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Writing Activity- Marine Biologist

Create a comic strip about an adventure that your sea animal goes on with its tracking device. Plan your comic strip below. Then, draw your comic on the next page.

Choose a tone

Describe the setting

Describe the plot

Sketch out your characters

Panel 1

Panel 2

Panel 3

Panel 4

Panel 5

Panel 6

Panel 7

Panel 8



How to Write a Comic Strip

Step 1: Choose a tone

The tone is how the comic will make the reader feel. If your tone is funny, then the reader will laugh and feel happy. If the tone is serious, the reader will think about what the comic strip says and reflect on it.

Example tones: Humorous/funny, serious, joyful, mysterious, sad

Step 2: Describe the setting

The setting describes where the comic strip is taking place.

Example settings: spaceship, on the moon, on Mars

Step 3: Describe the plot

The plot is the main events of the comic. It is what happens during the comic.

Example plots: Astronaut discovers an alien while on another planet, astronaut discovers that people can live on Mars and builds a civilization

Step 4: Choose characters

Characters are the people involved in the comic strip.

Example characters: astronaut, alien, animals

Step 5: Start writing!

You will write your story in 8 panels. Each panel should have at least one character and involve the plot.

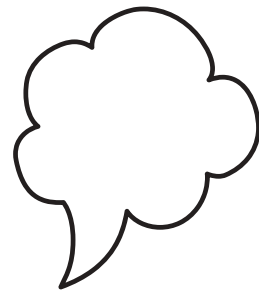
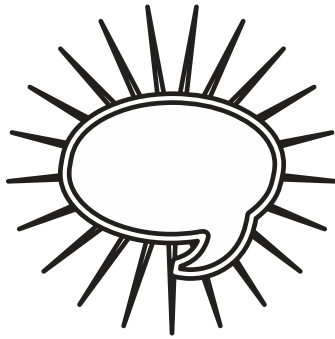




Tips to Make an Awesome Comic Strip

Use Speech Bubbles

Speech bubbles are a great way to have characters talk to each other in your story. There are many different styles of speech bubbles that you can use.



Use Simple Drawings

Most comic strips have simple drawings so readers can easily see what is happening in your story.

