

SUGGESTED WORKSHOP ACTIVITIES FOR FIRST GRADE
(30 Minute Sessions-See Program Appendix)

UNIT 9-Being Afraid

- * Complete pages in *Reteach: Comprehension and Language Arts Skills, Reteach: Phonics Skills* independently as practice
- * Listen to selection on Listening Library audiocassettes
- * Read *Leveled Classroom Library* book
- * Poetry Put Together: Glue a poem on the front of a manilla envelope. On the inside of the manilla envelope, place the words to the poem printed on small individual pieces of poster board. Students are to put the poem together, word-by-word. When finished the individual ask students to read the poem to a friend or the teacher, then place words back into the envelope
- * Make construction paper shapes of trees, rabbits, birds, flowers, and so on. This may inspire students to write a poem about the subject. The poems can be printed directly on the shape or along the outline of the shape
- * Write an Acrostic: Use the first letter of your name to begin each line. Each line should be an adjective or a phrase which describes you
- * Stage a "poetry race." Encourage your students to practice reading "Betty Botter" against the clock. It's a lip-twisting folk rhyme that can be found in *A Bad Case of the Giggles*
- * Repeat any activities from Unit 8