Playing With a Purpose
Episode 7: Langston Hughes
Script Outline

Video Link: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=755zSqqROFM&t=3s

0:00 Introduction

1:23 Special Guest: Patrick Warner
Musician, Poet, Rapper, Performance Artist, Actor

1:37 Introduction to poet: Langston Hughes
Harlem Renaissance Poet, Social Activist, Novelist, Playwright, Columnist

1:45 Vocabulary Word: Prolific

2:47 Local Connection: Jelliffe House – Karamu House

4:40 Vocabulary Word: Deferred

4:40 POEM TIME: Harlem (A Dream Deferred)
Written by Langston Hughes

7:00 Writing Activity: Write a Rhyming Poem

7:06 Materials needed: Grab a piece of paper, pencils, colored pencils, markers, or whatever you prefer

7:25 Amy and Patrick write a Rhyming Poem together

13:04 Writer’s Tip: Don’t be afraid to talk through your thoughts with a friend. Hearing the words out loud will help articulate your ideas.

13:33 ALLUSION: A reference to Tupac Shakur’s poem The Rose that Grew from Concrete

14:49 Final Thank You and Goodbyes. Dance it out!