Support Material Activities

Note: Professor Greer's students carry out these activities with students at local elementary schools.

Activity Sheet: Who Is A Hero?

Target Grades: K-3

Curriculum Area: Art/social studies

Story relation: The Hunter

Materials Needed:

White paper and coloring supplies

• Copy of The Hunter: A Chinese Folktale retold by Mary Cassanova

Bridge-In Activity: Read *The Hunter*. Discuss with the class different types of heroes in today's society such as policeman, firefighters, teachers and friends.

Main Activity: Students are to think of a hero in their lives. Then they are to draw or paint a picture of this hero and things that represent them. An example would be to draw a fireman, fire trucks, and fire hydrants. Then have the class come together as a group and have each student present their piece of artwork and tell the class why this person is a hero.

Bridge-Out Activity: Remind the students that like in "The Hunter" it is possible for anyone to be a hero. Have the students come up with some ways that they can be heroes in their lives.

Activity created by Noah Martin (Narrator)