“Magic Pencils and Pens”

by M.C. Baker
grades KG-4
time frame: 40 minutes

PROJECT DESCRIPTION
We all love something great to draw or write with. You know when you really feel a
great pen, it makes you want to write more. I have the perfect magic pencil project for
your students. This will be a pencil or pen that is one of a kind. Created by them and as
unique as they are.

Malala’s Magic Pencil
Author: Malala Yousafzai
Illustrator: Kerascoet

Malala's first picture book will inspire young readers everywhere to find the magic all
around them.

As a child in Pakistan, Malala made a wish for a magic pencil. She would use it to make
everyone happy, to erase the smell of garbage from her city, to sleep an extra hour in the
morning. But as she grew older, Malala saw that there were more important things to wish
for. She saw a world that needed fixing. And even if she never found a magic pencil,
Malala realized that she could still work hard every day to make her wishes come true.