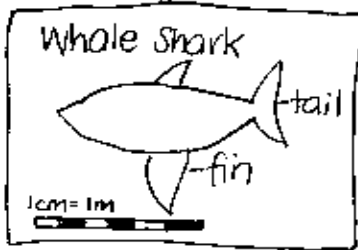


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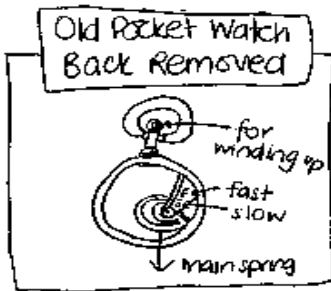
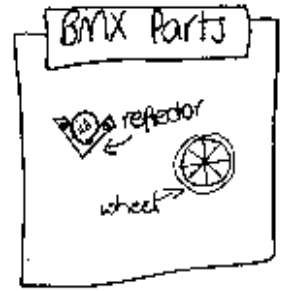
Picture Glossaries

The label names the parts of the picture, while the picture helps to define the labels.



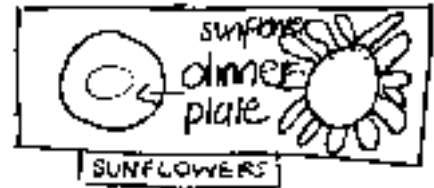
Scale Diagrams

A picture of a subject with a scale beside it, which indicates size, mass, temperature, distance etc. Sometimes the scale is indicated by drawing a well-known object beside it and indicated comparative size.

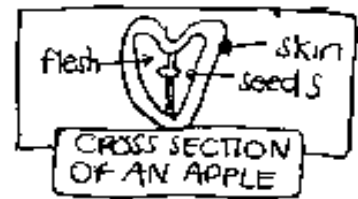


Cutaway Diagrams

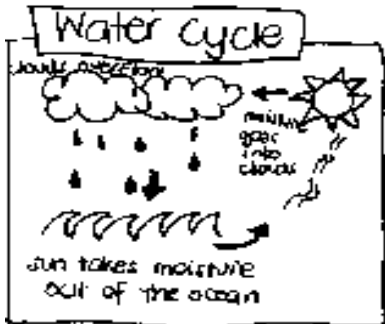
These help us to see inside the subject and understand the internal workings.



Cross sections reveal the inside of a subject in one plane only, as if cut in half.



Cross Sections

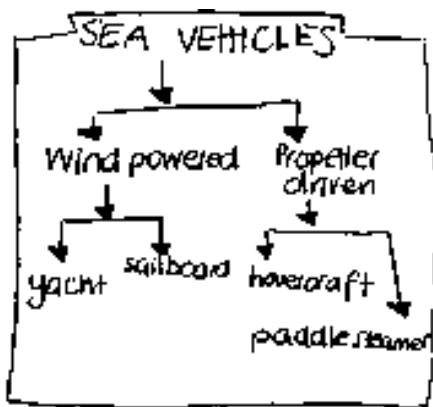
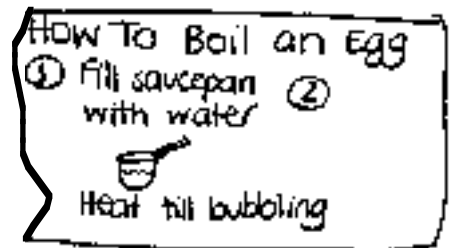


Flow Diagrams

Flow diagrams link their subjects with lines or arrows to show a process that moves through time (such as a life cycle) or space (such as a water cycle).

How To Sequences

These set out actions to be followed in a series of steps.



Tree Diagrams

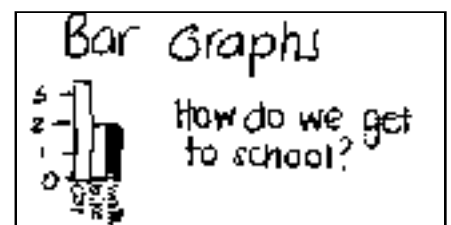
Tree diagrams take the form of branching trees that connect objects or concepts in a series of forked branches.

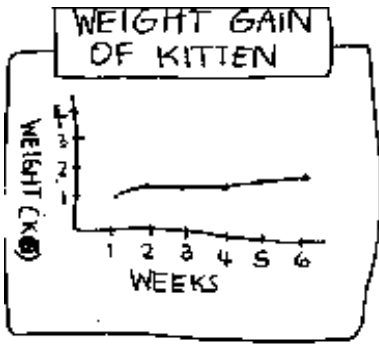
Bar Graphs

These graphs arrange information so that it can be easily measured, compared or ranked.

Line Graphs

These show changes or development over time.



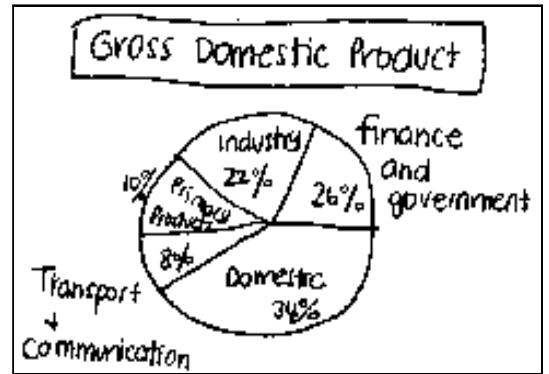


Pie Graphs

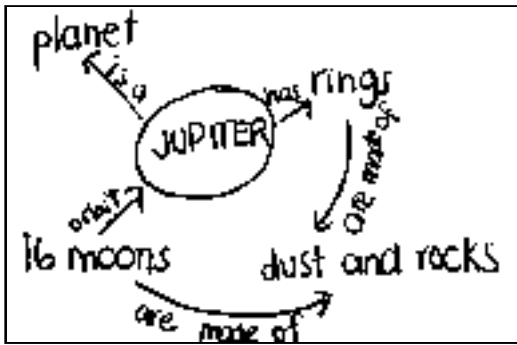
Pie graphs are good ways of showing proportions and percentages.

Web Diagrams

Web diagrams make connections between objects, topics, or concepts.



Time Lines



Time lines are used to summarize a sequence of events and to see logic in these events.

Birds Eye Views

These are maps that include a mixture of perspectives - directly overhead, viewed at an angle from overhead, and a side view.



Context Maps

Context maps are those where the students can draw from their immediate surroundings.



Tables

Meaning is constructed in these by connecting the information in the columns or rows.

Other PLANETS climates		
	Venus	Mars
Temp	boiling hot	Below freezing
Wind	Gale force all year	strong seasonal dust storms
cloud	dark clouds all day	light cloud
moisture	acid rain	none

Flow Maps

Flow maps summarise a process that is shown to move through the space represented in the map (eg weather maps, exploration maps, maps showing migration).

