I can't wait to hear all about you!

ALL ABOUT ME!

Mimi the Meerkat will cheer you on as you create your very own autobiography!
(a story about YOUR life!)

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Get Suffolk Reading inspires families across the county to read together, and helps parents support their children's literacy skills.

In the 'All About Me' programme Mimi the Meerkat encourages the children to explore their minds and create a mini autobiography. They colour in a mini meerkat for each activity completed and at the end are awarded a Meerkat Medal. There are opportunities to read aloud, write, discuss and use their imaginations to be creative.
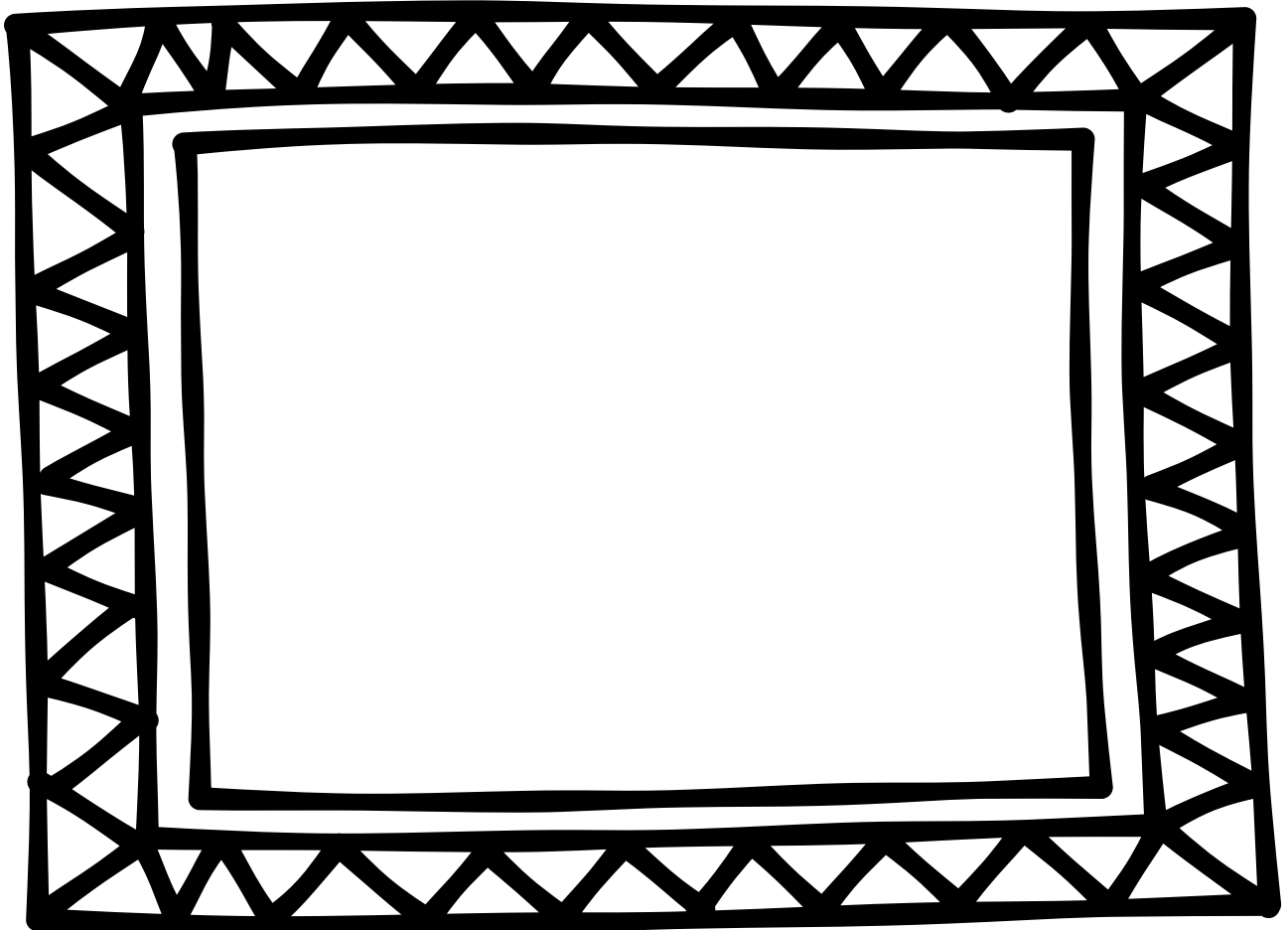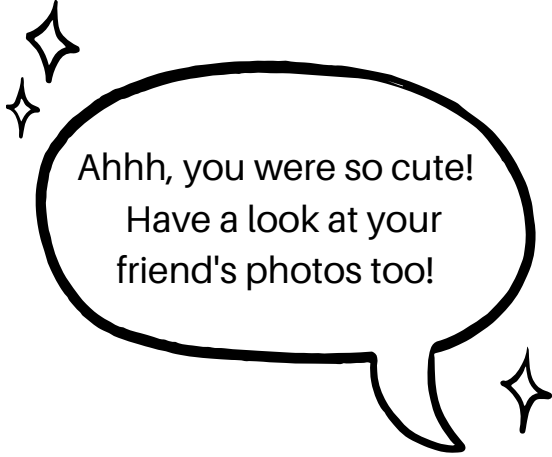
AWARD CHART

Colour in a mini Mimi meerkat every time you complete an activity. Complete all ten and colour in the *Magnificent Mimi Meerkat Medal!*
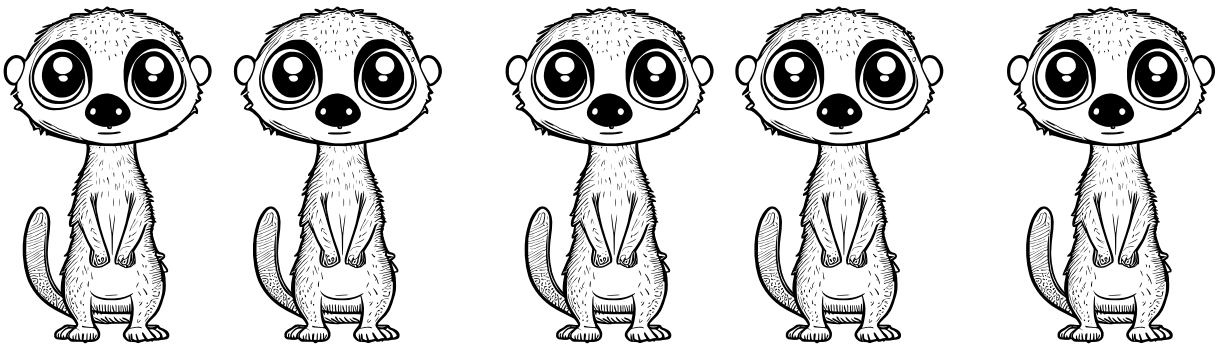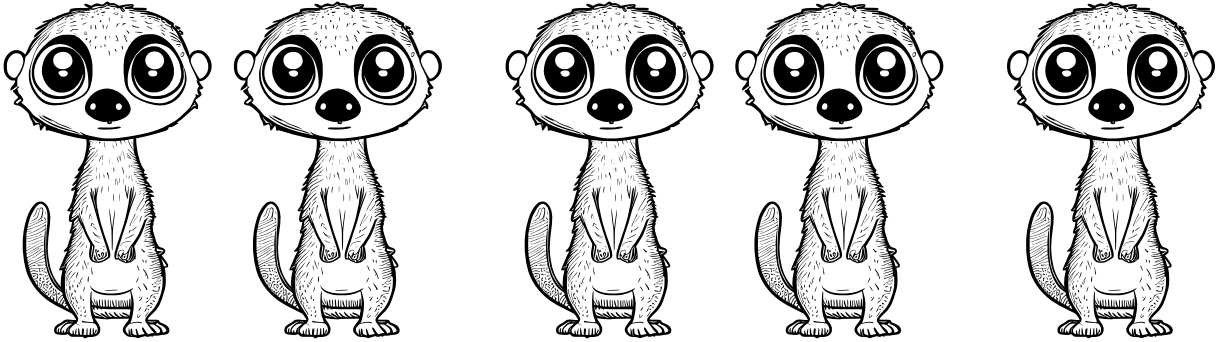
MY BABY PHOTO

Imagine what you looked like as a baby. Draw yourself in the photo.

Ahhh, you were so cute! Have a look at your friend's photos too!

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MY NAME

Create an acrostic poem to describe yourself using the first letters of your name.

Here's mine:
Marvellous
Intelligent
Magical
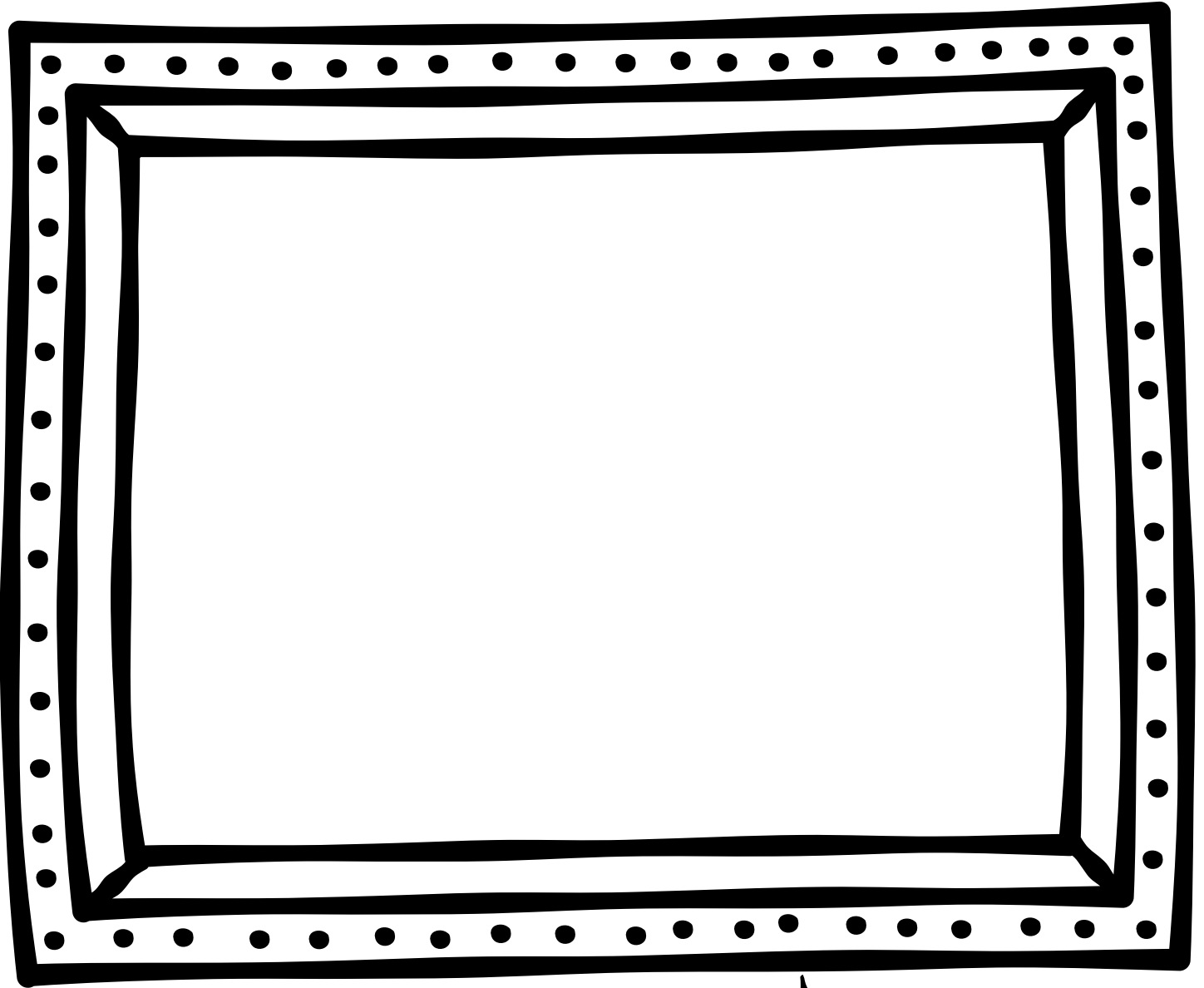**I**mpressive

An acrostic poem is a poem in which certain letters of each line spell out a word, name, or phrase when read vertically (going downwards).

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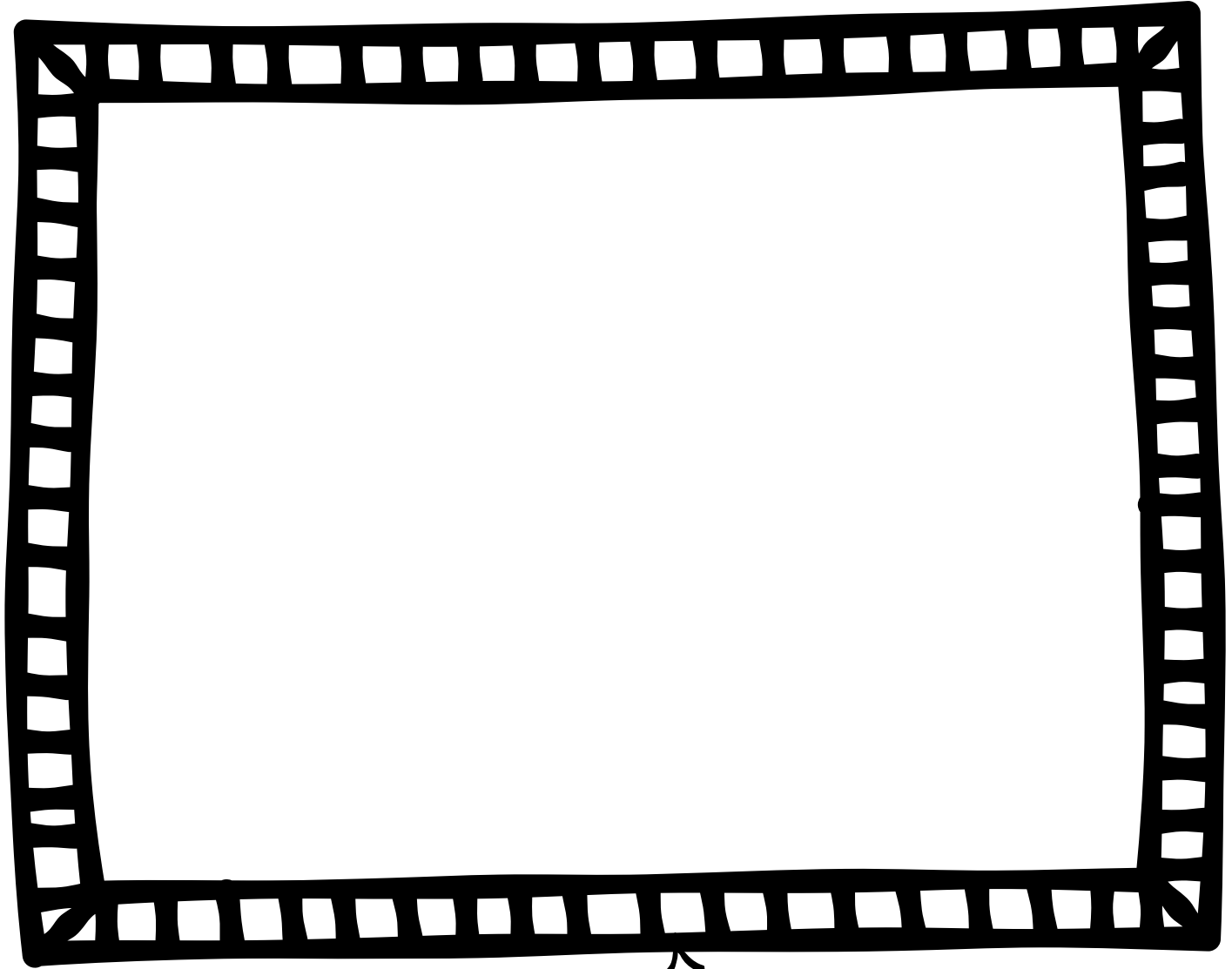# MY FRIENDS

Draw a picture of you having fun with your friends.

What do you and your friends enjoy doing together? Can you include that in the picture?

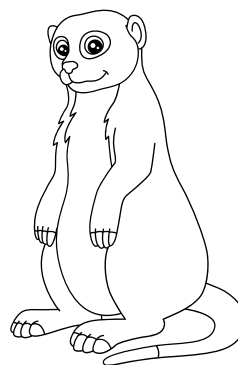REMEMBER to colour in your mini Mimi Meerkat!

MY FAMILY
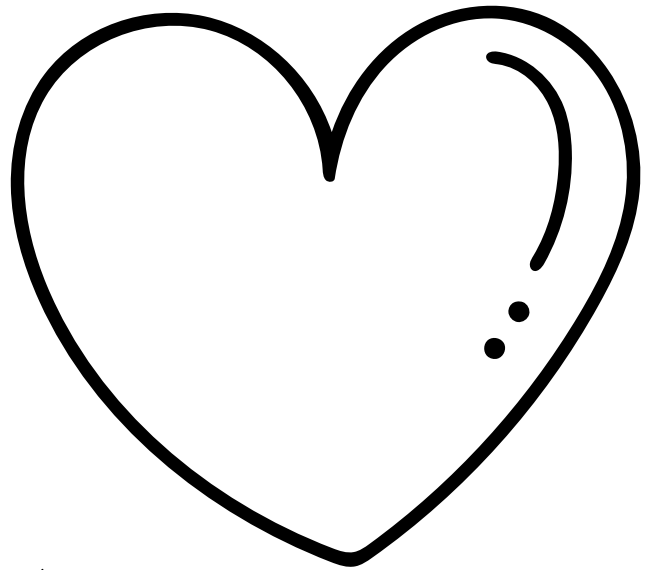
Draw a picture of your family.
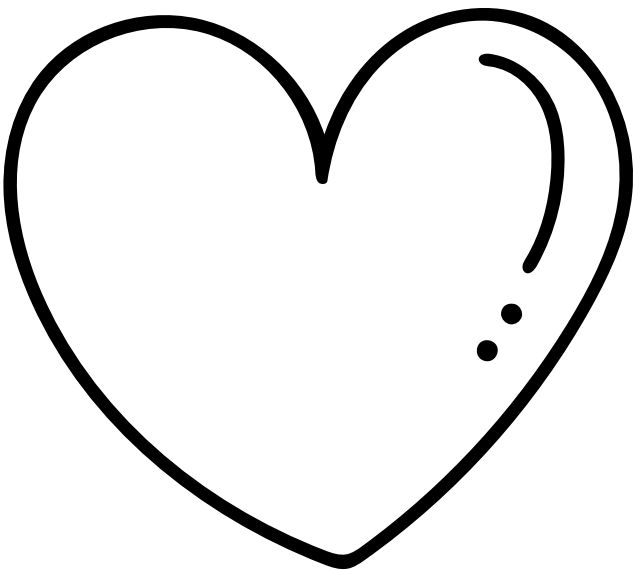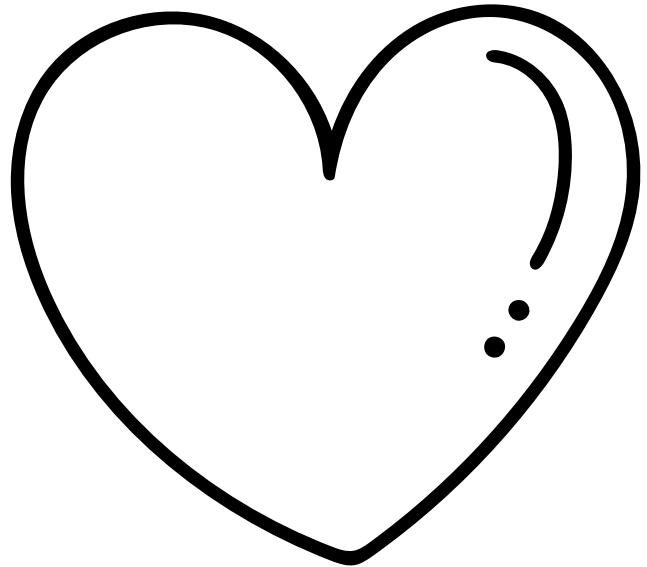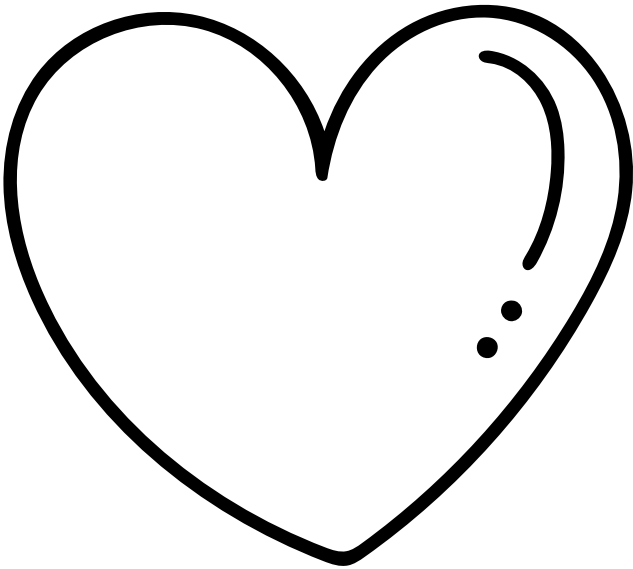
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Let me introduce you to my family!

MY HOBBIES

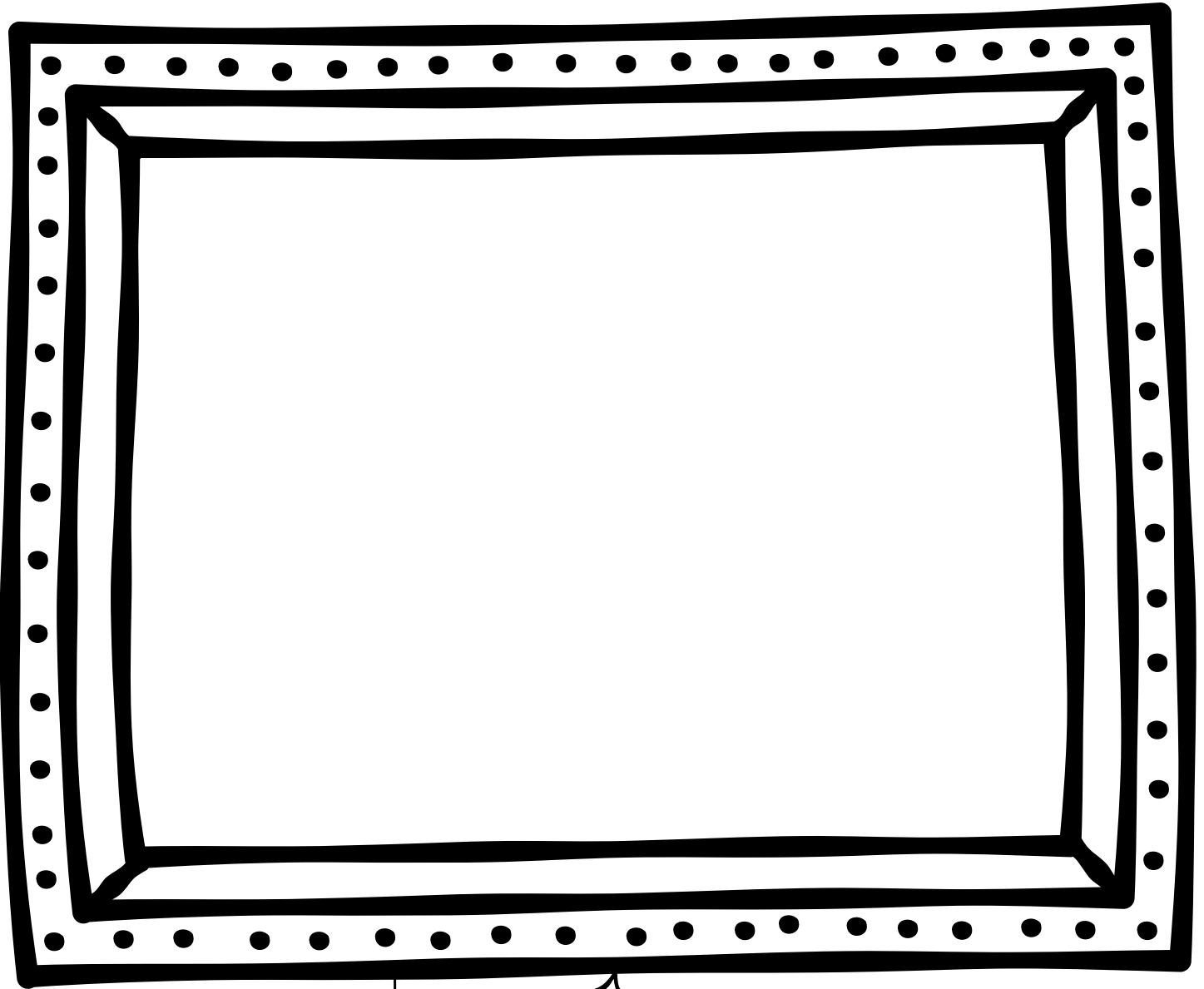What do you like to do in your spare time?

They all look so much fun. Can you show your friends how to do any of them?

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MY PETS

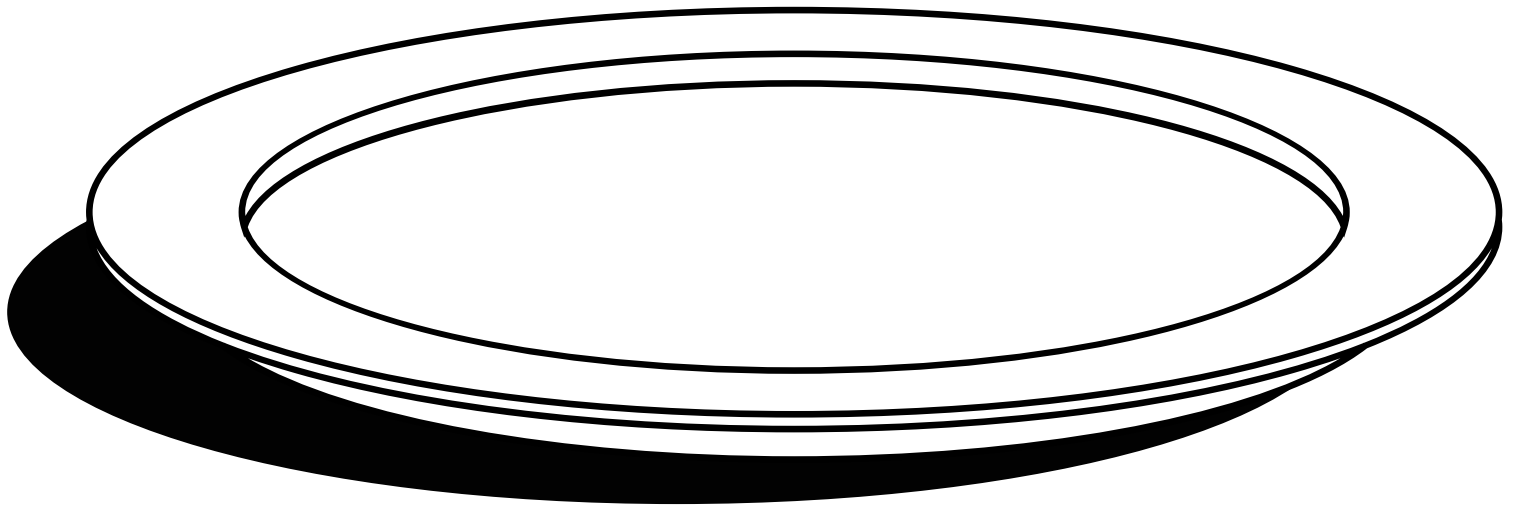Draw your pets below. If you don't have any then draw the pets you would like to have.
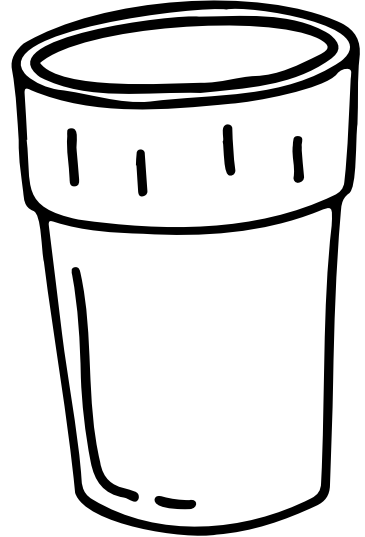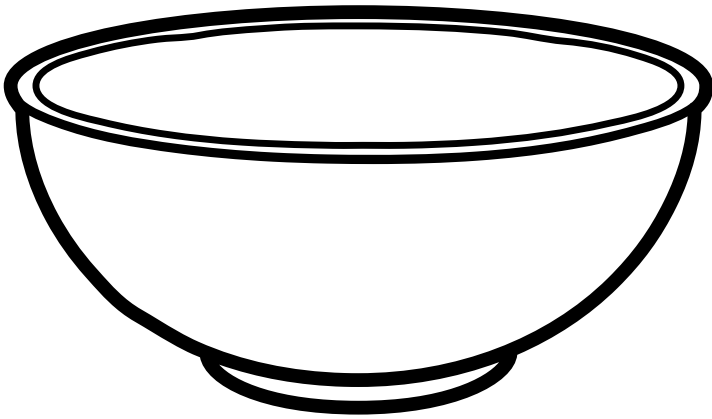
I have a pet spider!
He's called Sid!

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MY FAVOURITE MEAL

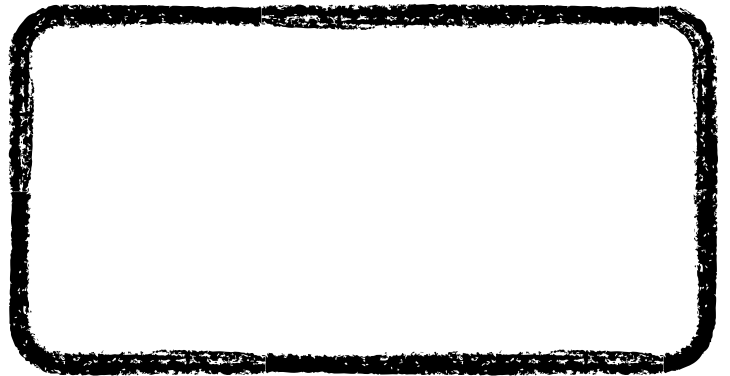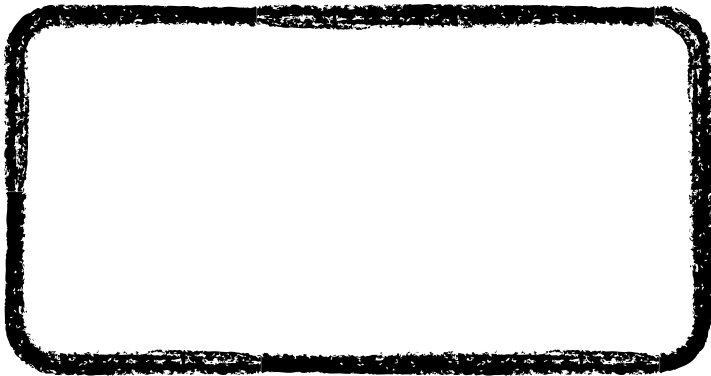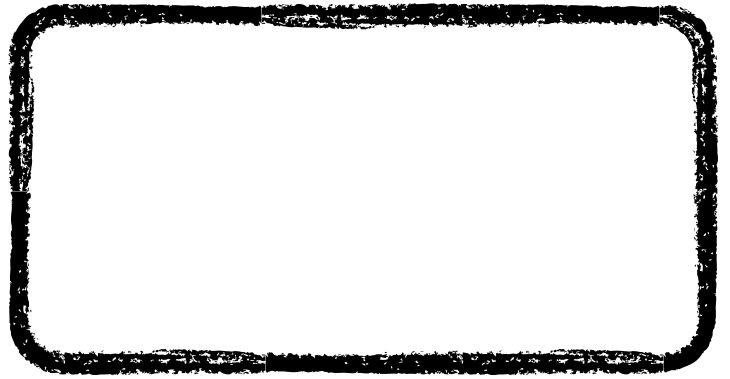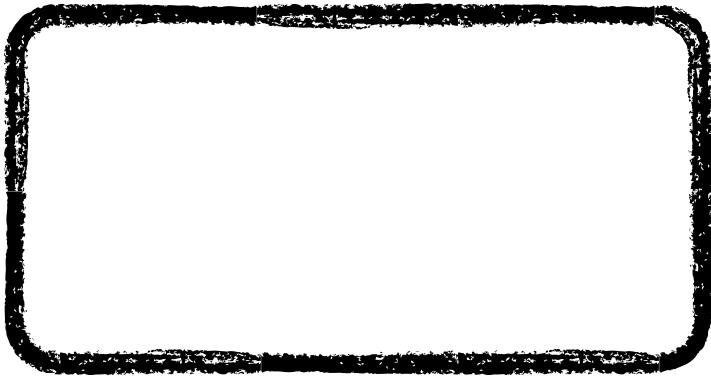What do you like to have for dinner, dessert and to drink?

yum!

Your meal looks delicious! ! Let's pretend to have a picnic with all our favourite food!

MY ACHIEVEMENTS

What have you achieved that you are proud of? Can you share it using the comic strip template?

I'm so proud of you! Let's share our achievements and clap for our friends when they do good things.

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MY PERFECT JOB

Draw your perfect job. Maybe you are inspired by someone you know?

Wow! I know you will be amazing!
Let's act out our perfect jobs and see if our friends can guess!
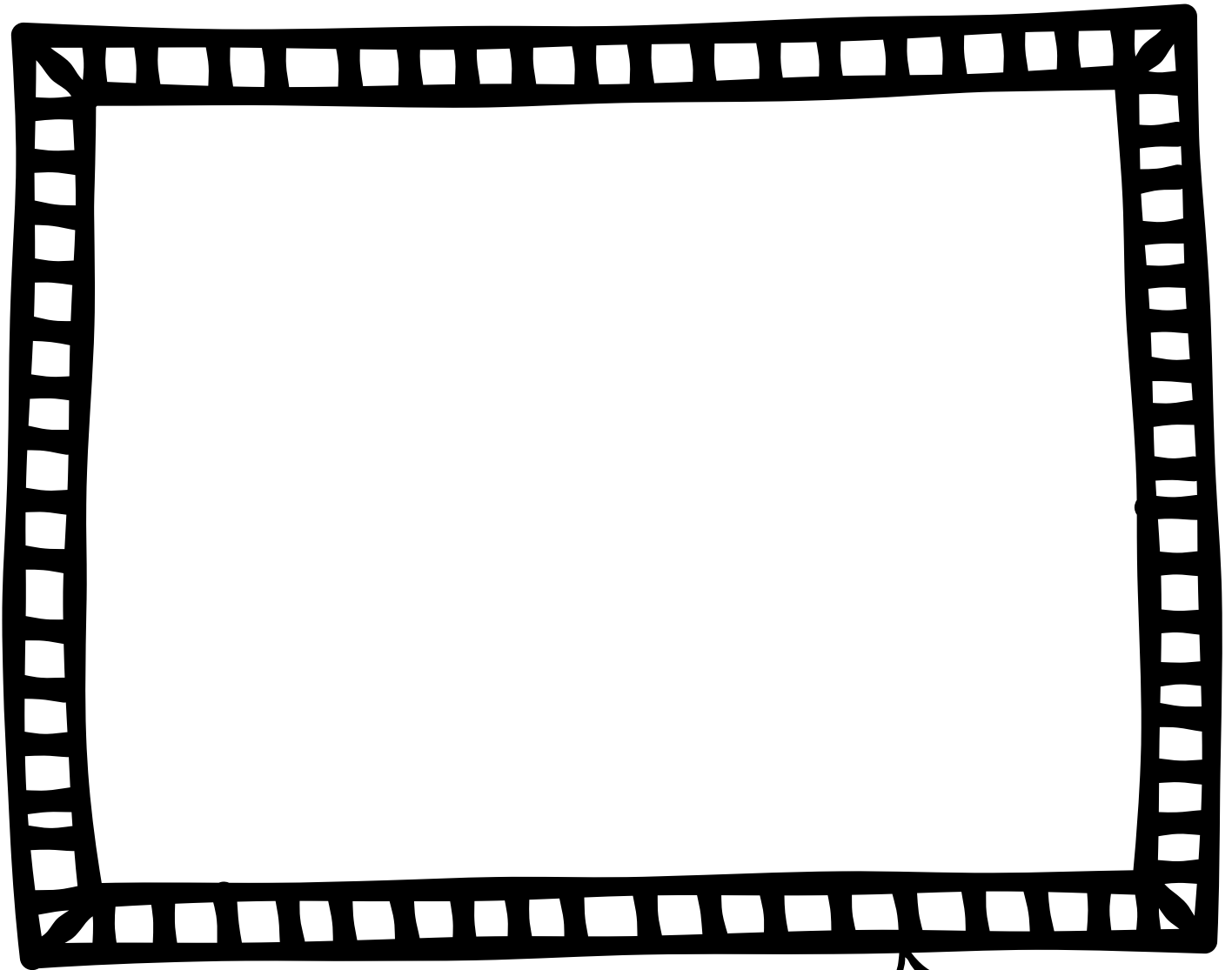
MY TALENTS

Draw or write your talents in the stars below.

You're a STAR

You are so talented! Let's have a mini talent show together!
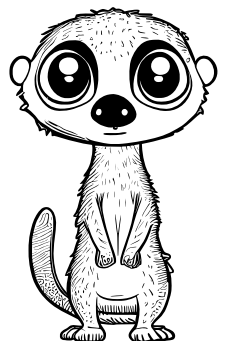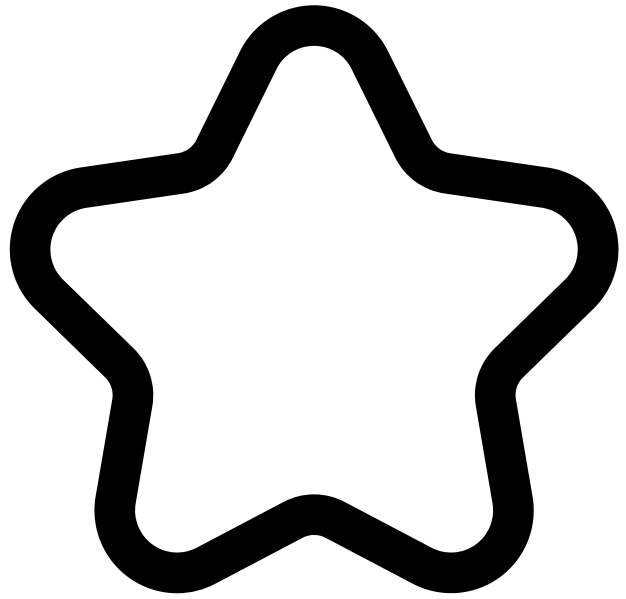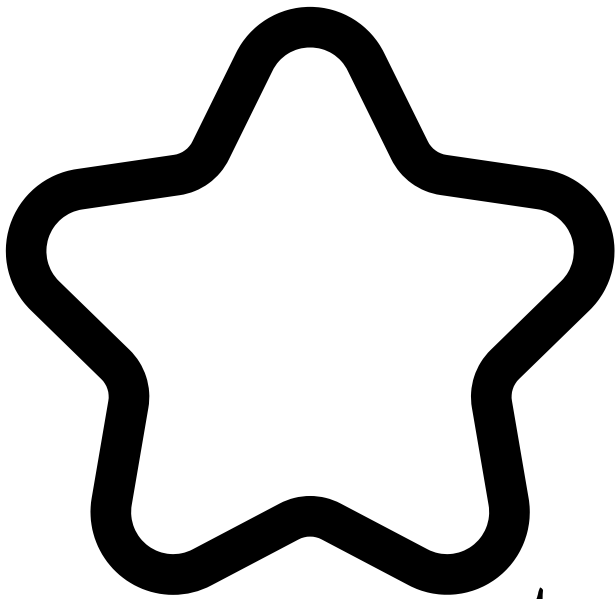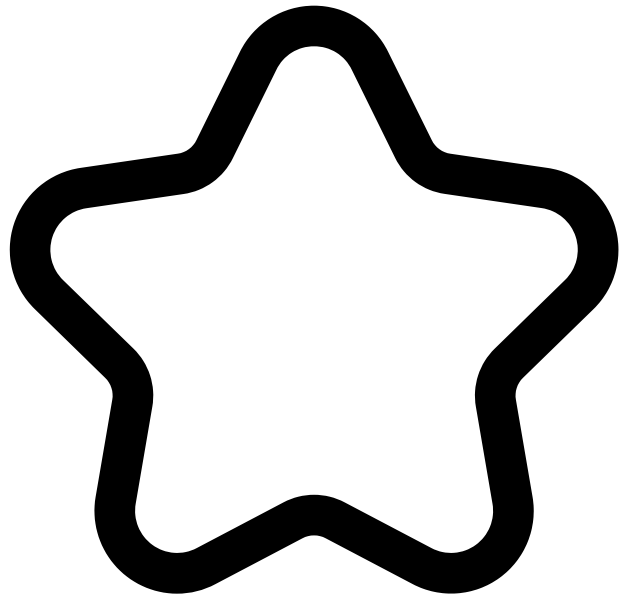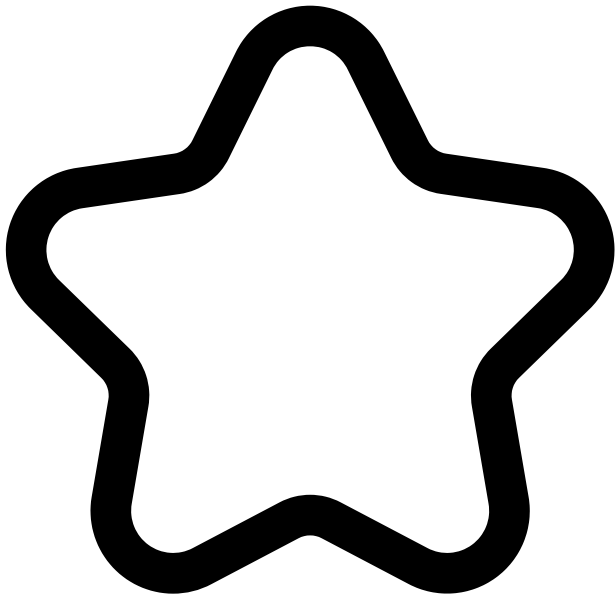
MY PERSONALITY

Write some words around the person to describe your personality.
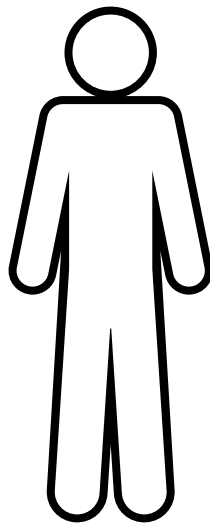
There's only one of you! You are so special!

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MY INTERVIEW

Get into partners and imagine you have become famous! Take turns in interviewing each other. Write down 3 things you have found out.

That was an amazing interview! Share what you have found out your partner with the group

MY WORD SEARCH

There are words that describe you hidden in the word search. Can you find them?

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f  y  e  s  y  r  o  f  q  q  h  b  f  g  d
i  e  l  b  i  d  e  r  c  n  i  y  c  n  a
f  c  w  b  o  m  x  v  q  m  s  o  e  i  w
c  f  b  u  h  c  h  x  e  c  i  i  n  r  q
l  u  f  r  e  d  n  o  w  l  r  b  c  a  l
t  s  o  i  z  p  p  a  o  f  c  j  s  c  d
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z  f  u  n  n  y  o  k  i  y  s  k  b  i  p
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wonderful clever kind friend funny strong amazing incredible brilliant caring super

CONGRATULATIONS

Thank you for sharing all about yourself. I have loved getting to know you. I think you are very interesting!

THIS CERTIFICATE IS AWARDED TO

FOR SHARING ABOUT THEMSELVES WITH CONFIDENCE AND CREATIVITY AND CREATING AN AUTOBIOGRAPHY