Activity Guide #1

My Pal, Victor / Mi amigo, Víctor

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Subjects
Art
Language

Brief Description
In this activity, children draw pictures from cloud formations and write the story.

Objectives
- See object visually as one things and draw into others. Write a story about what you see.

Key Words
Creativity

Grade Level(s)
K-4

Materials Needed
Drawing paper
Writing paper
Pen/pencil
Cloudy day

Activities
In the book, *My Pal, Victor/ Mi amigo, Víctor*, the two boys make up stories from the shapes they see in the cloud formations.
- Lay on your back and look at the clouds. What objects can you identify? Draw them. Compare what you see to others in the class. How are they the same? Different?
- Now write story about the objects you found in the sky. Are you writing a fairy tale? Are you in the story? Who is the main character? Tell us about him or her. What is the mood of the story? (i.e.: happy, scary, sad)

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