

642

THINGS TO ILLUSTRATE/DESIGN

The purpose:

To become an artist you must practice your craft. It is my hope that through this exercise you will not only improve techniques but that you will become inspired, explore the world around you, and find yourself as an artist.

How it works:

- The following pages contain 642 ideas of things to illustrate.
- Over the course of the year, you will be required to complete 20 digital sketches per semester using Photoshop/Illustrator/ Tablet or just one for a total of 40 illustrations by the end of the school year.
- You may not illustrate the same idea twice.
- The illustrations that you do must be thoughtful, detailed, and creative.
- You will be graded on completion and effort.
- Consider what topics would work as contours or need added value (color vs black and white).
- Any illustrations that are not thoughtful, detailed, or done with a medium that is not appropriate will count for partial or no credit.
- You must include your name, the number and idea in the title each illustration when saving. Illustrations not labeled will not count.
- At the end of the semester you will turn in your illustrations to a folder on the flash drive with this packet for grading. The Art Department will not replace lost packets. It is available on the class website for printing outside of school.
- Total possible points for this project is 40 points each semester but will count as a project grade (2 points per drawing).

Example of illustration pages:



1. a rolling pin
2. a hammock
3. an anchor
4. a skunk
5. a desk chair
6. Van Gogh's ear
7. a sandwich
8. a string quartet
9. an ottoman
10. a bottle opener
11. a fire escape
12. luminescent plankton
13. beneficial bacteria
14. a cabin
15. shrubbery
16. mushrooms
17. Bob Marley
18. a full house
19. bubbles
20. fangs
21. a pickle
22. an ironing board
23. a dolphin
24. a paper clip
25. a trumpet
26. a burrito
27. tube socks
28. a crayon
29. a robot
30. a roller coaster
31. a mosquito
32. fruit cocktail
33. a peg leg
34. a spigot
35. a balloon
36. head in the clouds
37. the Milky Way
38. a knot
39. an old key
40. a submarine
41. a tulip
42. a gold medal
43. synchronized swimmers
44. pom-poms
45. a synthesizer
46. a paper airplane
47. a water tower
48. a surfboard

49. New Jersey
50. Fiji
51. a layer cake
52. a panda
53. a mime
54. Charlie Chaplin
55. a penguin
56. a seagull
57. David Bowie
58. a sensitive cowboy
59. a leopard
60. an anatomy chart
61. a tree limb
62. a ship in a bottle
63. a mouth
64. brass knuckles
65. an ear of corn
66. costume jewelry
67. a mirage
68. smoke
69. mold
70. a rainbow
71. a dollar bill
72. a bone
73. a glass of milk
74. a teapot
75. weeds
76. dance steps
77. a turkey leg
78. a pencil
79. a picket fence
80. a Tiffany lamp
81. the Empire State Building
82. a stalagmite
83. a stalactite
84. a kiss
85. a ladybug
86. a helmet
87. a paw print
88. a Martian
89. a T-shirt
90. a cinder block
91. swim fins
92. a ripe banana
93. a barbell
94. a tennis racket
95. Japan
96. a spiral staircase

97. a ponytail
98. a campfire
99. a squirrel
100. a thumb
101. a book
102. girlish laughter
103. tangled ribbons
104. noodles
105. best friends
106. worst enemies
107. bunting
108. an accordion
109. a log
110. a melting candle
111. a phone booth
112. a geode
113. dice
114. ointment
115. a bucket
116. a digital watch
117. a bicycle
118. a cassette tape
119. a library card
120. a corn dog with mustard
121. mittens
122. a pocket
123. a bunch of grapes
124. a vending machine
125. a typewriter
126. a flamingo
127. a kebab
128. shelves
129. a necklace
130. a dirty rag
131. a scallion pancake
132. a time machine
133. a Tyrannosaurus rex
134. a music box
135. a candelabra
136. a quarter
137. a bulldog
138. a fairy
139. a ball of yarn
140. a haircut
141. an electric guitar
142. confetti
143. a pair of scissors
144. a bandage
145. a watermelon
146. bacon
147. a newsboy cap
148. a seed pod
149. a board game
150. daffodils
151. an onion
152. a slinky
153. a keychain
154. a sand castle
155. leftovers
156. a ghost
157. a vampire
158. a football
159. a lightbulb
160. a horseshoe
161. a pug
162. the Sunday paper
163. a helicopter
164. a warthog
165. a basket
166. a skateboard
167. sea spray
168. seaweed
169. hills and valleys
170. an umbrella
171. a Christmas tree
172. a hamburger
173. sunglasses
174. a seal
175. twenty thousand leagues under the sea
176. a shooting star
177. handprints
178. a rotary phone
179. a top hat
180. a turtle
181. a baseball
182. flags
183. an airplane
184. a microphone
185. a county fair
186. a saxophone
187. an ice cream cone
188. a marble
189. a weathervane
190. a lunchbox
191. a pound
192. a trolley car
193. cat whiskers
194. a cleaver

195. electricity
196. a Quonset hut
197. a treasure chest
198. binoculars
199. a pumpkin
200. a chalkboard
201. stiletto heels
202. a crowd
203. a pile of trees
204. a zombie
205. french fries
206. a caterpillar
207. a watering can
208. a cactus
209. coral
210. playing cards
211. a celebration
212. a constellation
213. the northern lights
214. bonbons
215. a wink
216. an inchworm
217. a knife
218. a kite
219. the Olympics
220. a box of tissues
221. a balloon animal
222. a spiral-bound notebook
223. a salt shaker
224. a bearded lady
225. a wrinkle
226. a box of kittens
227. a slug
228. a shadow
229. a winter hat
230. a puzzle
231. a diving board
232. a spoon
233. a cuttlefish
234. rain
235. eyelashes
236. a unicorn
237. a diaper
238. a bottle cap
239. Queen Victoria
240. a baguette
241. a bird feeder
242. a ladder
243. a parade
244. running shoes
245. bowling shoes
246. an apple tree
247. a storm
248. a fan
249. a princess crown
250. broccoli
251. a sarcophagus
252. a stick of butter
253. a sled
254. a flattop
255. a tattoo
256. a bonnet
257. a baseball glove
258. Elvis
259. a rubber duck
260. a milk carton
261. a diamond ring
262. feelings
263. mom
264. dad
265. a drunken sailor
266. a police officer
267. snowshoes
268. a necktie
269. a bowler hat
270. a unicycle
271. a frog
272. a paper coffee cup
273. a circuit board
274. a waterslide
275. spilled milk
276. molten lava
277. a spaceship
278. a sound wave
279. clogs
280. an open/closed sign
281. the view from an airplane window
282. knitting needles
283. the Little Prince
284. a box of cereal
285. toes
286. chips and dip
287. a newt
288. a moustache
289. cheese
290. a face full of character
291. an ugly duckling
292. a laser

293. the Leaning Tower of Pisa
294. scrambled eggs
295. a caribou
296. an eyeball
297. a chimney
298. a drum kit
299. a battleship
300. whirling dervishes
301. building blocks
302. a fashion model
303. fancy pants
304. hot springs
305. steak and potatoes
306. a spool of thread
307. the wild blue yonder
308. a rabbit
309. a boom box
310. a bird's nest
311. a power tool
312. a butterfly
313. toast
314. a computer
315. an eye patch
316. a crab apple
317. a golf ball
318. cutlery
319. a Q-tip
320. chocolate truffles
321. an office park
322. a sock monkey
323. a clock tower
324. a snorkel
325. a scorpion
326. a sardine tin
327. a secret door
328. a compound fracture
329. a bookstore
330. dumplings
331. a prom dress
332. a bowl of pudding
333. a director's chair
334. a beetle
335. a water jug
336. your least favorite food
337. a turntable
338. a wheel of fortune
339. a fainting goat
340. a dumpster
341. a parasite
342. lipstick
343. an oasis
344. a frying pan
345. potato salad
346. buttons
347. a lumberjack
348. an artichoke
349. a flower
350. a teacup
351. a map
352. a moose
353. a palm tree
354. a bear family
355. the Black Forest
356. the periodic table
357. a keyboard
358. an anteater
359. a comet
360. a globe
361. Noah's ark
362. popcorn
363. mac and cheese
364. the moon
365. an apron
366. an antelope
367. petroleum jelly
368. an uneventful street
369. bricks
370. a wormhole
371. a black hole
372. perfume
373. a giraffe
374. a chainsaw
375. cotton candy
376. a sidewalk
377. a ticket
378. a barrel of monkeys
379. a real estate agent
380. tears
381. first love
382. middle school
383. a lock
384. a tongue
385. Puget Sound
386. peanut butter
387. a cranky old man
388. roller skates
389. a pillow
390. a gnome

391. a bully
392. a puppet
393. an opera singer
394. alphabet soup
395. a lollipop
396. a motel
397. contrails
398. a hanger
399. a string of DNA
400. a squid
401. a stick of gum
402. a ballpoint pen
403. a cornucopia
404. a gravestone
405. teeth
406. icicles
407. a snout
408. a cabbage patch
409. an inner tube
410. an elephant
411. an Egyptian pyramid
412. a narwhal
413. a swimming pool
414. fresh air
415. an iceberg
416. a cello
417. a stoplight
418. mistakes
419. a dream
420. a nightmare
421. a fire truck
422. a tea bag
423. tiny ballerinas
424. an electrical outlet
425. a game-show host
426. a technological diagram
427. footprints
428. a stain
429. laundry
430. a porcupine
431. Alfred Hitchcock
432. bugs
433. a thumbtack
434. a cupcake
435. a steak
436. a pirate flag
437. a bowling pin
438. a loading crane
439. a reflection
440. a jungle
441. a tube of toothpaste
442. a turnip
443. a trailer
444. an orb
445. a long-playing record
446. a centaur
447. Mount Rushmore
448. a labyrinth
449. your pinky finger
450. a woolly mammoth
451. a boss
452. an ashtray
453. a walnut
454. a burlap sack
455. mismatched earrings
456. freckles
457. a swimsuit
458. a chessboard
459. a tetherball
460. root beer
461. dimples
462. a poodle
463. a box car
464. donuts
465. a church
466. an architect
467. nails
468. a cowbell
469. a bus stop
470. leisure wear
471. a huge gold frame
472. a whisper
473. a scream
474. a jellyfish
475. a skeleton
476. a toaster
477. a hummingbird
478. a condiment
479. a safety pin
480. a garden
481. lucky charms
482. a partner in crime
483. the man in the moon
484. platform shoes
485. a quilt
486. a doily
487. vitamins
488. a belt buckle

489. a container ship
490. a scoundrel
491. crutches
492. a dandy
493. a waterfall
494. a circus
495. a troll
496. a deserted island
497. an owl
498. a beaker
499. a jumper
500. a pearl
501. a broken toy
502. a seashell
503. a feathered hat
504. an amoeba
505. tie-dye
506. a bobsledder
507. a houseboat
508. a gourd
509. a saint
510. a playsuit
511. an orphan
512. a bow and arrow
513. a pinecone
514. curtains
515. a chorus line
516. a wallet
517. a messenger bag
518. shrimp cocktail
519. an eggbeater
520. a sheep
521. a blackberry bush
522. spats
523. dignity
524. a carrot top
525. a freezer
526. a Scottie dog
527. a pineapple upside-down cake
528. a telescope
529. a mystery box
530. a bird in the hand
531. a horse and carriage
532. skee ball
533. a razor blade
534. a goldfish
535. a recycling bin
536. a palm reading
537. a road
538. windows
539. an egg
540. a birdhouse
541. a sweatband
542. a strawberry
543. sushi
544. a hippo
545. a prism
546. a sense of humor
547. pie a la mode
548. a dragonfly
549. a tractor
550. a propaganda poster
551. behind the scenes
552. 2 x 4 s
553. a lava lamp
554. a harmonica
555. a ruler
556. Virginia Woolf
557. a windmill
558. plateaus
559. a crash-test dummy
560. a starfish
561. rain boots
562. a shoulder shrug
563. a pomegranate
564. a certificate
565. a Beatles song
566. a hobo
567. a portal
568. a wheelbarrow
569. a three-toed sloth
570. a box of fried chicken
571. wise babies
572. the Abominable Snow Man
573. cookies
574. prescription medication
575. capes
576. a tarantula
577. a can of beans
578. a sand dollar
579. a bee
580. a parasol
581. a sippy cup
582. maple syrup
583. an ink pot
584. a video game
585. tectonic plates
586. a beach

- 587. a wedding dress
- 588. a spelunker
- 589. a calculator
- 590. a baby monster
- 591. a transportation system
- 592. a swamp
- 593. an invitation
- 594. an oven
- 595. a train
- 596. the Bermuda Triangle
- 597. a heart
- 598. a movie star
- 599. a spider web
- 600. an igloo
- 601. presidential pets
- 602. paisley
- 603. a grandma
- 604. lighting
- 605. Run-D.M.C.
- 606. a tuxedo
- 607. a mayonnaise jar
- 608. a lemon meringue pie
- 609. a sea urchin
- 610. a canyon
- 611. a cave
- 612. a concert
- 613. a viper
- 614. what is in your "artkit"
- 615. a bow
- 616. a convertible

- 617. ski slope
- 618. a mummy
- 619. broken glass
- 620. a bed
- 621. a bar of music
- 622. polka dots
- 623. woodgrain
- 624. plaid
- 625. zigzag
- 626. a tacky rug
- 627. a plastic
- 628. a muffin tin
- 629. a sweater
- 630. a tuba
- 631. a juice box
- 632. a jar full of pennies
- 633. a sundial
- 634. a crystal ball
- 635. a bag of hammers
- 636. jelly beans
- 637. a sailboat
- 638. a fjord
- 639. a brain
- 640. Saturn
- 641. wind
- 642. yourself

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S1 grade: _____/40 pts

S2 grade: _____/40 pts