

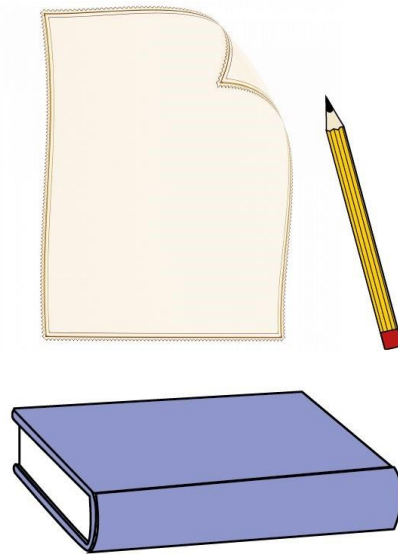
Activity 2 – Drawing and painting  
Draw your home

**What to do**

- Ask your child to shut their eyes and imagine what their home looks like from the front
- Ask them to draw what they imagined – describe the building they have drawn – is it really like their house?
- Go outside if you can and compare the picture with your home (or use a photo or Google Street View). Compare window numbers, door position and roof shape. What other features can you see?
- Either outside or with a photo, work together to sketch the front of your home. You can add lots of details and colour.

**What you need**

- Paper
- Pencils and/or pens
- A clipboard or hard back book to lean on



**Extension**

Draw a different house front which you can see from your window  
View a famous building (or family home) which you cannot physically visit using <https://www.instantstreetview.com/> (Try Buckingham Palace for example). Draw this building

**Questions to ask**

Can you shut your eyes and imagine what our house looks like if you stand outside?  
How many windows do we have/doors/chimneys?  
What shape is our roof?  
What other details can you see? How big are the windows compared to the door?