



### Opinion Writing with Drawing and Dictating

#### Today's Standard

K.W.1 - Use a combination of drawing, dictating, and writing to compose opinion pieces in which they tell a reader the topic or the name of the book they are writing about and state an opinion or preference about the topic or book (e.g., My favorite book is...).

Cues	Notes
What is K.W.1?	K.W.1 involves using drawing, dictating, and writing to express opinions.
Why combine drawing, dictating, and writing?	Combining methods helps young students articulate thoughts and preferences.
What are common misconceptions?	Misconception 1: Drawing alone is enough.  Misconception 2: Writing needs to be perfect.
How to address misconceptions?	Addressing Misconception 1: Use prompts to guide explanations.  Addressing Misconception 2: Focus on clear expression, not perfect writing.

#### Summary

K.W.1 standard helps Kindergarten students express opinions using drawing, dictating, and writing. It addresses misconceptions about the sufficiency of drawing alone and the need for perfect writing.