

## Introduction

Welcome to the Reflecting on Achievements and Building Confidence lesson plan! This comprehensive guide is designed to help 10-year-old students develop a positive self-image, build confidence, and strive for excellence. The lesson plan is divided into several sections, each with its own set of activities and teaching strategies.

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### **Lesson Plan**

## **Section 1: Introduction and Icebreaker (10 minutes)**

- · Introduce the topic of reflecting on achievements and building confidence
- Use an icebreaker activity to get students engaged and excited about the lesson
- Ask students to share their names and something they're looking forward to learning about in the lesson

## **Section 2: Journaling Activity (20 minutes)**

- Distribute journals and ask students to write down three things they're proud of accomplishing in the past year
- Encourage students to be specific and provide details about what they did and how they felt
- Allow students to share their reflections with a partner or in a small group



### **Lesson Plan Continued**

## **Section 3: Role-Playing Activity (25 minutes)**

- Divide the class into small groups and assign each group a scenario related to confidence-building
- Ask each group to role-play the scenario and provide feedback and guidance on how to build confidence and overcome challenges

### **Section 4: Conclusion and Reflection (15 minutes)**

- Gather the class together and ask students to reflect on what they learned about themselves and their abilities during the lesson
- Encourage students to share their thoughts and feelings with the class
- · Provide a final thought or reflection to leave students with



# **Teaching Strategies**

## 1. Use Positive Language

- · Use positive and affirming language to encourage students and promote a growth mindset
- Instead of saying "you're not good at this," say "I can see you're trying your best, and that's something to be proud of"

# 2. Provide Opportunities for Reflection

- Provide regular opportunities for students to reflect on their achievements and set goals for the future
- Use journaling, self-assessment, or one-on-one meetings with the teacher to facilitate reflection



# **Teaching Strategies Continued**

# 3. Encourage Self-Advocacy

- Encourage students to self-advocate and speak up for themselves
- Use role-playing activities to practice assertive communication and boundary-setting



### **Assessment and Evaluation**

### **Formative Assessment**

- Use class discussions, think-pair-share activities, journaling, and observation to monitor students' progress and understanding throughout the lesson
- Provide feedback and guidance to students as needed

### **Summative Assessment**

- Use a written reflection, a confidence-building project, a class presentation, and a self-assessment rubric to evaluate students' understanding and application of the concepts learned
- Provide clear criteria and expectations for each assessment



### **Conclusion**

In conclusion, reflecting on achievements and building confidence is a crucial life skill that can have a significant impact on a student's academic and personal success. By providing a safe and supportive learning environment, teachers can help students develop a growth mindset, build resilience, and achieve their goals.

## **Appendices**

## **Appendix A: Confidence-Building Activities**

- Confidence Charades
- · Achievement Mapping
- Positive Self-Talk
- Role-Playing Scenarios
- Reflection Journaling

## **Appendix B: Assessment Rubrics**

- Written Reflection Rubric
- Confidence-Building Project Rubric
- Class Presentation Rubric
- Self-Assessment Rubric

