



Communication & Language

Listening and Attention / Understanding / Speaking

40/60 months

I am learning to ... understand and give instructions.

Can we ...?

✚ Play 'Draw it!'

- Put out a big sheet of paper to draw on.
- Draw two things or characters on the paper (not too big).
- Take it in turns to give each other drawing instructions.



Draw a ball
under
the
snowman.

Draw a small bird
between
the
penguin and the
snowman.

- Make up a story about our joint picture.

Once upon a time, there was a very lonely snowman who lived...

To help me get better at my writing, I could ...

- Label the pictures.
- Write a sentence or caption about our story.

Top tips to help me learn ...

- ⇒ Give me instructions which include words such as: *under, on, in, between, next to, on the side of etc.*
- ⇒ Encourage me to use these words in my instructions too.
- ⇒ Encourage me to say what I want to write, before I try to write it. You might need to remind me to leave spaces between my words.
- ⇒ **Celebrate my learning**, what you think I did well and why.