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When you read a book, you use your imagination! Having a picture of what a character looks like makes the book better, doesn't it? If you are writing a story, you need to describe your characters. Let's practice!

Remember all those fun lessons on parts of speech? Well, maybe not so fun, but parts of speech are important. Adjectives are describing words. Write some adjectives you might use to describe yourself.

That was great practice! Now write some adjectives and descriptive phrases to describe a character in your story. You can talk about appearance, clothing, shoes, or a wild hair style—whatever will make your character fascinating and believable to a reader. Include the name of your character, too.

Using complete sentences, write a detailed paragraph about what your story character looks like.

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Draw an illustration of your character here: