

THE ORANGE FROG (5-8)

Tactic: Intro to Orange Frog

Week: 2

Title: Being Orange – Feeling Different – Five Tactics

Learning Objective:

I can read/listen to the Orange Frog Comic.

I will discuss the central theme of the Orange Frog and will discover connections for my everyday life.

Standard:

Essential Concept and/or Skill: Communicate and work productively with others emphasizing collaboration and cultural awareness to produce quality work.

Skill:

- Interact positively as a team member.
- Cooperate with others in a group setting.
- Generate ideas with group members.
- Listen Actively
- Read and understand information in a variety of forms.
- Express ideas.

Opening Question(s):

“What do you remember about the comic we started reading last week?”

“Tell me about the four frogs that we met. How were they alike? How were they different?”

Access the electronic book here:

<https://www.Orangefrogschools.com/middle-school/ofcomicbook>

Read intro aloud to students.

You can either project the comic on the board, read to the students, or have them read pages 10-19.



Thoughts:

"We are going to talk about the choice to be Orange. Spark knew that when he was green, he didn't feel as good as being Orange. When he started taking better care of himself and being kind to others, he became more and more Orange. What types of things can we do to become more Orange?"

Action:

We are going to look at some trends and discuss which one best fits with the action. These actions are known to help others become more happy and healthy. They are color tactics."

Display Chart and images:

Being Thankful	Journaling	Meditation	Exercise	Being kind to others








Facilitate discussion with students about each picture.

"What do you see in the picture? Which box do you think the picture goes in?"



Answer Key:

<i>Being Thankful</i>	<i>Journaling</i>	<i>Meditation</i>	<i>Exercise</i>	<i>Being kind to others</i>
				

Bonus Questions:

- What is each pond known for?
- Which frog goes to which pond?
- When do they expect the next Deluge?
- What happens when Spark compliments Bull, and when he begins catching flies?

