

Culminating Activity Description (2 parts):

1. The students will write an opinion piece in which they answer the essential question--Is it better to fit in or stand out? In their opinion piece, the students should use examples from the text read in and out of class. The students will then work in groups to create a documentary that reflects their opinion.
2. The students will pick a picture book with a character that is different. The students must analyze the story elements (character, setting, plot, theme,) and then come up with an activity to do with Kindergarten or first grade students.