

## Favorite Subject

This activity accompanies “Love,” from *The Complete Poems of Paul Laurence Dunbar* by Paul Laurence Dunbar, record number 5101.

**Activity Title:** Favorite Subject

**Description:** The students will write a poem about their favorite school subject.

**Subject:** Reading/Language Arts

**Skill:** Writing

**Behavioral Objective:**

- The student will write a poem about their favorite school subject.

**Materials:**

- “Love” poem, available in audio and print form at <http://etc.usf.edu/lit2go/>
- Paper and pencil

**Procedures:**

Read the poem with the students, or have them read it on their own. Discuss with the students how Dunbar talks about his many loves, including art, science, and letters. Next, have the students work individually to write a poem about their favorite school subject. When they are finished, divide the students by subject area and have them share their poems with the group.

