Draw First, Then Write: Labeled Picture Prompts for Early Writing

Original tasks 1, 2 / independent work

Task 1

A child draws a scene with a house, a door, and a window. The label lines read house, door, window. Write a three-sentence paragraph using all three labels.

Task 2

A child draws a cat, a bowl, and a mat. The label lines read cat, bowl, mat. Write a three-sentence paragraph using all three labels, then state where the letter c sits on a sentence line.

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Original tasks 3, 4 / independent work

Task 3

A child draws a bus, a wheel, and a sign. The label lines read bus, wheel, sign. Write a three-sentence paragraph using all three labels, then state where the letter g sits on a sentence line.

Task 4

A child draws a boy, a kite, and a cloud. The label lines read boy, kite, cloud. Write a three-sentence paragraph using all three labels, then state where the letter k sits on a sentence line.