CREATE A COMIC STRIP!

COMIC STRIP MAKER

STEP 1 Find inspiration for your main characters. A pet? A friend? A family member? Be sure to come up with an original name for each!

STEP 2 Sketch the characters using the template on page 2. They should each look distinct so that readers don't confuse them.

STEP 3 Use the graphic organizer below to map out events in your story.

STEP 4 Consider how to organize the main events into the frames provided on page 3.

STEP 5 Draw your characters and add dialogue. Then add speech bubbles around the dialogue!

STEP 6 Add color to your comic. Leave some frames black and white and mix up your color scheme!

GRAPHIC ORGANIZER

Use this template to plan the events and sequence of your finished comic strip on the following page.

MY COMIC TITLE: _____

PANEL 1:
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PANEL 2:
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PANEL 3:
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PANEL 4:
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PANEL 6:
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Name

Date

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CHARACTER STUDY

Use this template to sketch the characters you plan to include in your comic strip. Use the back of the page if you need additonal space.

CHARACTER 1:

CHARACTER 2:

CHARACTER 3:

CHARACTER 4:

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Use this template to draw your final comic.

MY COMIC: _____