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1 Pick an object that LOOKS interesting and draw it here.



Why did you choose this object?

How does it look different from other objects that were designed to do the same thing?

Can you think of five words to describe the way this object looks?

1.
2.
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5.

2 Choose another object, this time pick one that is different because of what it DOES?



What does it do, and why is that interesting?

Do a design doodle to show how you would design an object that does the same thing, but better.

Is this object unique? Or are there other objects that do the same thing? How are they the same and how do they differ?



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3 Next, pick an object that you think was MADE in an interesting way, or using interesting materials.

What does it look like it's made from? Is it all one material or made up of different things?

What other materials could it have been made from, and how would this effect the cost or the way the objects looks?

Do a design doodle to show how this object might look if you made it from different materials.

4 And finally, choose an object that you think has made a big IMPACT and draw it here.

Why did you choose this object? And what do you think its impact has been?

Who do you think this object was designed for?

Do you think the designer was mindful of saving the planet when he/she designed this object?