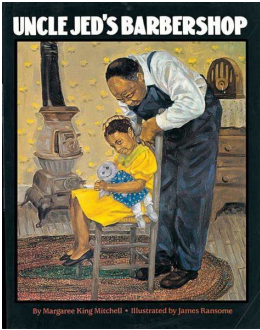


Uncle Jed's Barbershop



Author: Margaree King Mitchell, illus. by James Ransome

Book Summary: Sarah Jean's Uncle Jed, the only black barber in the county, overcomes many setbacks, including the Great Depression of the 1930's, as he works to save enough money to open his own barber shop.

Ages: 4-7

Length: 40 pages

Grades: PK-2

ISBN: 978-0689819131

Lexile Rating: 640L

Online Read-aloud: [Reading Rainbow \(6:33\)](#)

Washington State Financial Education Standards	Grades K-2	Grades 3-5
SS: Spending & Saving CD: Credit & Debt EI: Employment & Income I: Investing RM: Insurance and Risk Management FD: Financial Decision-Making	SS: Develop a plan for spending and saving EI: Explore job and career options RM: Identify common types of risks and basic risk management methods. FD: Recognize the responsibility associated with personal financial decisions	EI: Explore job and career options RM: Identify common types of risks and basic risk management methods. FD: Recognize the responsibility associated with personal financial decisions FD: Make criterion-based financial decisions by systematically considering alternatives and consequences
Washington State K-12 SEL Standards and Benchmarks	Self	Social
	Self-Awareness: Benchmarks 1A-C Self-Management: Benchmarks 2B Self-Efficacy: Benchmarks 3A-C	Social Awareness: Benchmark 4A Social Engagement: 6A-C

Resource: [Uncle Jed's Barbershop Q & A](#)

Summary: Eight text-dependent questions for post-reading discussion.

Grade: K-5

Source: [Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis](#)

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Resource: [Reading Rainbow: Uncle Jed's Barbershop](#)

Summary: Season 14, Episode 2 of Reading Rainbow

Grade: K-5

Source: [Youtube](#)

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Resource: [Uncle Jed's Barbershop Literature Guide](#)

Summary: Before, during, and after reading discussion guide, as well as activity suggestions.

Grade: K-5

Source: [Learning to Give](#)

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Lesson: [Uncle Jed's Barbershop Lesson](#)

Summary: (45-60 minutes) Discussion-based lesson reviews saving, savings goals, segregation, and opportunity cost. A card game learning activity helps students to investigate what it takes to reach a savings goal.

Grade: 3-5

Additional Washington Learning Standards:

Source: [Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis](#)

Not included

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Lesson: [Uncle Jed's Barbershop Unit Plan](#)

Summary: (Five 45-minute lessons) Text-dependent questions and answers, vocabulary, culminating task, and additional learning tasks. ELL support documents included.

Grade: 3

Additional Washington Learning Standards:

Source: [Achieve the Core](#)

- Grade 3 ELA: RL.3.1-4, 7, 10; RF.3.3, 4; W.3.2, 4, 10; SL.3.1, 6; L.3.1-2, 4

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Resource: [Exploring Ways We Spend Money](#)

Summary: Kinesthetic lesson on the vocabulary *earn, spend, borrow, save*. Students listen to scenarios on spending money and play a "four corners" style game to identify what people do with money.

Grade: K-5

Source: [Learning to Give](#)

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