

WRITING JOURNAL

March

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Label the parts of a book using the words below

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What would you rather do on a windy day in spring?
Color to show your answer and then finish the sentence

fly a kite

OR

blow bubble

On a windy day,
I would rather _____
because _____

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A leprechaun has _____

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Name: _____ Date: _____

If I found a pot of _____
gold _____

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HOW TO Fly a Kite

First, _____

Next, _____

Then, _____

Last, _____

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My March Journal

Name: _____

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Introduction & Contents

About this book

This book contains a collection of journal prompts for the month of March. The simple prompts are ideal for beginning and struggling writers in Kindergarten, Grade 1 and Grade 2.

Cover page (page 5)

Draw and label (pages 6-8)

- Girl watering plants
- Leprechaun sliding down rainbow
- Parts of a book

List writing (pages 9-11)

- Things you can do on a windy day
- Things that are green
- Books I really like

How to / procedural writing (pages 12-17)

- How To Fly a Kite (with and without pictures)
- How To Catch/Trap a Leprechaun (without pictures)
- How To Read a Book (with and without pictures)

Writing prompts with pictures (pages 18-27)

- The weather in spring
- I know spring is here when
- I see rain on the
- On a rainy day
- Rainbows are
- Some green things
- A leprechaun has
- Some St. Patrick's Day symbols
- I like to read
- Some places you can read

Opinion writing with pictured choices (pages 28-30)

- On a windy day, I would rather (fly a kite or blow bubbles) because...
- I like a (3-leaf clover or 4-leaf clover) best because...
- I prefer to read (fiction books or non-fiction books) because...

Opinion writing II (pages 30-33)

- The best thing about spring is... because
- For breakfast on St. Patrick's Day, I would like to eat... because
- The best place to read a book is... because

Narrative writing (pages 32-37)

- Describing spring (sentence writing)
- Write a sentence to match the picture (girl feeding ducks and ducklings)
- Write a story to match the picture (boy reading a book in bed)
- Write a story to match the picture (leprechaun in pot of gold)

Narrative writing II (pages 38-42)

- If I were a kite on a windy day
- It rained so much that
- If I found a pot of gold
- At the end of the rainbow I might find
- I opened my book and started to read when all of a sudden the character jumped off the page and

Acrostic poem (page 43)

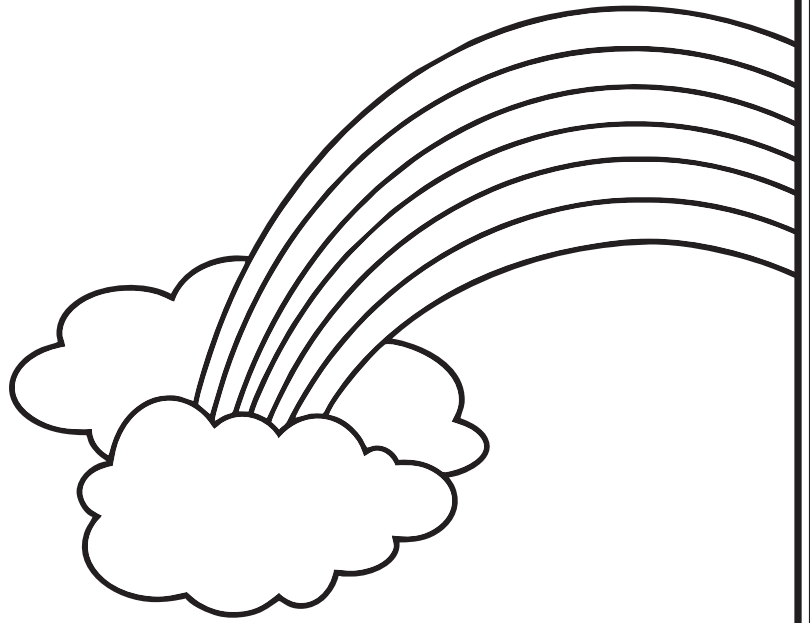
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Letter writing to my favorite author (page 44)

Additional page with handwriting lines (page 45)

Happy Teaching :)

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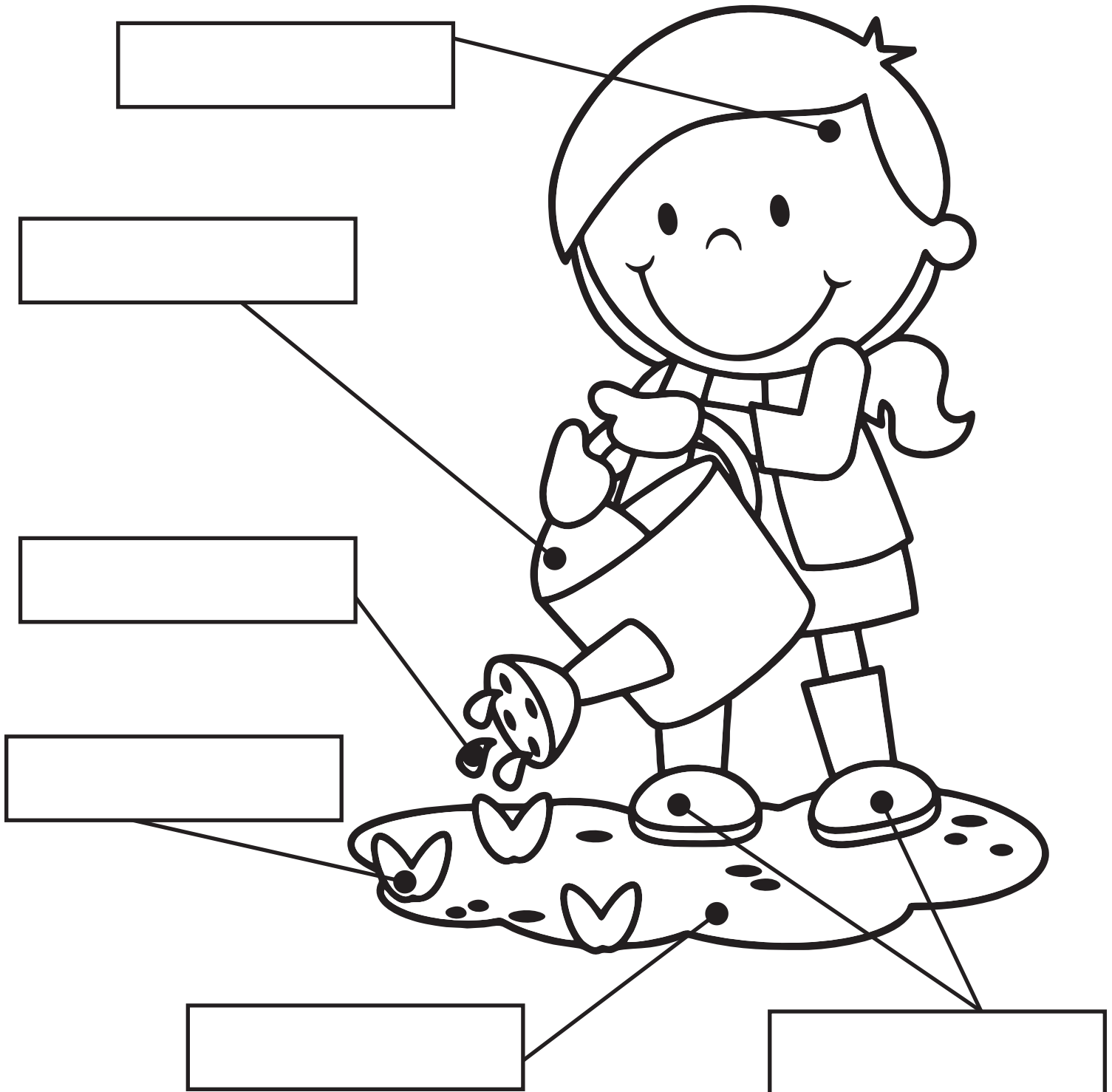
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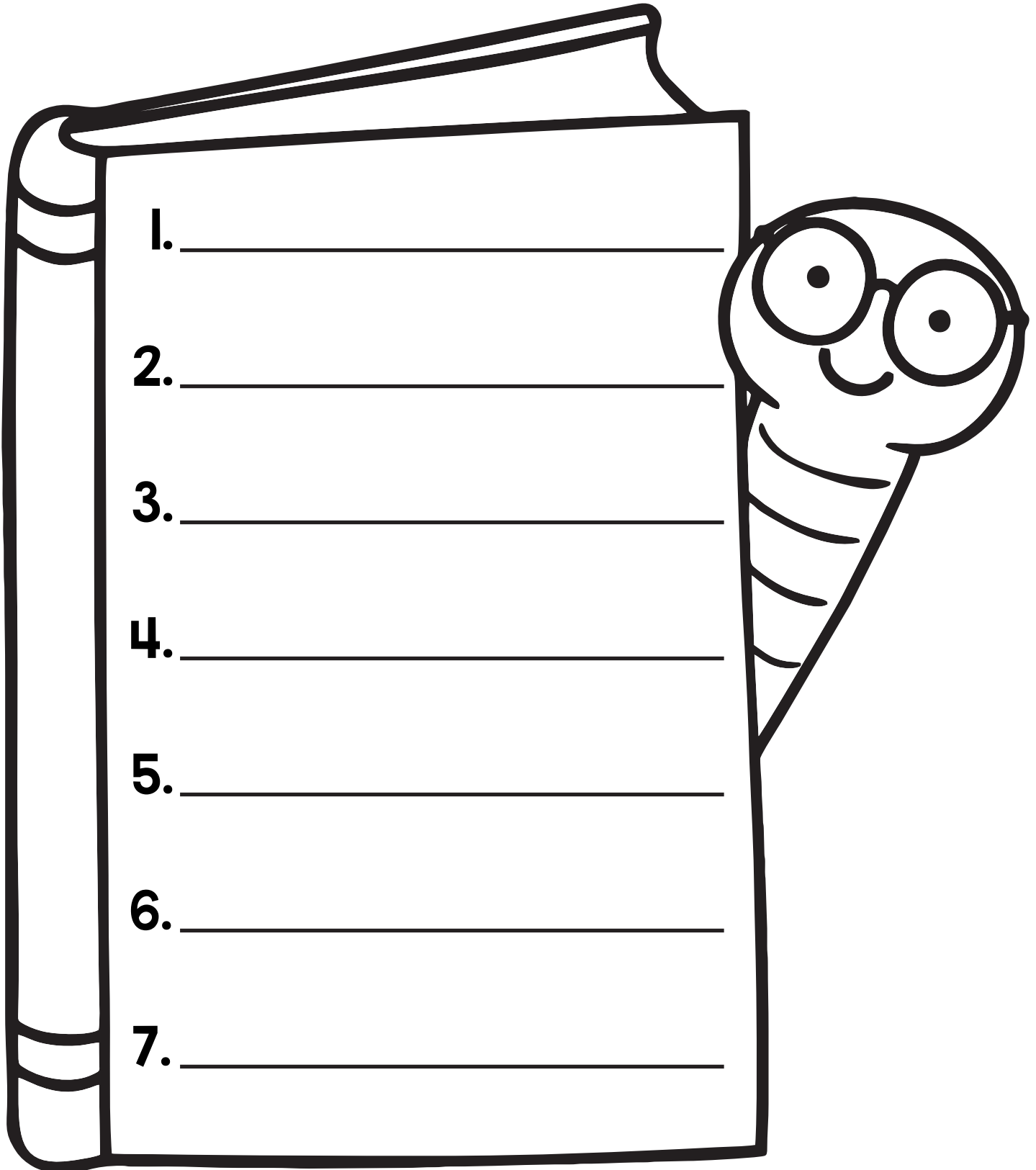
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Books I really like



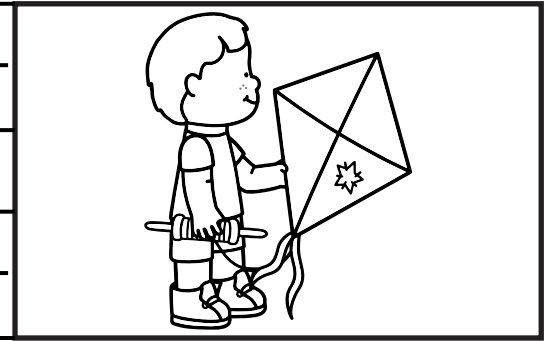
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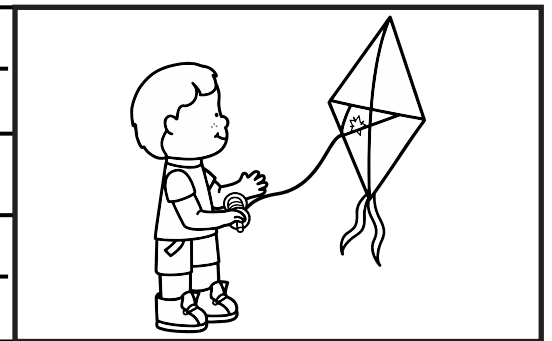
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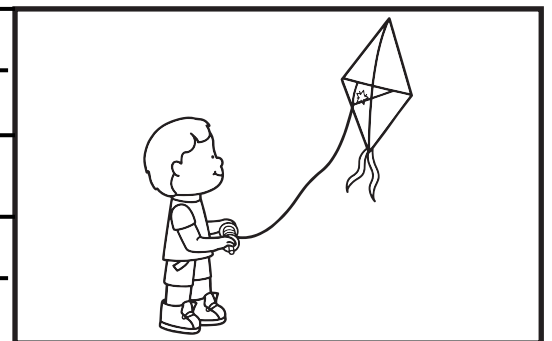
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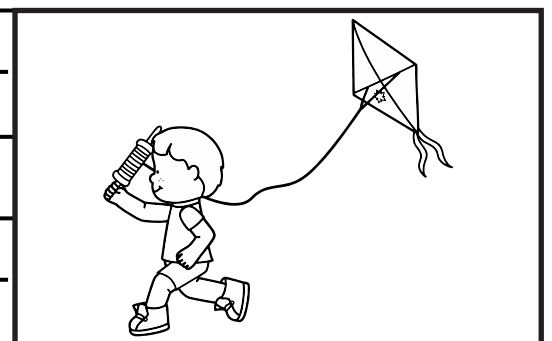
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Then,



Last,



Name:

Date:

HOW TO

Fly a Kite

First,

Handwriting practice lines for the word "First," including a dashed line for tracing and a solid line for independent writing.

Next,

Handwriting practice lines for the word "Next," including a dashed line for tracing and a solid line for independent writing.

Then,

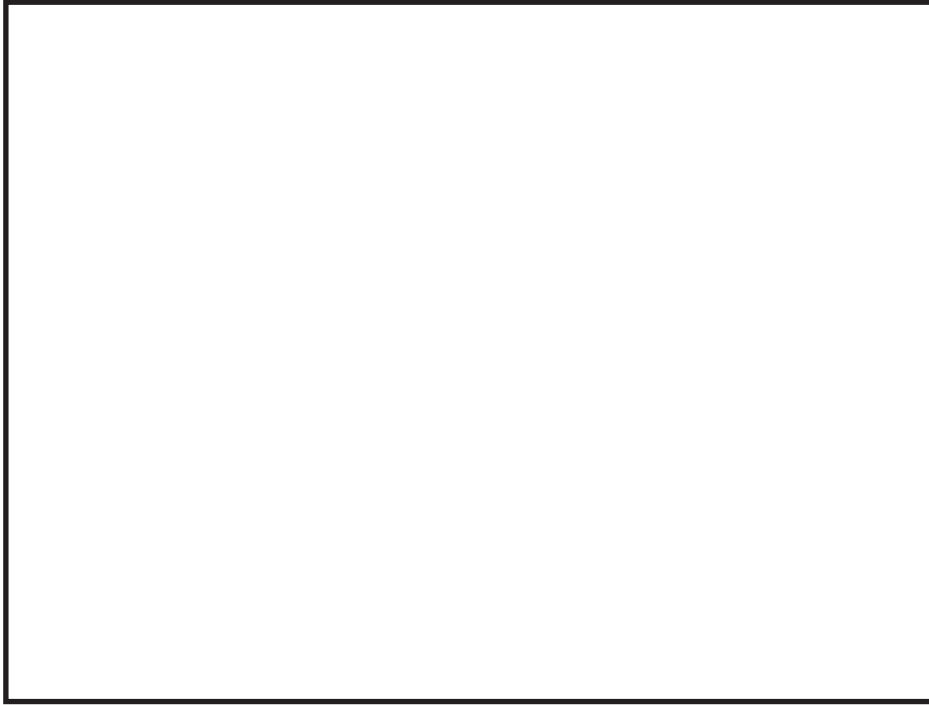
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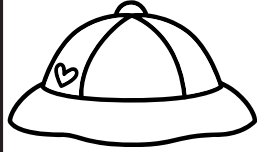




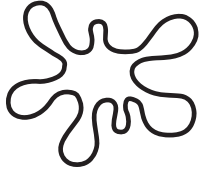
Last,

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rain hat 	rain coat 
boots 	umbrella 
puddle 	splash 

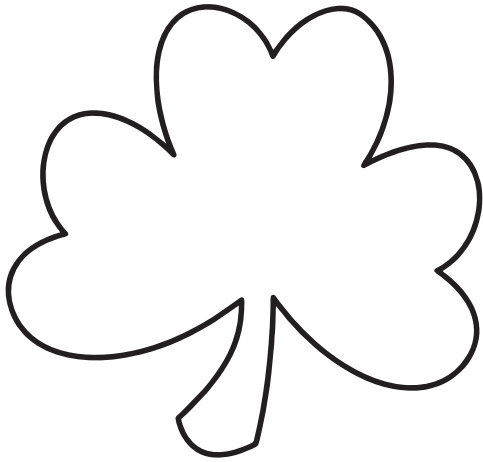
On a rainy day

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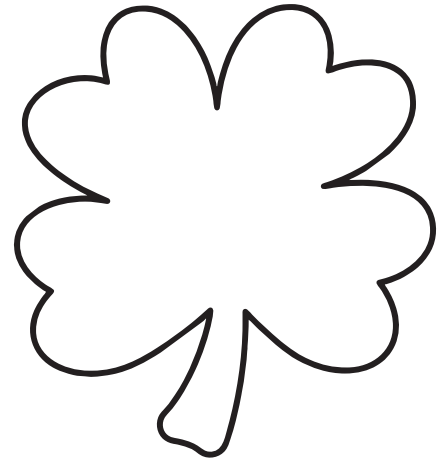
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Do you like a 3-leaf or a 4-leaf clover best? Color to show your answer and then finish the sentence.



3-leaf clover

O R



4-leaf clover

I like a

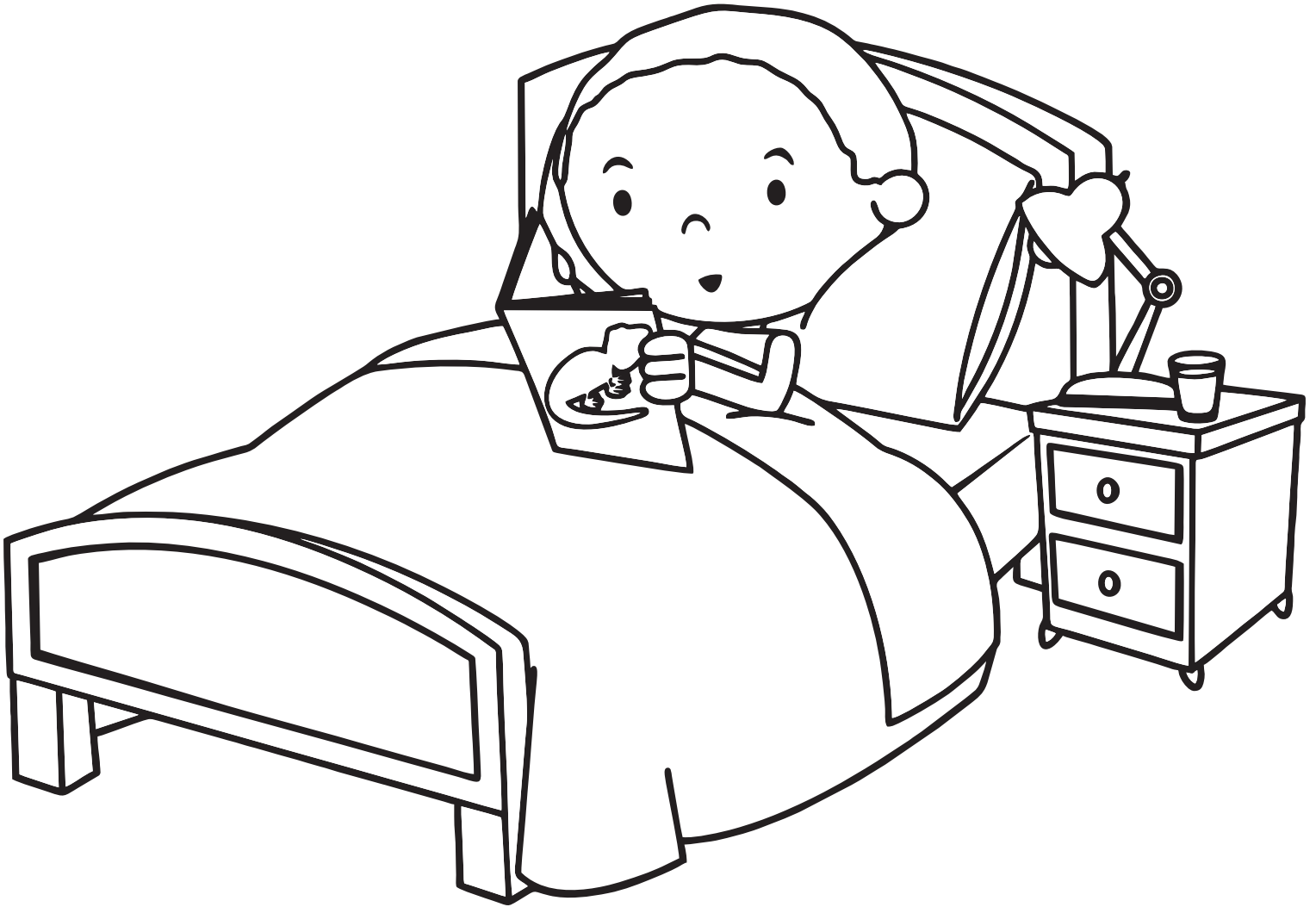
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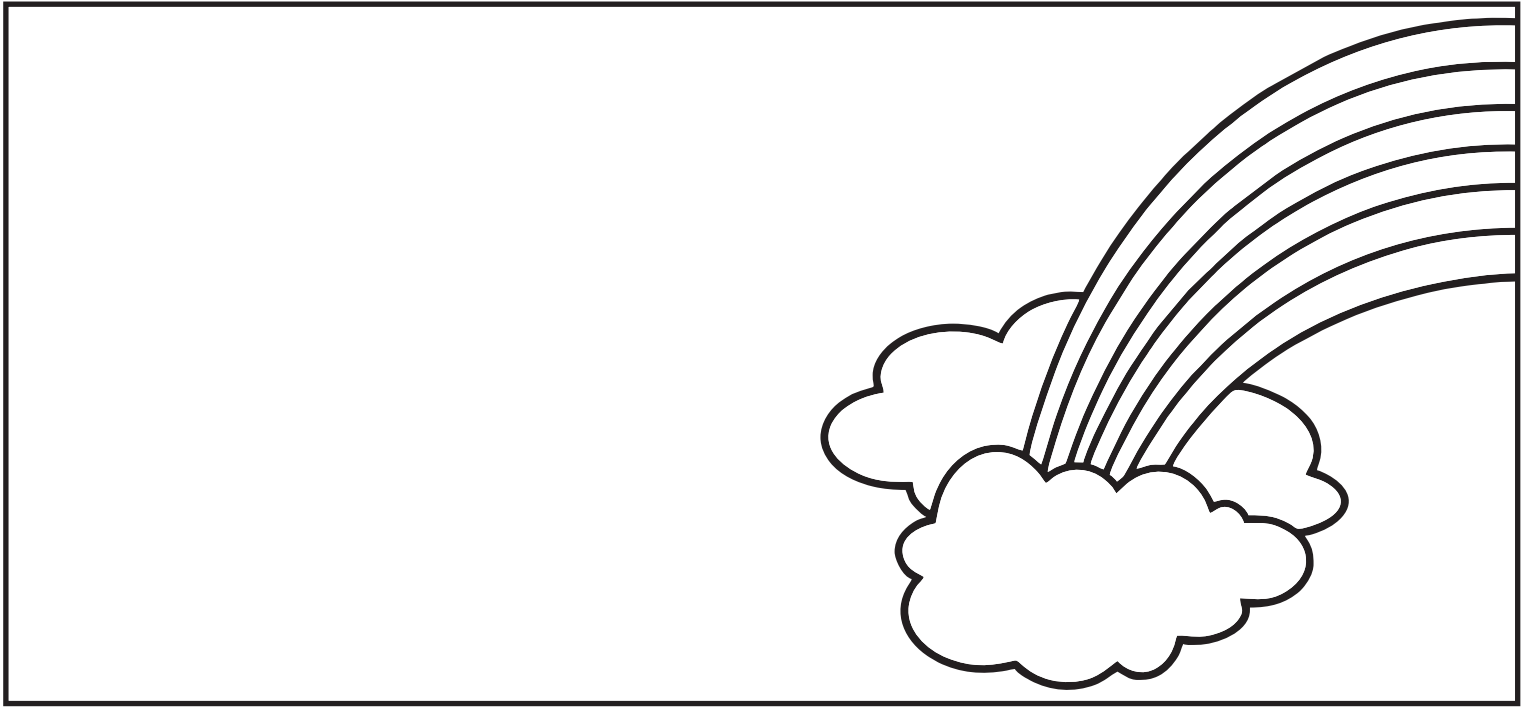
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Write a story to match the picture.



Name:

Date:



At the end of the

rainbow I might find
