

Chicken Soup for the Soul at Work by Jack Canfield, et. al.

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Summary

This anthology encompasses stories from all walks of life in all areas of work, from service-related professions to other workplace environments. Each story reflects the human experience and the knowledge gained from these experiences.

Connection to the Curriculum

Readers will discover insight on universal themes in life's struggles and triumphs. The common themes encourage students to share their own experiences through a variety of workplace-related writing, reading, speaking, and listening activities.

Standards

Course Objectives (Benchmarks)

Reading: 1.2- The students read fluently. 1.3- The students expand vocabulary.

Literature: 2.2- The students understand the significance of literature and its contributions to various cultures.

Writing: 3.1- The students use writing as a tool for learning throughout the curriculum. 3.2- The students use a writing process that includes preparing, drafting, revising, editing, and publishing to produce a written text.

Possible Skills Taught (Indicators)

Literature:

2.2.1- The student recognizes ways that literature from different cultures presents similar themes differently across genres.

2.2.2- The student compares and contrasts works of literature that deal with similar topics and problems.

Writing:

3.1.1- The student uses the writing process in various formats such as journal entries, research reports, speeches, business letters, scripts, essays, lab reports, critical analysis of current events and reaction papers in all content areas.

3.2.1 and 3.3.2- The student generates ideas by using prewriting strategies to explore and organize ideas related to an assignment.

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A Note on the Text: (The best way to evaluate and understand a novel is to personally read the book in its entirety.)

This book is a compilation of short stories taking place in the work environment.

Additional Unit Design Connections

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