



Discussion Questions and Activities for *Pinkalicious*

"Whale of a Song"

Before Viewing

• What do you predict this story/program is going to be about? Why?

During Viewing

- Is the story matching your earlier predictions? Explain.
- What is the CONFLICT (main problem) in the story? How do Pinkalicious and her family help the baby whale find her mother?
- How do the whales help the Pinkertons when their boat won't start?

After Viewing (Writing and Creative Activities)

- Just like whales use music to communicate, music can be used for many purposes. What are some other ways we use music? What is your favorite way to make music? Use this <u>Hamburger</u> <u>Graphic Organizer</u> from Understood.org to help you write a paragraph about music.
- Find more ideas for lessons about music in the <u>Music Collection</u> of PBS Learning Media.

"Pinkabubbles"

Before Viewing

• What do you predict this story/program is going to be about? Why?

During Viewing

- Is the story matching your earlier predictions? Explain.
- What is the CONFLICT (main problem) in the story? What happens when Pinkalicious blows the biggest bubble?

After Viewing (Writing and Creative Activities)

• How does Pinkalicious use her creativity to solve the bubble problem? Use this <u>graphic organizer</u> from Understood.org to write about the main idea of this episode.

