

Picture of the Day - Reading Routine

AUTHOR'S PURPOSE

★10 Pictures to help teach all about author's purpose!

PICTURE OF THE DAY: Author's Purpose

Name: _____ Date: _____



Details I Notice:

What was the photographer's purpose for taking this photograph?

What do they want me to understand?

What details did they include in the photo?

I think the photographer wants me to understand _____

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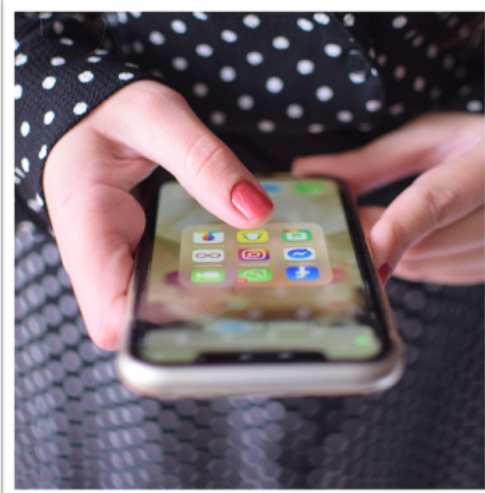
BOOSTS READING CONFIDENCE!

With this picture of the day routine, students will get a chance to “read the picture” and practice applying key comprehension skills, without having to read an actual text.

How does Picture of the Day Work?

- Students study the picture.
- They apply the comprehension skill to that picture.
- Students respond in writing or discuss their ideas with the class.

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OPTION I: PowerPoint Presentation

Includes a PowerPoint presentation that can be displayed on a smartboard. This works great if you want to use picture of the day as part of your reading warm-up routine or even as part of your morning meeting discussion.

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OPTION 2: Student Worksheet

Another option is to print the student worksheets and let students do picture of the day independently. Works great as part of morning work routine.

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I look at the photo.

OPTION 3: Half-Page Task Cards

You can also print them as half-page task cards. You can put them on a ring or laminate and use in a literacy center.

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Response Sheet

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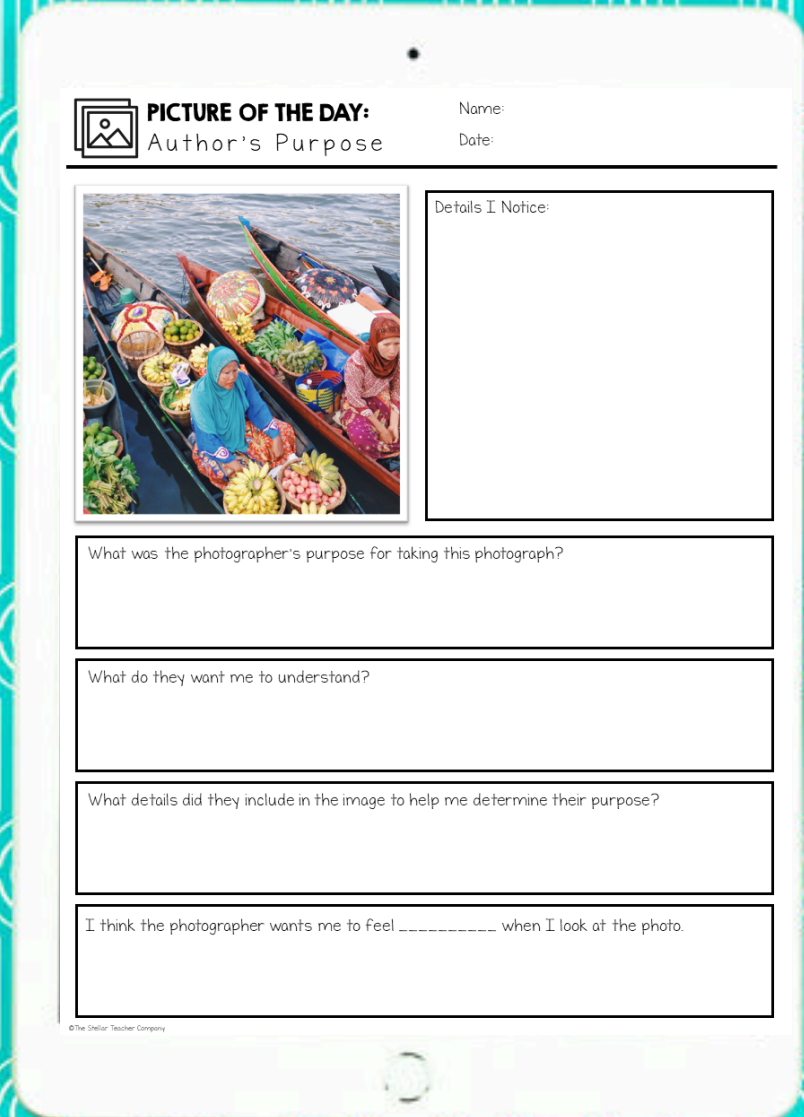
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OPTION 4: Digital Version


I love to provide both print and digital options in my resources. This resource includes a digital version created using Google Slides.

In addition to the print version, you get a digital version created using Google Slides for all the passages, response pages, and graphic organizers.

Rest assured, you can use this resource in both face-to-face and virtual classrooms.



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