

2017 'How To' Living Lines

This year's Big Draw Festival is designed to get your marks moving!

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The Big Draw is back to promote visual literacy and the universal language of drawing as a tool for learning, expression and invention. It is time to get everyone drawing and **we have decided to get animated!**

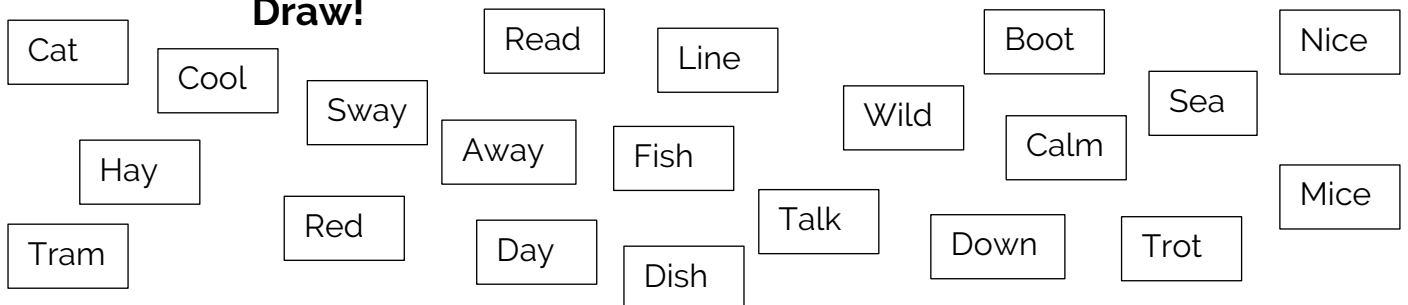
You will need:

- A4 white paper
- A5 coloured paper
- Pencils, crayons or pens
- Ruler
- Scissors
- Glue

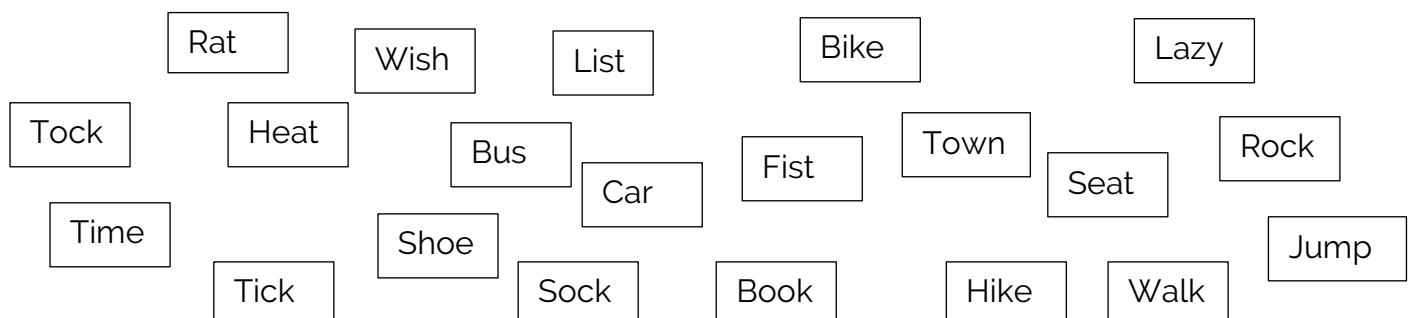
Step 1:

Think of a pair of four letter words you can illustrate. **Your words could be:** food, drink, colours, plants, the weather, animals, transport, an action, characters, clothing or hobbies, but should only be **four letters or less**, for example:

**Blue Sky, Warm Sun, Grey Rain, High Hill, Sly Fox, Mad Dog, Frog King,
Busy Bee, Lazy Cat, Good Brew, Tall Cake, Pop Art, Land Ahoy or Big
Draw!**



Here are some other words that you could pair together and illustrate



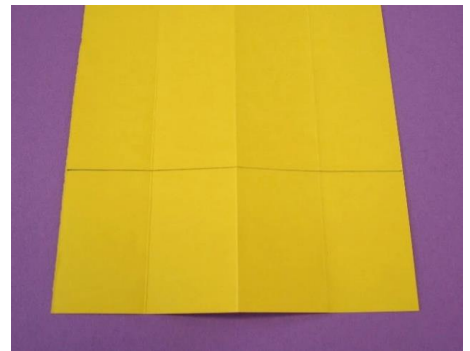
Step 2: Write your chosen words here:

First Word				Second Word			



Take a piece of **A5 coloured paper** and **measure 6 cm up from the base of the short edge**. Draw a pencil line across where you have measured, this is where you will **write your second word**.

Fold the paper in to quarters lengthways then re-open the paper. **Write the letters** of your second word **in each panel**.



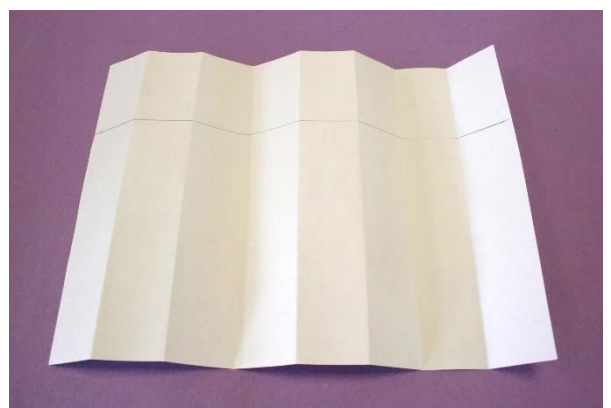
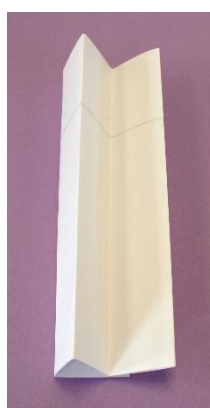
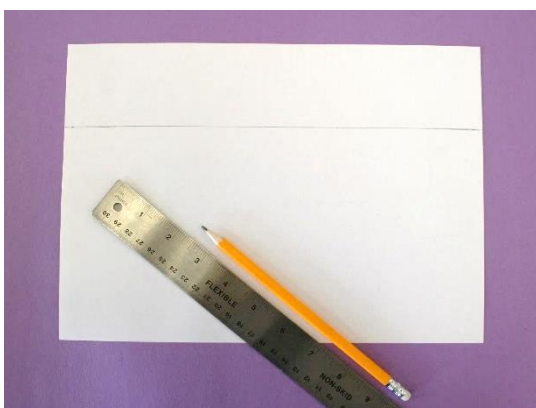
Now **draw your image above each letter**, making it **move in every step**.



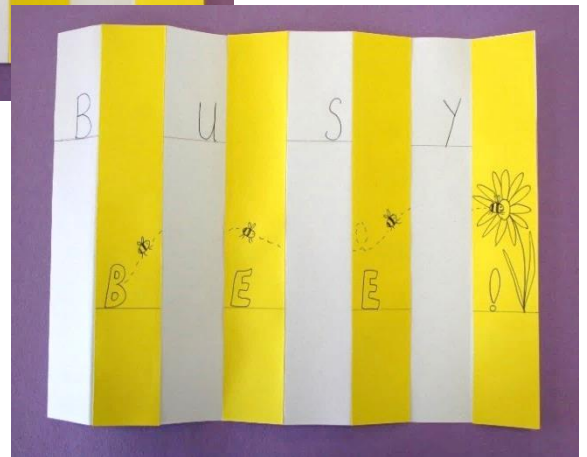
Cut the paper along the folds so you have **four separate strips**.

Step 3:

Take the **A4 white paper** and **measure 6 cm down from the top of the long edge** and draw a pencil line, this is where you will **write your first word**. **Fold the paper in half lengthways**, keep folding in half, 3 times in total **until the paper is divided in to eight strips**, then open it out again.

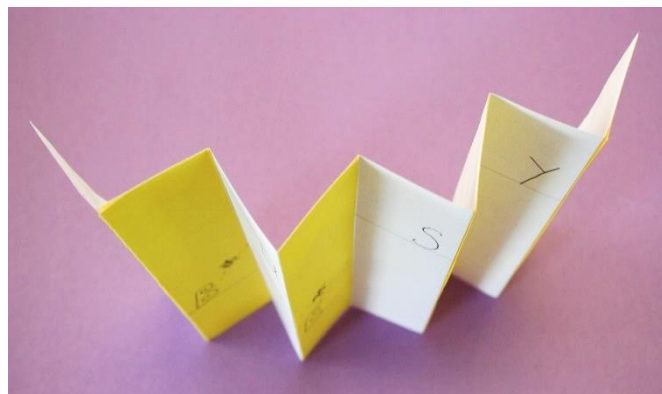
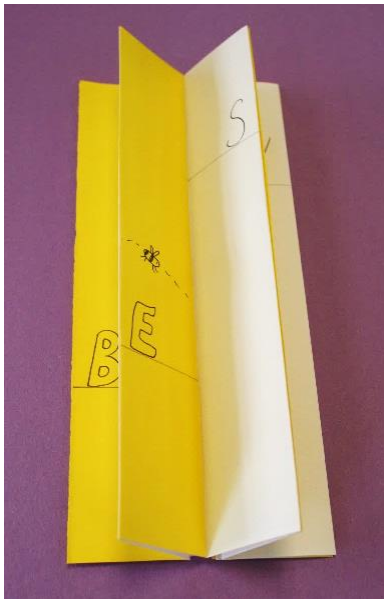


Starting from the second strip on the left **stick the coloured strips of paper alternatively on to the white piece of paper**, making sure they are in the correct order. You should now have stripy paper. **Write your first word** in the separate panels along the top line **on the white parts of the paper**.

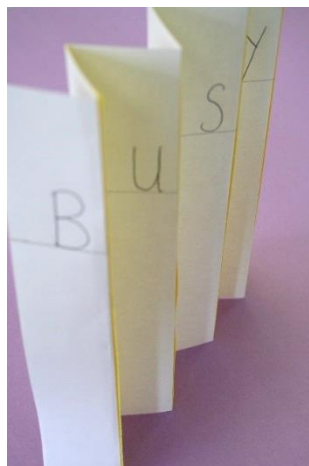


Step 4:

Fold the whole sheet of paper again along the original folds, this time as a **concertina**, this will make the paper zig zag.

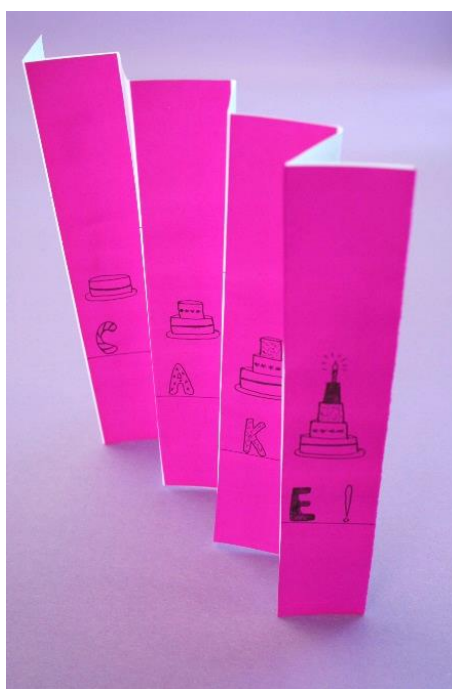
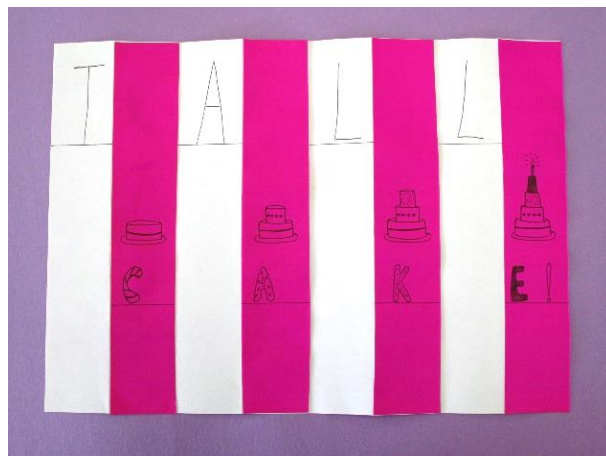


Look to the right and you will **see your first word** then **look from the left** and the **second word** with your **illustrations** will be revealed!



Extra hints and tips:

- Draw your letters using different styles to help describe the words, such as long and thin, bubble or block lettering.
- Colour in and decorate the drawing to help bring the illustrations to life.
- Try illustrating both words, the first half of the story will only be on the white strips and the second will be on the coloured strips.
- **REMEMBER to have fun!**



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