



I wish I could...like...

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Pop Culture
Grades K-2



Introduction

Is there something you wished you could always do? Maybe you want to be a singer like Jojo Siwa. Or maybe you wish you were as good of a football player as Tom Brady. Today, students will research a famous person that has a talent they wished they had!

Learning Objectives

[CCSS.ELA-Literacy.W.2.8](#); Recall information from experiences or gather information from provided sources to answer a question.

Materials Needed

- iPad
- Books
- Writing materials

Procedure

1. Tell students that you have always wished you could ____ better (sing, dance, run, act, etc.). Give examples of what you would do if you could do that skill better. "If I could sing better, I would love to go on stage in front of hundreds of people. I would also just enjoy singing in front of my family." Then tell students about a celebrity you know of that has that skill. "My favorite singer is Beyoncé because...."
2. Tell students that today they are going to write about a skill they wished they had. They are going to research a celebrity that has that skill and write about what makes them so good at it. They should include 3+ facts about the celebrity that relate to the skill they wish they had (Tom Brady can throw a football ____yards, he has a record for ____, etc.).

Evaluation

- Did the student identify a skill they wished they had?
- Did the student identify a celebrity that has that skill?
- Did the student list 3+ ways that celebrity is so good at what they do?
- Did the student use proper writing mechanics?