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# Getting Started With Draw & Write Prompts

## DRAW & WRITE BOOKMARKS

**D**raw & Write Bookmarks are a great way to motivate kids to read. The three bookmarks invite children to draw and then generate a list related to their picture. Lists are an important writing format that can help children organize ideas for writing. When children have completed their bookmarks, they can use their lists to generate longer, more detailed pieces.

### **“I Can...” Bookmark**

Brainstorm with children a list of things that they can do. Students may know how to play a certain game, write stories, help a parent cook dinner, or draw a shark. Ask students to think about how they learned these skills. Did someone teach them? Did they practice and learn on their own? Lead a discussion about things students would like to learn how to do. Make a list on chart paper for students to refer to during the year. They can write their initials beside skills on the list as they learn them.



# “I Can...”



## BOOKMARK

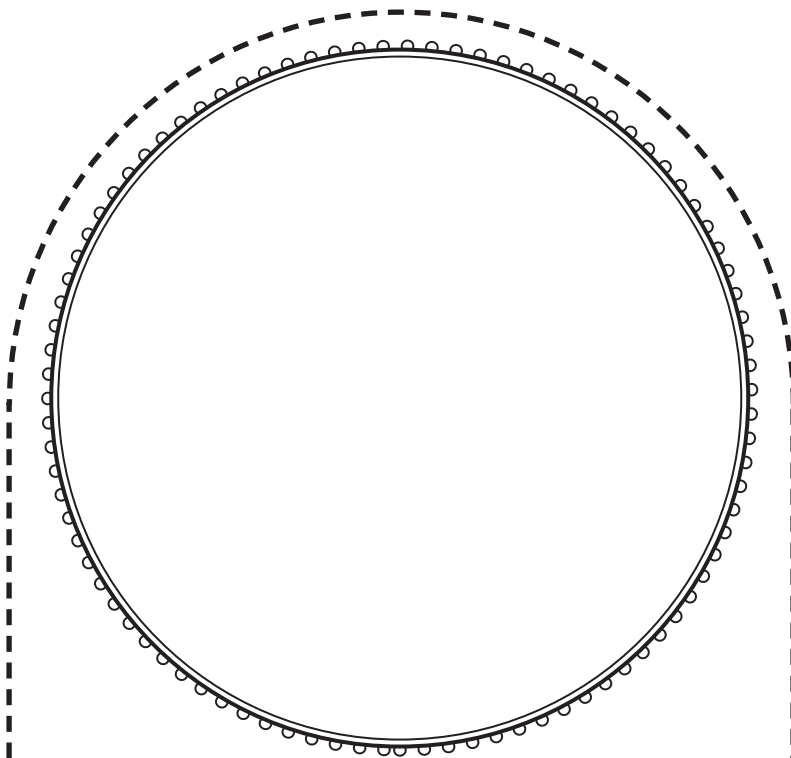
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Think about all the things that you can do.

In the circle, draw one thing that you can do.

On the lines, write four things that you can do.

Cut out your bookmark along the dotted lines.



In the circle, draw what you can do.

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