Teacher Resource

Abdo Zoom Activity: Reading Report

Grade 2



Objective: To help students' ability to find the key details in a text.

What's Needed: Access to Abdo Zoom, paper, and pencils.

Before Class: Pick a different Abdo Zoom article for every student in the class.

Activity: Assign each student a different Abdo Zoom article. Each student should read the article and write down answers to any of these questions that apply:

- What animal was the article about?
- Where does the animal live?
- What does the animal look like?
- What does the animal eat?
- How long does the animal live?
- How do you care for the animal?

Upon completing the questions, each student will tell the class about the animal he or she read about, sharing the answer to each of the questions.

Evaluation: Evaluate using five points. Give a student one point for each question he or she answered, up to a maximum of five.

Standards: This lesson may be used to address the Common Core State Standards' reading standards for informational texts, grade 2 (RI 2.1).