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Introduction to Wants and Needs

Meet Oliver. Oliver is a journalist. A journalist is a person who writes stories.

Some journalists write stories about people! For example, journalists can write stories about the President of the United States. Journalists can also write stories about teachers at a school!

Other journalists write stories about themselves! For example, a journalist can write a story about getting a pet snake. A journalist can also write a story about his or her family and speaking two languages at home.

Today, you will imagine you are a journalist and write a story about yourself! Fill in each page to write your story. When you are done, cut out each page on the dotted lines. Then, staple your pages together to make a book!



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Title Page

This is the title page. The title page has the name of the story you are writing. The name of this story is "My Needs and Wants." The story is about things that you need and want in your life! The title page also has the name of the author. Write your name on the line below so people know who wrote the book.



MY NEEDS AND WANTS

By: _____

Name: _____

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Intro Page

On this page, you will start your story by introducing yourself. This means that you will tell the reader information to help them learn more about you! Write your name, how old you are, and what you like to do for fun on the lines below. Then, you will draw a self-portrait of yourself. This means you will draw a picture of what you look like!

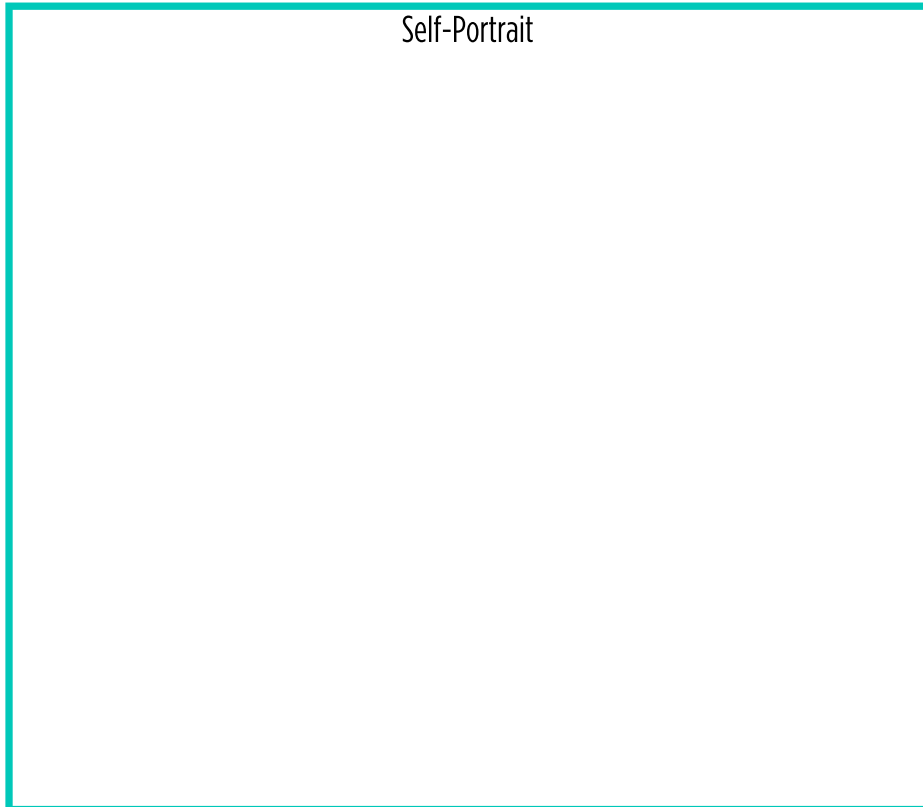


Hi! My name is _____ .

I am _____ years old.

For fun, I like to _____

Self-Portrait



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Needs Page


On this page, you will write and draw about three things you need in your life. A need is something that we must have to live and survive. For example, people need food to live. In each box below write one thing that you need to survive. Then, draw a picture of it.



Food



Three things I need are ...



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On this page, you will write and draw about three things you want in your life. A want is something that we would like to have but do not need to live. For example, you might want a pet dog, a tablet, or a new toy! In each box below write one thing that you want in your life. Then, draw a picture of it.



Pet Dog



Three things I want are ...

