Compound Word Split-and-Draw Plates: A Drawing Worksheet Plan

Original tasks 1, 2, 3 / complete keys

Task 1

Split 'teacup' into two parts, write each part in a split box, and draw one picture for each part.

Answer: Split boxes: tea | cup. Picture boxes: a cup with a handle for cup, and a tea bag or leaf for tea. Other recognizable drawings are valid if explained.

Reason: Teacup combines tea and cup, so each part is a real word. The drawings should match each part separately.

Check: Confirm both written parts are real words and combine to teacup; ask the learner to name each drawing and its part.

Task 2

Split 'snowman' into two parts, write each part, and draw one picture for each part.

Answer: Split boxes: snow | man. Picture boxes: falling snowflakes or a snow pile for snow, and a simple figure for man. A snowman shape alone would not satisfy the two-part drawing requirement.

Reason: Snowman combines snow and man. Each picture box must show one part, not the whole compound.

Check: Check that the split is snow and man, then verify two separate drawings correspond to each part.

Task 3

Split 'bookcase' into two parts, write each part, and draw one picture for each part.

Answer: Split boxes: book | case. Picture boxes: a closed book shape for book, and a box or shelf outline for case. A shelf with books could be ambiguous, so the learner should explain which part each drawing represents.

Reason: Bookcase combines book and case. The drawing for case should suggest a container or frame, not the whole piece of furniture.

Check: Verify the written split, then ask the learner to point to the book drawing and the case drawing and explain each.

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Original tasks 4 / complete keys

Task 4

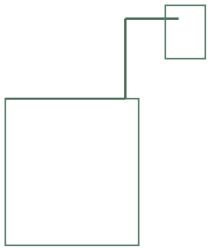
Split 'sunflower' into two parts, write each part, and draw one picture for each part.

Answer: Split boxes: sun | flower. Picture boxes: a circle with rays for sun, and a flower with petals and a stem for flower. A yellow circle alone is acceptable for sun if explained.

Reason: Sunflower combines sun and flower. Each drawing should be recognizable as its part, and the pair should reconstruct the compound meaning.

Check: Check split accuracy and legibility, then confirm each drawing is recognizable and linked to its part by the learner's explanation.

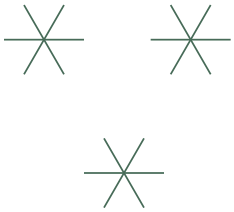
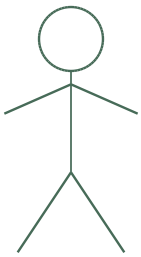
Two separate word parts / one valid illustrated key

tea	cup
	

Each picture represents its own part, not the complete compound. These are sample pictures; a different recognizable picture is valid when explained.

Your explanation / measured check:

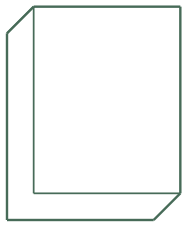
Two separate word parts / one valid illustrated key

snow	man
	

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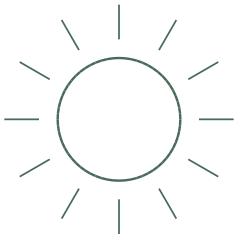
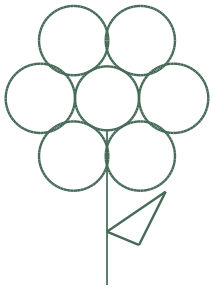
Two separate word parts / one valid illustrated key

book	case
	

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Your explanation / measured check:

Two separate word parts / one valid illustrated key

sun	flower
	

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Source rubric / reflection

- [ ] Split accuracy: both parts are real words that combine to the target compound.
- [ ] Letter legibility: letters are readable and follow the baseline-to-midline convention consistently.
- [ ] Drawing clarity: each picture is recognizable without extra explanation.
- [ ] Part-to-picture match: each drawing clearly corresponds to its written part.
- [ ] Explanation: learner can name each part and describe why the drawing fits.

Reflection: What did you check, what did you change, and what will you try next?