

Leo the Lion's Poetry Garden

Learning objective: To express ideas creatively and use descriptive vocabulary to label a drawing based on a poem.

Leo the Lion has written a poem about his beautiful garden. Read the poem below with an adult, then follow the instructions to draw what you hear in your mind!

Draw: Draw a large, sunny garden scene. Include a bright golden sun in the corner, a big colourful flower in the middle, and a small buzzing bee flying near the flower. Use bright, happy colours for the grass and leaves. Add labels to your drawing using the words from the word bank.



Label words: sunshine · flower · bright · buzzing · green · happy

Steps:

1. Leo says the sun is 'golden'. What colour will you use to draw the sun?
2. Who is the buzzing creature visiting the flower in Leo's poem?
3. How many flowers will you draw in your garden?
4. If you could add one more thing to Leo's garden, what would it be?
5. Can you think of a rhyming word for 'bright'? (Hint: Think of the night sky!)