

World Book Day: My Favourite Story Scene

Learning objective: To use sketching techniques to illustrate a scene from a favourite book and add labels to describe the setting.

Follow the steps below to draw your favourite story scene. Use your pencil to sketch lightly first. Add detail to show where the story takes place.

Draw: Draw a scene from a book you love. Start by sketching your main character in the centre. Fill the background with the setting of the story. Use lines to show texture, like rough bark on a tree or soft fur on an animal. Include at least three objects that are important to the story.



Label words: Character · Setting · Background · Foreground · Expression · Detail

Steps:

1. Step 1: Draw a large circle in the middle of your page. This will be the head of your main character. Add two eyes and a smile.
2. Step 2: Draw the setting behind your character. Is it a forest, a castle, or a space station? Add one big item from the story.
3. Step 3: Label your drawing using three words from the word bank to show the different parts of your art.
4. Step 4: Use a coloured pencil to add one pattern to your character's clothes. What pattern did you

choose?