

Illustrate Your Story

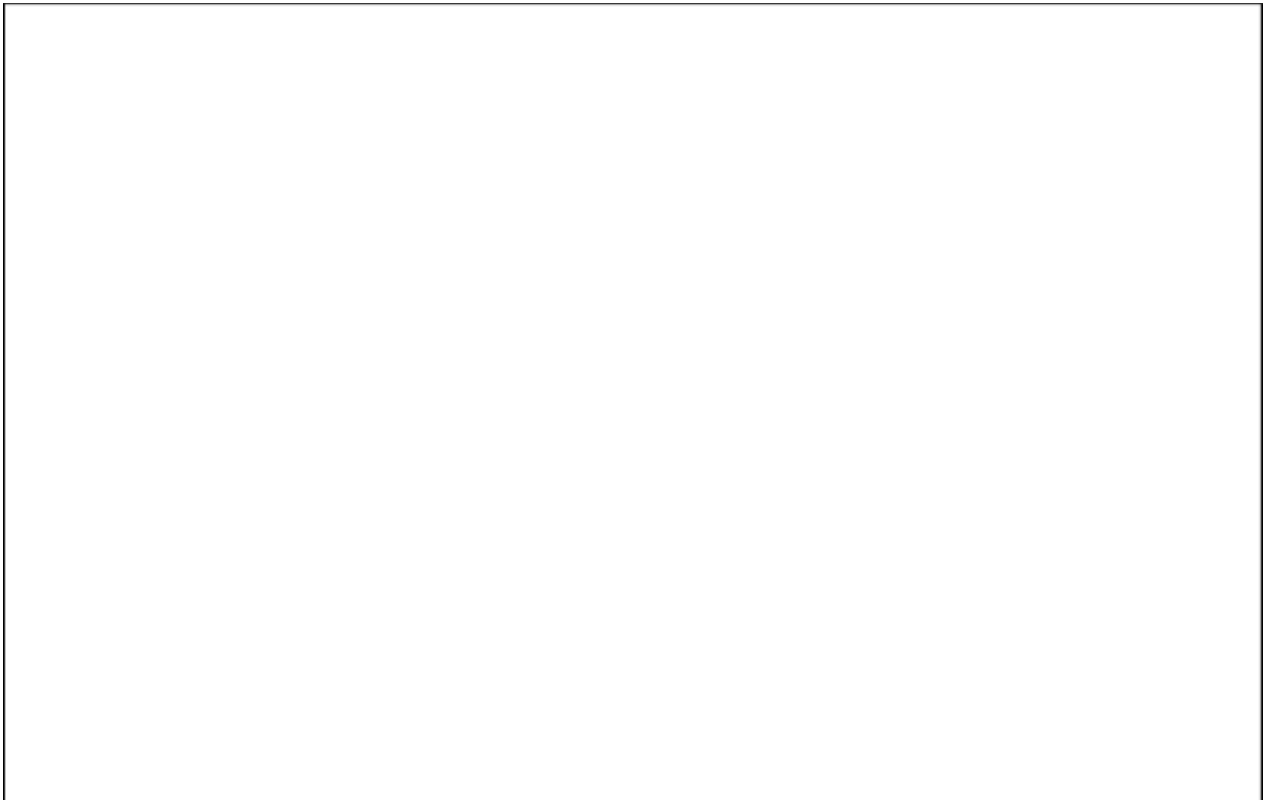
Art can be used to communicate personal experiences and share our life stories with others. After writing a story about a personal experience, choose one scene or part of your story to illustrate. Consider the following:

- What part of the story is the most important to you?
- What is the climax of the story?
- What would you like someone to understand about your story from looking at an illustration?

Sketch: In the space below, make at least 3 thumbnail sketches (small, quick drawings) to explore ideas for your illustration. You will choose your favorite idea to develop into your final artwork. Consider these questions as you create your sketches:

- What is the setting?
- What is the time of day?
- What is in the foreground, middle ground, and background of the artwork?
- What colors will you use to tell your story and create a mood?
- What emotions do the characters in your story experience? How will you show these emotions in their facial expressions or body language?

Thumbnail Sketch 1



Thumbnail Sketch 2



Thumbnail Sketch 3

