

LESSON PLAN

AT-HOME ART PROJECT: Me and My Favorite Book INSTRUCTIONS

MATERIALS NEEDED FROM HOME:

- Pencil
- Paper
- Coloring materials of your choice

ART PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

Do you like to spend time reading? Artists from Rembrandt to Picasso have created paintings showing people reading. This type of art is called a portrait. In fact, the author Bob Raczka has written a book titled *Artful Reading* showing a collection of many famous artists portraits of people reading for kids. In this project you can create a self-portrait reading your favorite part of the book.

PROMPT QUESTIONS:

Do you have a favorite book? Why do you enjoy it so much? Is it an adventure, mystery, or biography? Can you describe the most exciting, informative, or funny part of the story?

ART MAKING PROCESS:

STEP 1:

- Think about your favorite book and what type of story it tells. What kind of emotions does this book make you feel?

STEP 2:

- Using the step-by-step page on how to draw a portrait with an open book or your own imagination draw yourself with your book.

STEP 3:

- When it is time to draw your face pause and think about how you might look when you are reading your favorite part. Are you laughing, serious, surprised, or serious? Think about how these expressions would change the shape of your mouth, the size of your eyes, or the wrinkles in your nose. Now, draw this expression.
- Remember if you don't have any colors to use right now it's okay to use just a pencil to create your drawing. The pencil drawing will create something that in art we call monochromatic.

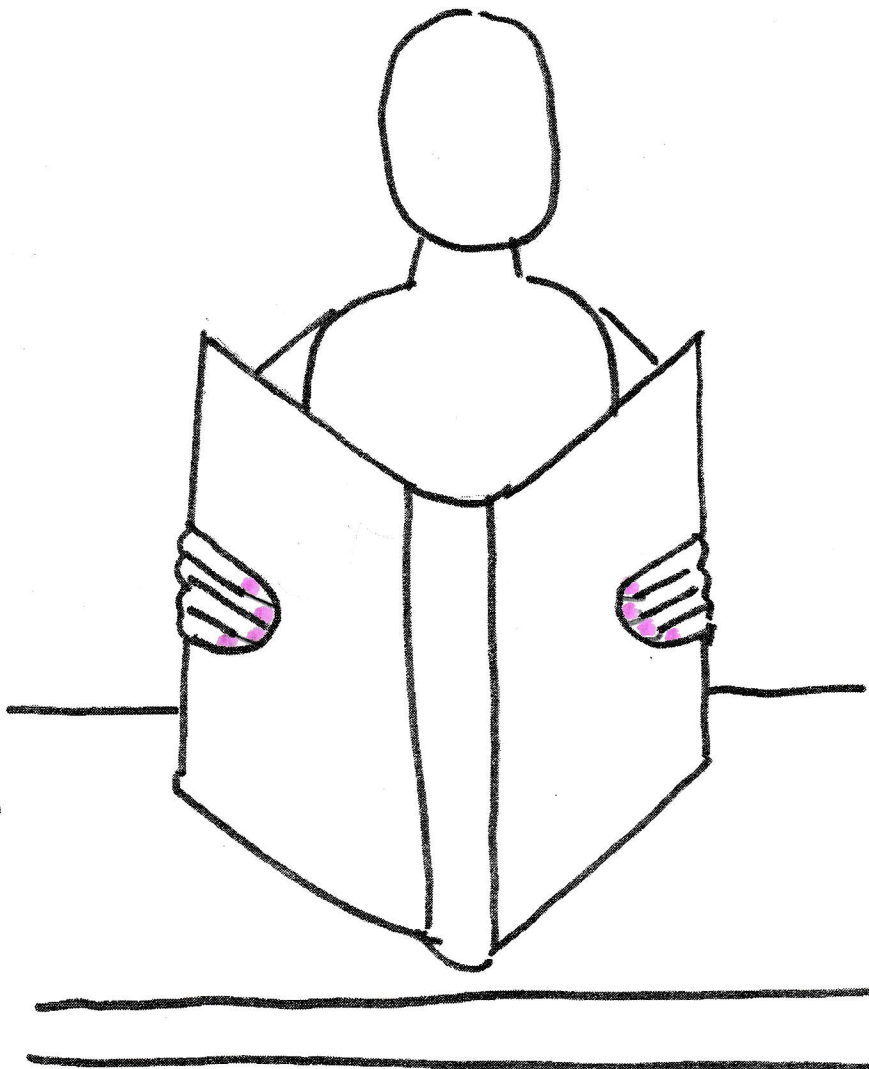
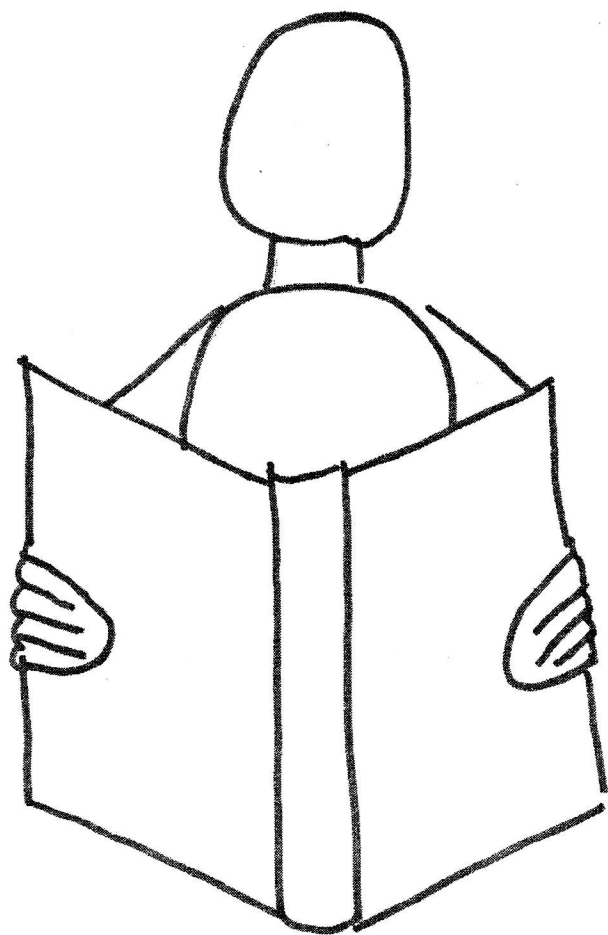
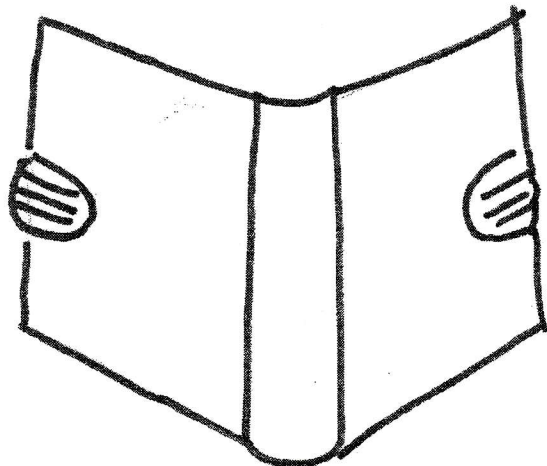
STEP 4:

- Have FUN and be CREATIVE! Remember there is no wrong in art because it come from you and you are special just the way you are.

STEP 5:

- Don't forget to sign and date your finished artwork!

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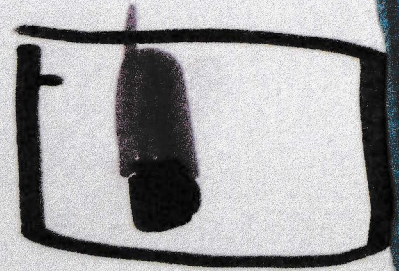
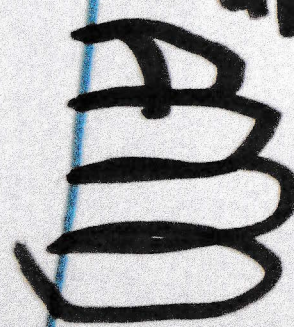




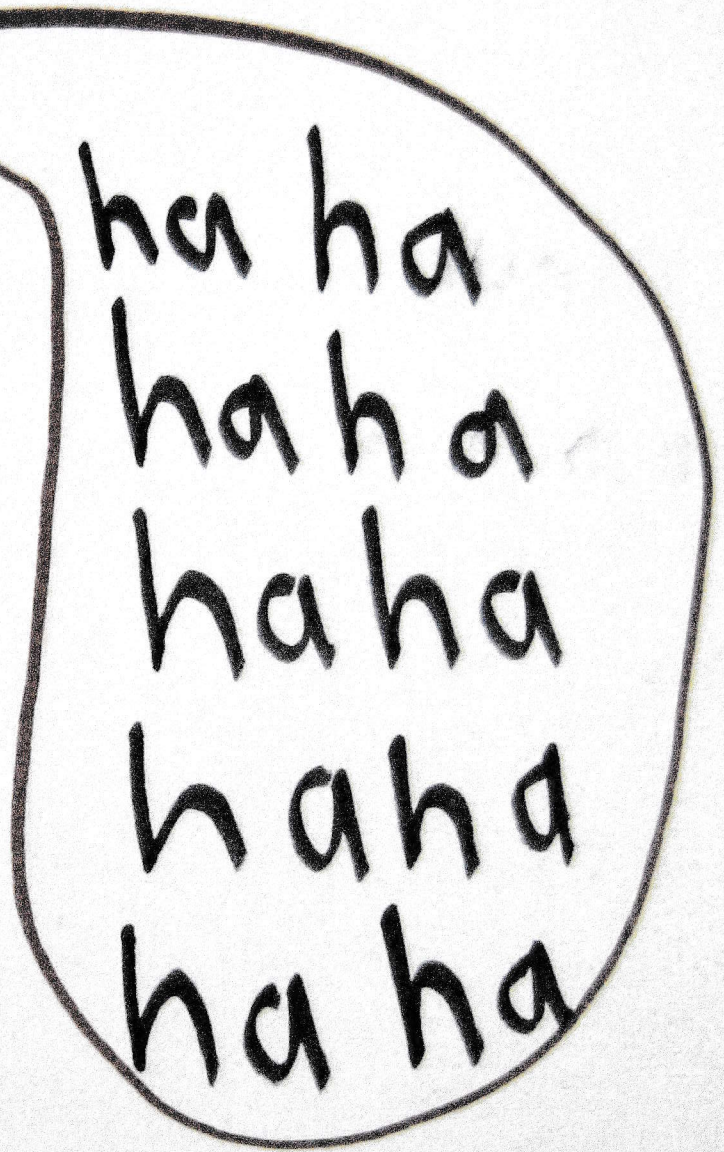
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