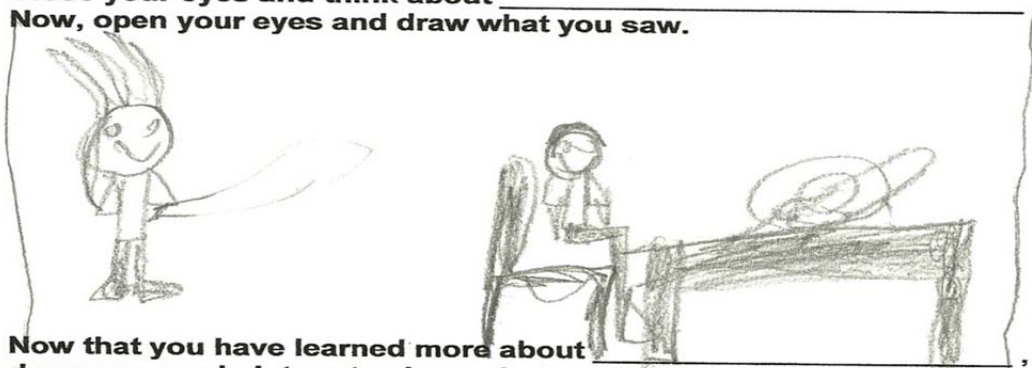


Talking Drawings

The Talking Drawings strategy is a way to analyze the learner's comprehension through visual, verbal, and written representations of what they have read. This strategy looks at the learner's prior knowledge on a subject, and then their knowledge after reading a text. The learner draws a picture of what they think they know about a subject, and then they draw another picture after reading about the subject. The learner can either read the text independently, with you, or you can read to the learner. The learner then writes sentences about what changed in their picture and why.

1. Close your eyes and think about _____
Now, open your eyes and draw what you saw.



2. Now that you have learned more about _____,
draw a second picture to show what you learned.



3. In the space below, tell what you have changed about your before and after pictures. Explain why you made those changes.

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