Teacher Lesson 11: Be a Detective!

In this lesson, students take a closer look at evidence that may help solve a crime. And Flexi-Scope is at the ready to help!

Students can compare images of fingerprints of several people to see if they are the same or different.

They can consider what types of materials might be important to investigate more closely.

This activity can combine creative writing with science.

Have your students write a short story about an imaginary case that they are investigating. You will probably want to set some guidelines for content and plot.

How can Flexi-Scope help solve the crime?

How did the students approach the evidence? What did a closer look at the evidence tell them?

How was Flexi-Scope able to help?

Your students will have fun with this creative activity where they can pair imagination with scientific inquiry.



