

# 6-PANEL COMIC GAME

This activity is most fun when you do it with two or more people, but you can do it individually if you prefer. It's a little bit like a comic version of the Mad Libs game. Stretch your imagination and feel free to be silly.

## You will need:

- 1 sheet of white paper
- A pencil and eraser
- A black marker. (If you also have a fine point black marker at home, this will be handy also!)
- Crayons, colored pencils, or colored markers- your choice!
- A ruler or something with a straight edge to help you draw a straight line

## 6-Panel Comic Game Instructions

**Step 1:** Use a pencil and a ruler or a straight edge to divide your paper into 6 sections

**Step 2:** If you are playing with other people, sit in a circle. Using a pencil, the first person will complete Panel 1. To complete Panel 1, imagine a character, then draw the character, and add a word bubble that says "My name is..." and you decide what the characters name is and complete the sentence.

**Step 3:** Pass the paper to the next person. The next person will fill in Panel 2 by completing the sentence in the word bubble, and add a drawing that goes with it. Keep passing the paper around until all 6 panels have been completed. Read your completed comic together and enjoy! If you would like, you can finish the comic by inking the outlines with black marker and adding color.

<p><b>Panel 1</b></p> <p><b>My name is _____</b></p> <p>Create a character. That character must appear in every panel as you add to the story. Each panel will have both a word bubble and a comic drawing to tell the story.</p>	<p><b>Panel 2</b></p> <p><b>I live in a _____.</b></p> <p><i>Example: "I live in a pineapple under the sea!"</i></p>	<p><b>Panel 3</b></p> <p><b>Every day I _____</b></p> <p><i>Example: Every day I go to work at my job as an ostrich farmer.</i></p>
<p><b>Panel 4</b></p> <p><b>BUT WAIT! It's a _____.</b></p> <p><i>Example: But wait! There's an ostrich and it has broken loose and is very angry! ---(You can adjust the wording a little, as needed.)</i></p>	<p><b>Panel 5</b></p> <p><b>And it's about to _____.</b></p> <p><i>Example: And it's about to attack! OH NO!</i></p>	<p><b>Panel 6</b></p> <p><b>Create an ending to the story.</b></p> <p><i>Example: Phew!!! It's a good thing that ostrich spotted a chicken and fell in love. Now it's happy and back in the barn.</i></p>