

Line Safari

Lines are everywhere! Draw a different kind of line in each box and give it a name.

Name: _____ Date: _____



Draw one kind of line in each card

Its name: _____

Its name: _____

Its name: _____

Its name: _____

Its name: _____

Its name: _____

Its name: _____

Its name: _____

Where did you spot these lines in the room?

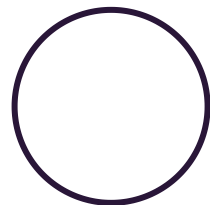
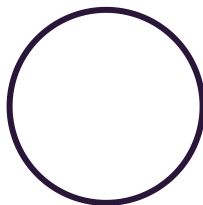
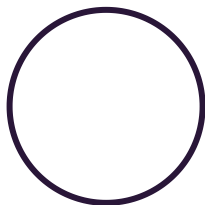
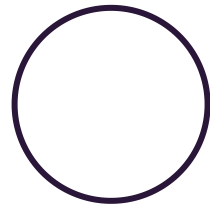
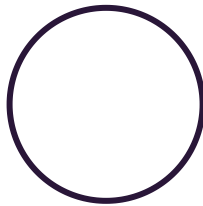
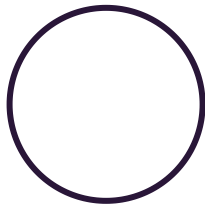
One Shape, Six Ideas

Turn every circle into something different. No two the same!

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Turn each circle into something new



My most surprising idea was... because...

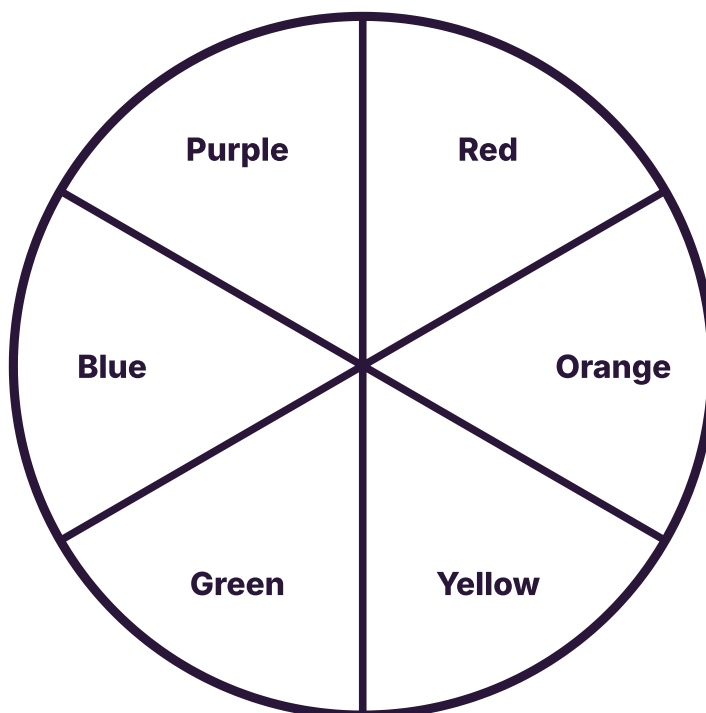
Mix a Color Wheel

Start with red, yellow and blue. Can you mix the rest?

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Color each slice. Mix the ones in between!



My color recipes

Color	I mixed...	Worked?
Orange		
Green		
Purple		

Warm and Cool Twins

Same drawing, two moods. Use only warm colors on one and only cool colors on the other.

Name: _____ Date: _____



Warm: reds, oranges, yellows

Cool: blues, greens, purples

The warm one feels like...

The cool one feels like...

Pattern Swatches

Fill each card with a pattern. Stripes, dots, checks... what else can you invent?

Name: _____ Date: _____



One pattern in each card

Pattern name: _____

Pattern name: _____

Pattern name: _____

Pattern name: _____

Pattern name: _____

Pattern name: _____

Decorate a creature with your best pattern

My pattern rule is...

Other-Hand Drawing

Draw it with your usual hand. Now switch hands and try again!

Name: _____ Date: _____



My usual hand

My other hand

Switching hands felt:



Easy



Okay



Wobbly



Super hard

Something I like about the other-hand drawing is...

Don't Peek! Contour Drawing

Eyes on your hand, not on the paper! Let your pencil follow every edge.

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No peeking (blind contour)

Looking this time

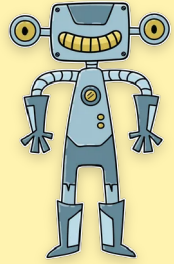
What I noticed about my hand that I never saw before:

Which drawing is more fun to look at? Why?

Light to Dark Ladder

Press softly for light and harder for dark. Can you make five different grays?

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Shade light to dark:



Lightest



Light



Middle

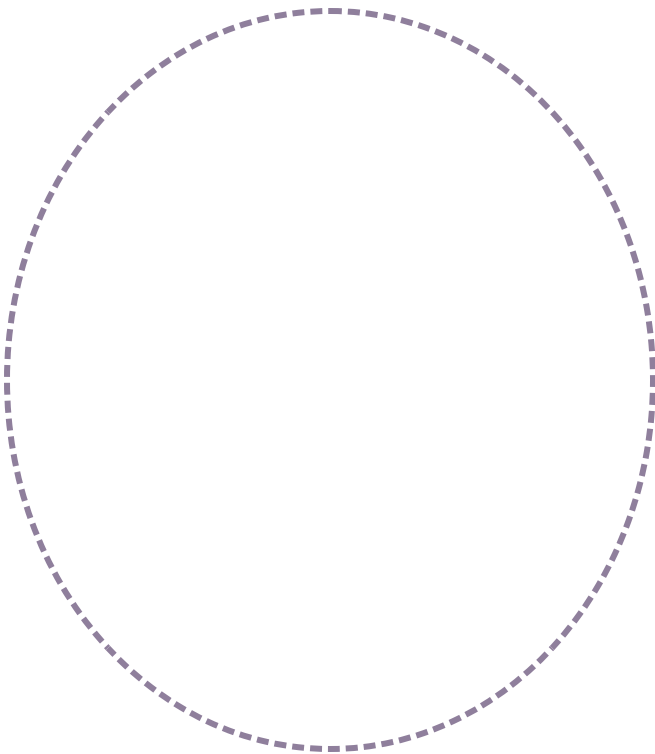


Dark



Darkest

Shade a ball (light on one side)



Shade something from the room

Where did I put the light? How can you tell?

Near and Far

Make your animal big at the front, middle-sized in the middle and tiny far away.

Name: _____ Date: _____



Near, middle and far: the same animal three times

Did I...

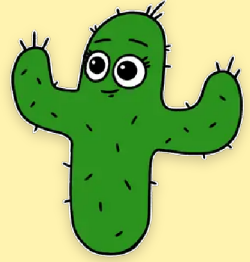
☐ make the far one smallest ☐ put the far one higher up ☐ add less detail far away

How do artists make things look far away?

One Tree, Three Moods

Same tree, three different feelings. What will you change each time?

Name: _____ Date: _____



Happy

Stormy

Mysterious

Things I changed:

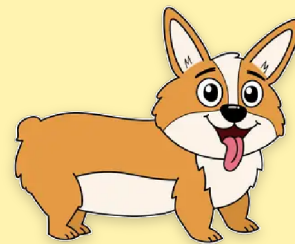
☐ colors ☐ lines ☐ sky ☐ weather ☐ size ☐ details

The biggest change that made a mood was...

Portrait of a Friend

Look at your partner's face. Where are the eyes? How long is the hair? Draw what you see!

Name: _____ Date: _____



My friend's portrait

I looked at...

- ☐ eye color
- ☐ hair
- ☐ eyebrows
- ☐ nose
- ☐ smile
- ☐ ears
- ☐ glasses or freckles

Something that shows who they are (a hobby, a pet, a favorite thing):

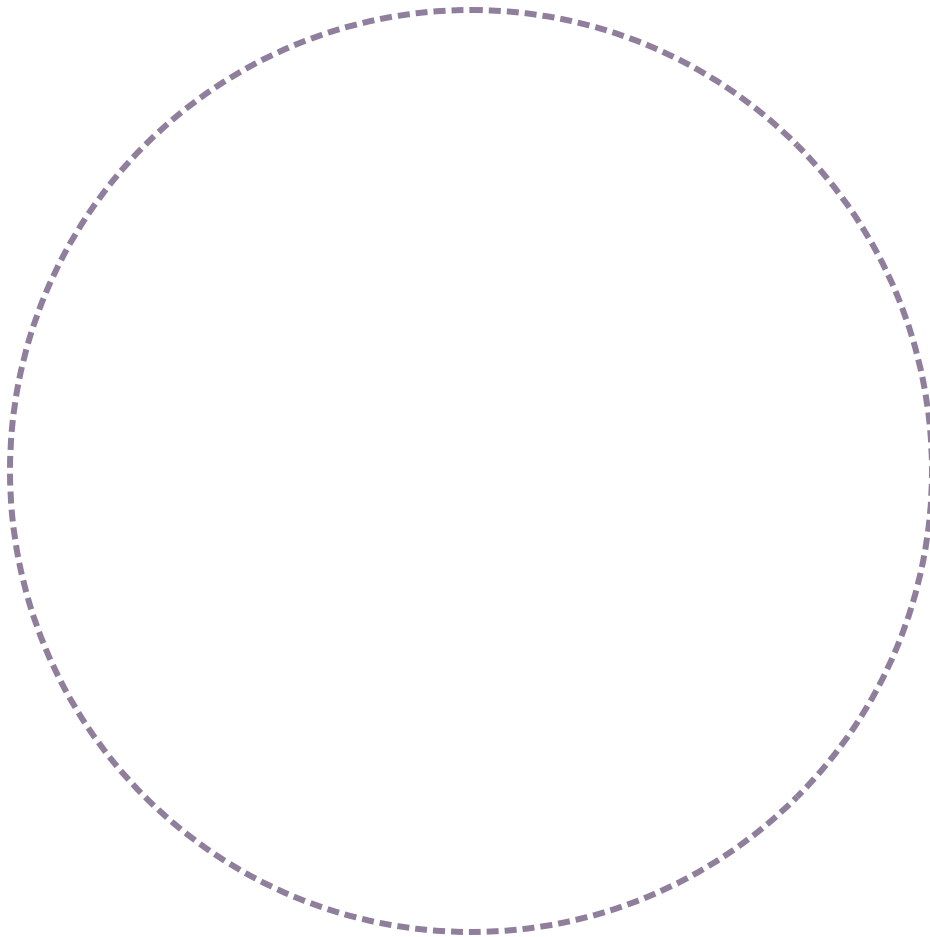
Mirror Self-Portrait

Look in a mirror and draw exactly what you see. Then make it yours!

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Me, in the mirror



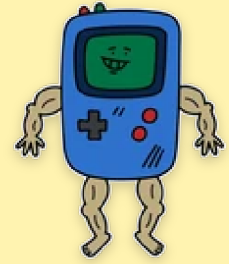
Three words that describe me:

The colors I chose and why:

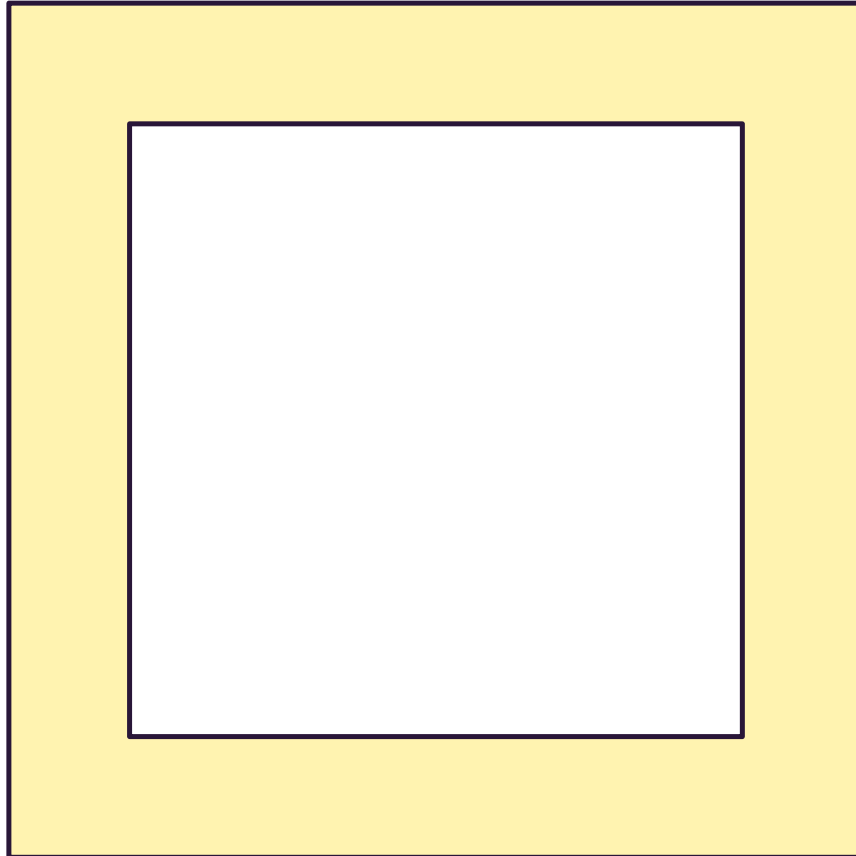
Write a Museum Label

Your art is in a museum! Draw it, then write the label visitors will read.

Name: _____ Date: _____



My masterpiece



The museum label

Title: _____

Artist: _____

Made with: _____

About it: _____

Gallery Walk Notes

Walk slowly. Look closely. Write down what you notice and what you wonder.

Name: _____ Date: _____



Four artworks I visited

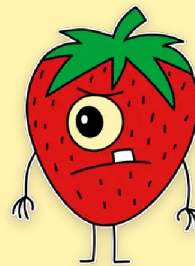
Artist	I noticed...	I would ask...

The piece I keep thinking about is... because...

Still Life Setup

Pick three things, set them up and draw what you see. Notice which ones are in front!

Name: _____ Date: _____



My still life (three objects)

I drew...

☐ one thing in front of another ☐ a shadow ☐ the table edge ☐ light and dark

What I chose and why:

Draw What You Hear

Close your eyes and listen. What do the sounds look like?

Name: _____ Date: _____



Song 1

Song 2

Song 3

I used...

☐ fast lines ☐ slow lines ☐ bright colors ☐ dark colors ☐ dots ☐ swirls

My favorite song looked like... because...

Only Dots!

No lines allowed! Build your whole picture out of dots.

Name: _____ Date: _____



My dot picture

I tried...

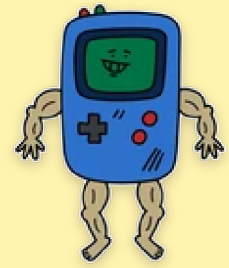
- ☐ dots close together ☐ dots far apart ☐ two colors side by side ☐ big and small dots

What happens when you step back and look?

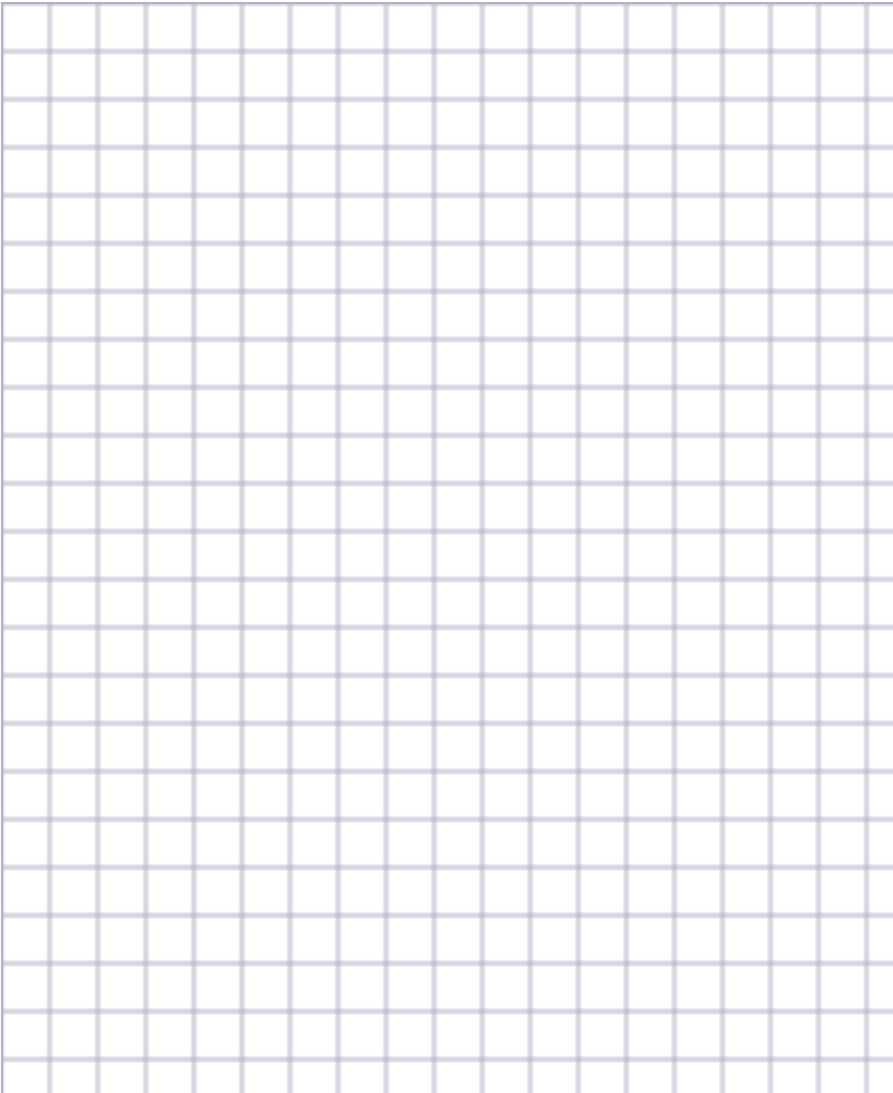
Pixel Picture

Fill whole squares only. Can you make a character that looks like it's from a video game?

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My pixel picture



My colors

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

The hardest part to show with squares was...

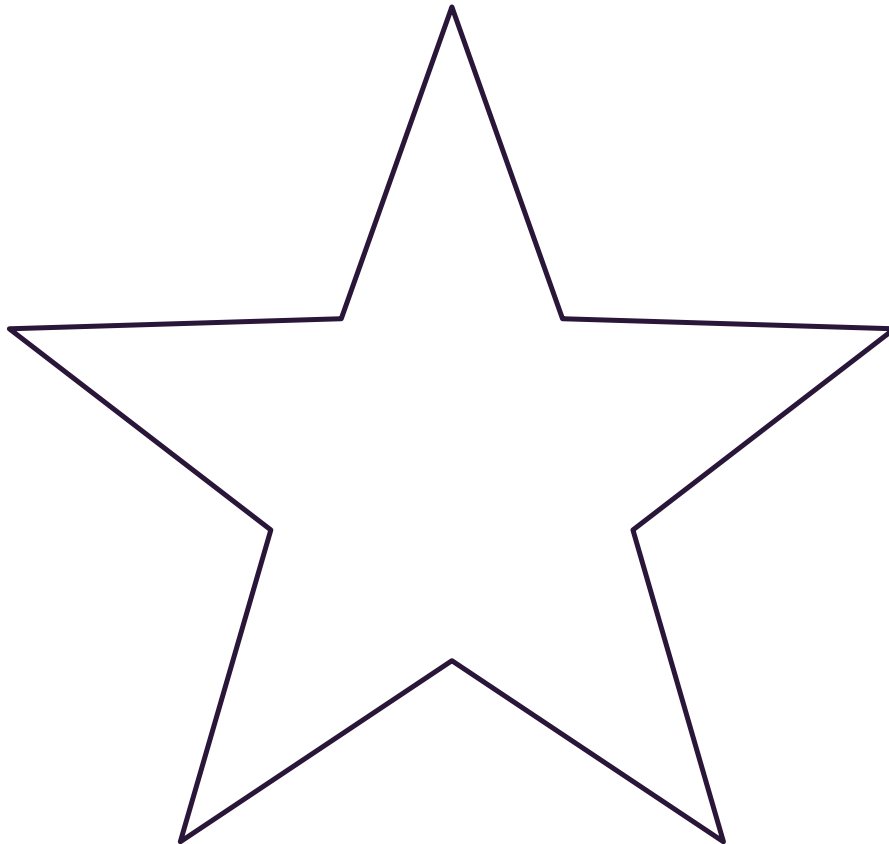
Fill It with Patterns

Draw a few lines across the star to make sections. Fill each section with its own pattern.

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Split it up, then fill every part



Patterns I used

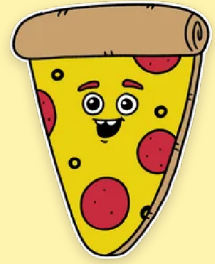
1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____

How did it feel to draw slowly?

Collage Planner

Sketch your collage first, then gather your scraps!

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My collage plan

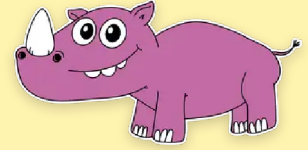
Materials I will use:

- ☐ colored paper ☐ magazine pages ☐ fabric ☐ tissue paper ☐ buttons ☐ string
☐ foil

What changed when I built it?

Sculpture from Three Sides

Sculptures have more than one side! Plan yours from three views.



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Front

Side

Top

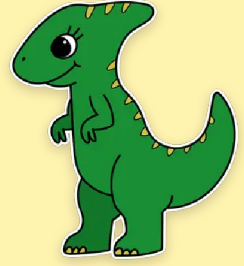
Shapes I need to roll or pinch

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

What I learned when I built it:

Action Lines

Cartoonists add little lines to show movement. Make your character zoom!



Name: _____ Date: _____

Running

Jumping

Spinning

I used...

☐ speed lines ☐ dust clouds ☐ swirls ☐ wobble lines ☐ sweat drops

Which action looks the fastest? Why?

Lettering Lab

Letters can be art too! Write your name in a different style in each card.

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My name, four ways

Style: _____

Style: _____

Style: _____

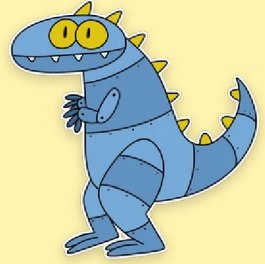
Style: _____

Which style fits me best? Why?

Design a Logo

A great logo is simple and easy to remember. Make one for something you invent!

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My club, team or business is called:

Idea 1

Idea 2

Idea 3

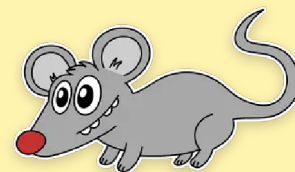
My final logo

The colors mean...

One-Minute Sketches

Ready, set, draw! You only get one minute for each box.

Name: _____ Date: _____



One minute each: a shoe, a cup, a hand, a chair, a pet, a plant

1

2

3

4

5

6

What did you leave out to finish in time?

Memory, Then Look

First draw it from your memory. Then look closely and try again. What changed?

Name: _____ Date: _____



The thing I drew:

From memory

Looking at the real thing

Things I missed the first time

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Upside-Down Drawing Trick

Don't turn the page! Copy the upside-down character line by line, then flip it over.

Name: _____ Date: _____



Copy this, upside down



My copy (keep it upside down too)

When I flipped it, I was:



Shocked



Happy



Surprised



Unsure

Why do you think this trick works?

Grow a Drawing

Begin with one shape. Add a bit more in each box. Watch it grow!

Name: _____ Date: _____



Step by step

Step 1

Step 2

Step 3

Step 4

Teach someone: first I..., then I...

Artist Trading Cards

Make tiny art, then trade! Sign the bottom of every card.

Name: _____ Date: _____



Four tiny artworks to cut out and trade

Title: _____

Artist: _____

Title: _____

Artist: _____

Title: _____

Artist: _____

Title: _____

Artist: _____

I traded with: _____

Questions for an Illustrator

Pretend you're interviewing the person who drew your favorite book.
What would you ask?



Name: _____ Date: _____

My interview questions

I would ask...	I guess they would say...

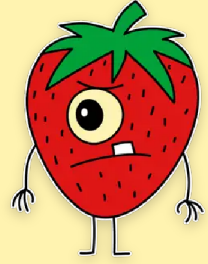
Draw the illustrator at work

A tip I think they would give me:

Only Three Colors

Choose three colors. That's all you get! Make your best picture with them.

Name: _____ Date: _____



Color 1 (swatch)

Color 2 (swatch)

Color 3 (swatch)

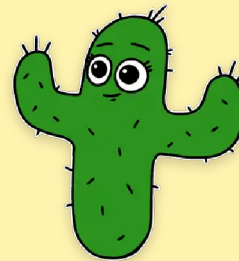
My three-color picture

A clever trick I used to make three colors go further:

Negative Space Detective

Look at the holes and gaps, not the object. Shade in the empty spaces!

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Shade only the spaces around a chair

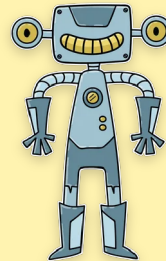
Now try a plant or a pair of scissors

What did you notice when you drew the spaces?

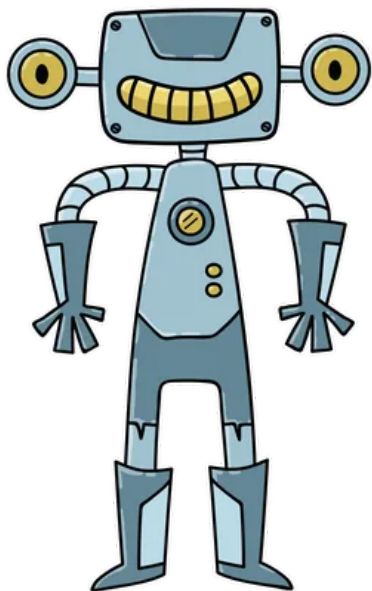
Build a Character from Shapes

Kevin's robot is made of shapes! Count them, then build your own character.

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Find the shapes



How many?

Circles _____ = _____

Squares _____ = _____

Rectangles _____ = _____

Triangles _____ = _____

My character made of shapes

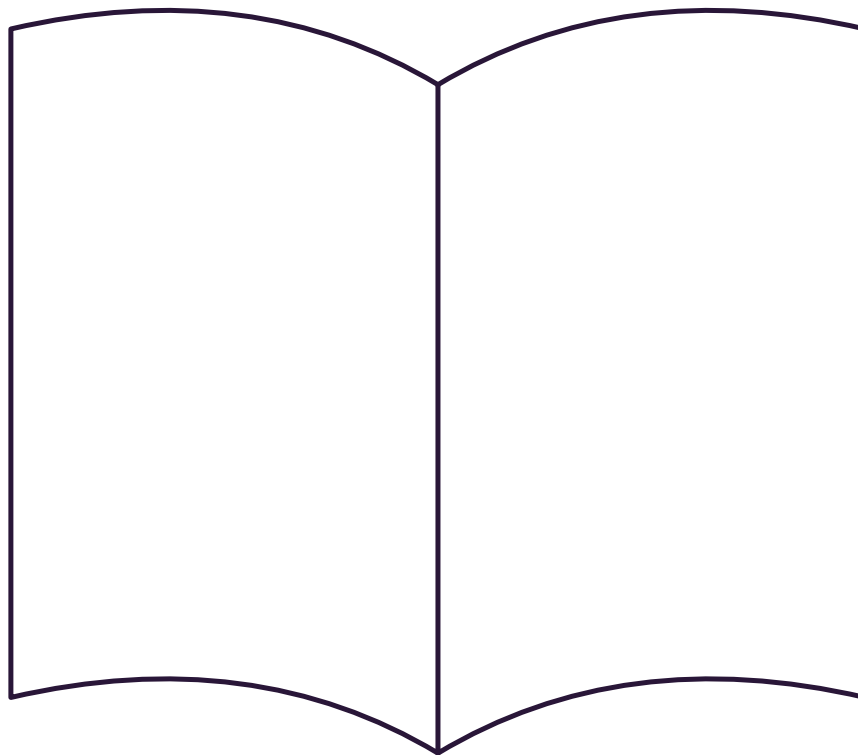
Design My Sketchbook Cover

Your sketchbook needs a cover. Make it say something about you!

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My sketchbook cover



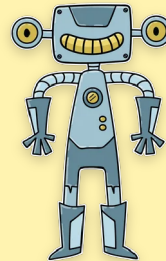
The title of my sketchbook:

The first thing I will draw inside:

Art Supply Review

You are an art supply tester! Try each one, then give it stars.

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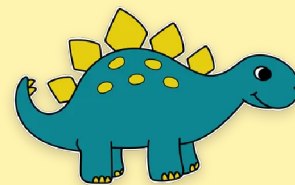
Supply test results

Supply	Best for...	Stars (1–5)
Crayons		
Markers		
Colored pencils		
Paint		
Chalk or pastel		

If I could only keep one supply, I'd pick... because...

Which Way Is the Light?

The arrow shows where the light comes from. Shade the side the light can't reach.



Name: _____ Date: _____

Light from the left →

← Light from the right

Light from the top ↓

In each one I drew...

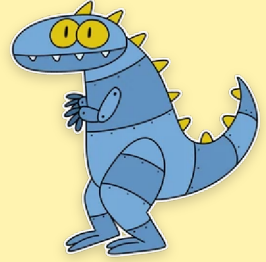
☐ a bright spot ☐ a dark side ☐ a shadow on the ground

The shadow always goes... because...

One-Point Road

Put a dot on the horizon. Every line on the road runs toward that dot!

Name: _____ Date: _____



Horizon line, one dot, and a road that runs to it

What happens to things as they get close to the dot?

Art Hunt

Art is hiding everywhere! How many of these can you find?

Name: _____ Date: _____



I found...

- ☐ a painting ☐ a mural ☐ a pattern on the floor ☐ a logo ☐ a sculpture
☐ a poster ☐ art made by a kid ☐ a beautiful shadow ☐ a cool letter shape

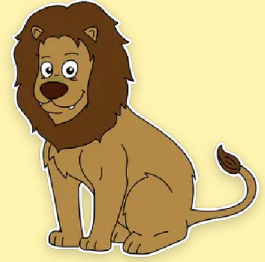
Sketch the best art I found

Where was it? Why did I like it?

Thumbnail Sketches

Small and fast! Try the same idea four ways, then pick the best one.

Name: _____ Date: _____



My idea:

Four tiny layouts

1

2

3

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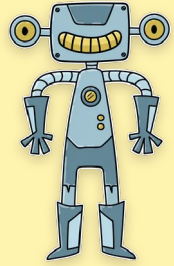
The big version of my favorite

I picked number...
because...

Straight or Curvy?

Box one: straight lines only. Box two: curvy lines only. Box three: anything goes!

Name: _____ Date: _____



Straight lines only

Curvy lines only

Both!

Straight lines look... Curvy lines look...
