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Children's Bilingual Picture Books

Activity Guide #1

Jimmy Jammers / Jaimito pijama

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Subjects
Art
Language

Brief Description
In this activity, children write and illustrate a story about their favorite pajamas.

Objectives
- Write a story using first hand experience
- Illustrate the story to add richness to the text

Key Words
Pajamas

Grade Level(s)
K-4

Materials Needed
Writing paper
Pencil or pen
Drawing Paper (optional large roll of newsprint)
Crayons

Activities
- Have children wear pajamas for the day.
- Children will write a story about their favorite pair of pajamas. Focus on descriptive words. How did they feel? What did they look like? What color? Were there zippers, buttons, snaps? What the funniest thing you ever did in your pjs? Did your grandma make them like she did in the story?
- Have children draw themselves in their favorite pjs. For added fun, get a roll of newsprint and have them lie on the newsprint, draw the outline and color in the life-size version of themselves. Post them in the room. The book illustrator used a pen to draw the outline and then colorized her drawings with crayons. Try using her technique.

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