group Introduction, have students make a list of five to eight contractions they know.

• Trade your list of contractions with a partner. Then write the two words that make up each contraction on your partner's list. Share responses with **RED Routine 5: Idea Wave**.

Notes

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Small-Group Instruction (25 minutes)	
Group 1	Group 2
Prewrite • Unpack the writing prompt on page 84. • Guide students to find evidence from Text 1 and paraphrase it. Academic Discussion • Have students use questions and frames to discuss how a drought might have caused the Maya to disappear. Write • Discuss examples of conjunctions. • Have students complete a first draft of an informative paragraph on page 85. Revise • Guide students to check their spelling and parts of speech. • Have partners share feedback using sentence starters. Notes	
Small Group Rotations (25 Minutes)	
Instructional Software	
Monitor students as they work independently on leveled software.	
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