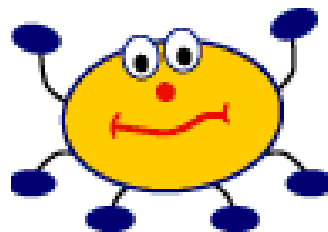
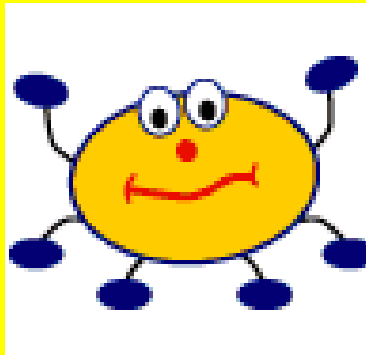


Kidspiration **1.0**



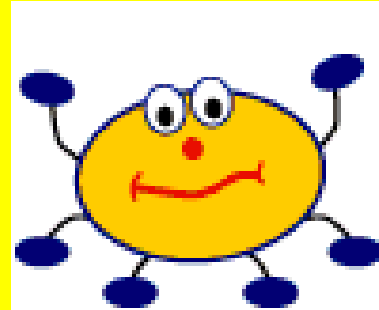
What is Kidspiration?

- **Visual learning tool**
- **Encourages brainstorming**
- **Information organization**
- **Concept mapping/outlining**
- **Demonstrates how ideas are connected**



What does Kidspiration provide?

- **Audio tools support emerging readers and writers**
- **Represent ideas with generic shapes or graphics**
- **Import digital pictures**
- **Take organized notes**
- **Curriculum integration**



Kidspiration Starter

New



Picture



Writing

Open



Open a file

Activities



Reading and Writing



Social Studies



Science



More...



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Quit

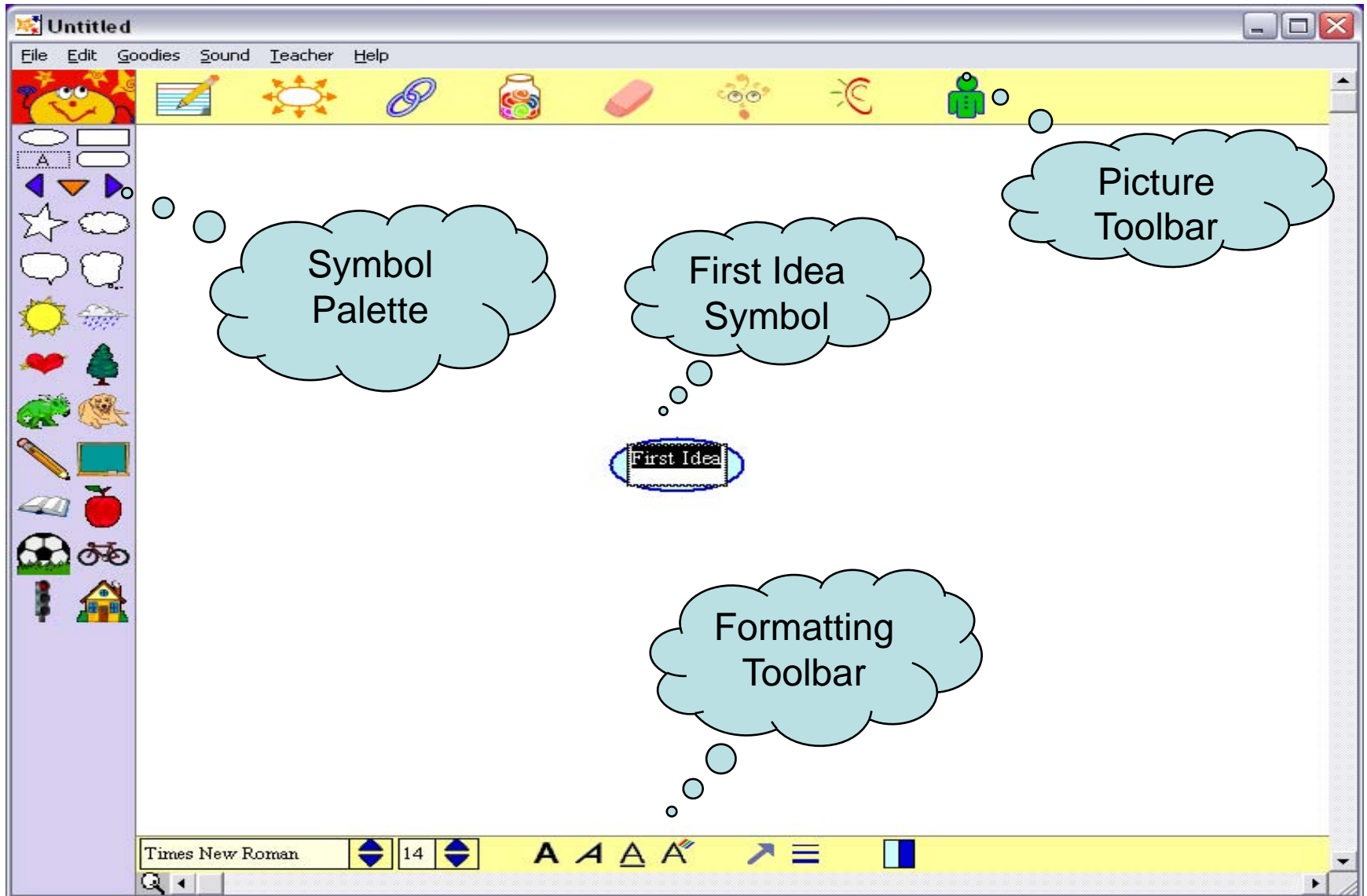
Kidspiration Main Menu

- Choose New for a new blank map
- Choose Open to work on a map you made previously
- Choose Activities to choose a teacher-made map


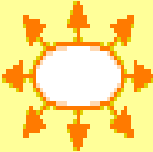
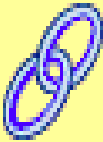




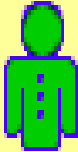
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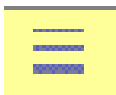
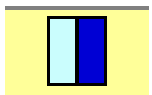
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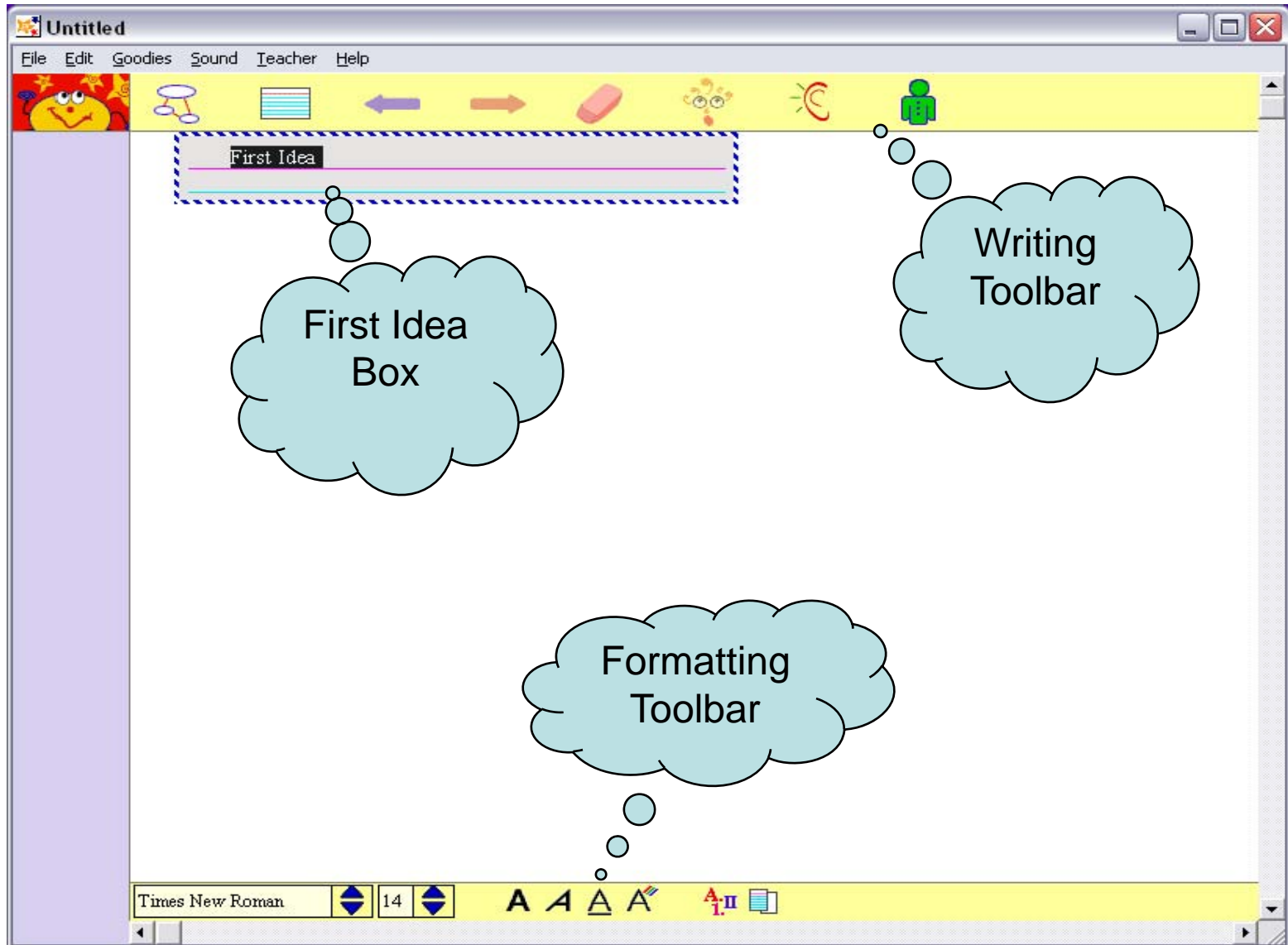
Picture Toolbar

							
Go to writing view	Add a symbol to your diagram	Links symbols on your diagram	Add a Super Grouper category	Clear the current section	Undo the last change	Turn on the listen tool	Print your name and information at the top of the page


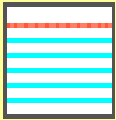





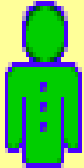
Formatting

								
Change the font	Change the font size	Bold	Italic	Underline	Text Color	Change the Arrow	Change the line thickness	Change the color of the symbol








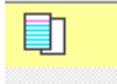
Writing View



Writing Toolbar

							
Go to picture view	Add an idea to your project	Move an idea up a level	Move an idea down a level	Clear the current selection	Undo the last change	Turn on the Listen tool	Print your name and information on the page

Formatting

							
Change the font	Change the font size	Bold	Italic	Underline	Text Color	Change the prefix	Show or hide the lined paper

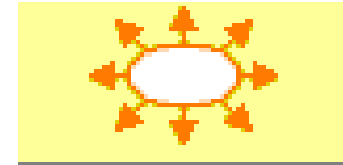
Start a New Diagram

- Click on the 1st Idea Symbol
- Type in your main idea (All About Me)



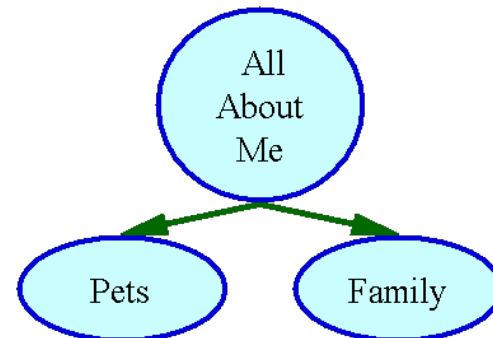
Add Symbols

- Click on your 1st Idea
- Click on the Add Symbols button to add as many symbols as you would like (click twice)





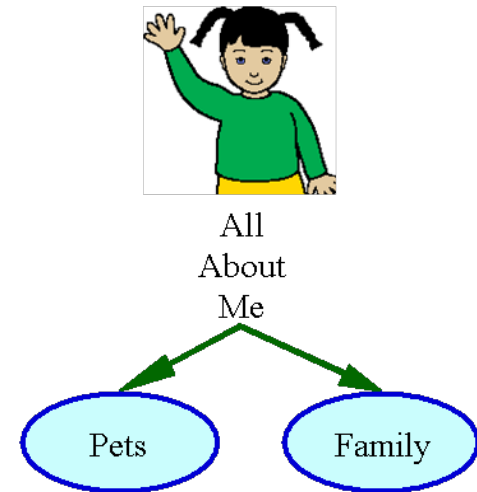
Adding Text

- Click one of the new symbols to select it
- Type in your text (family) (pets)



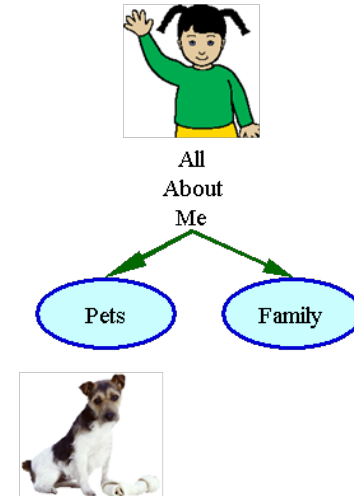
Using the Symbol Palette

- Click on your 1st Idea (All About Me)
- On the Symbol Palette, click on **Pick Library Button**  and select **People**
- Click the **Next Library Button**  until you see the symbol that you want.
- Click on it. Your circle will be replaced by the symbol



Adding more Symbols

- Make sure that none of your symbols are selected in your diagram
- Go to the symbol palette and locate another picture (dog)
- Click the picture
- Drag the picture where you want it (under pets)

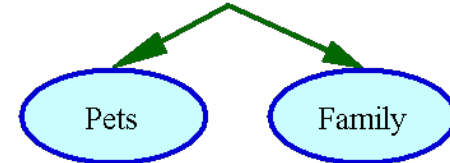


Connect Symbols Using Links

- Click one of your symbols (Pets)
- Click the link symbol on the toolbar
- Click on the picture or symbol to create a link to it (Dog)
- Click the Link Symbols button to turn it off

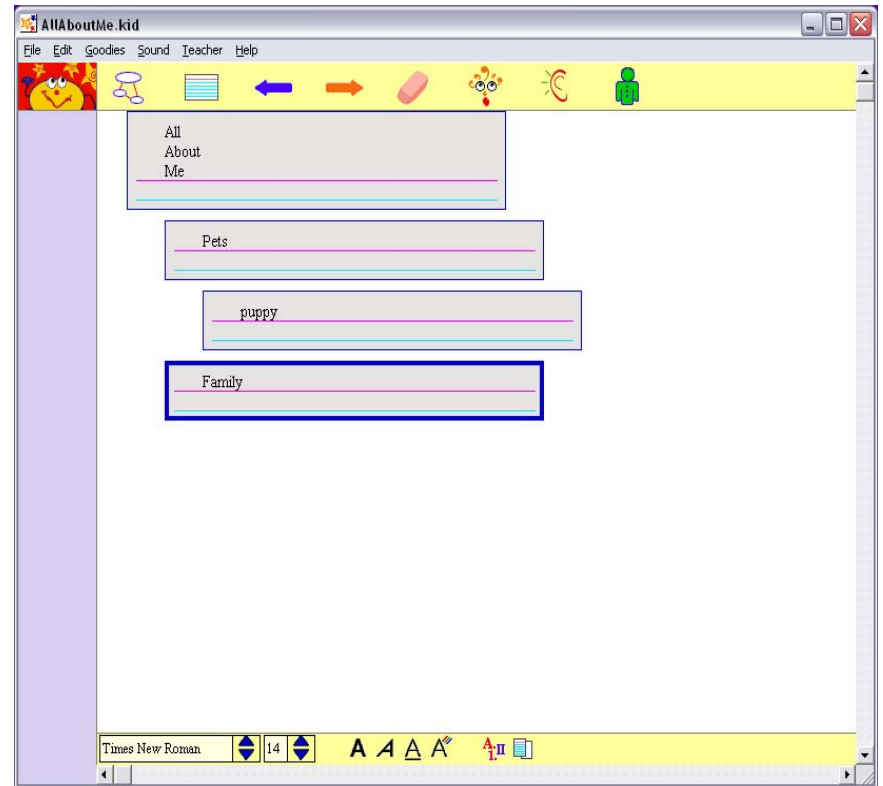


All
About
Me



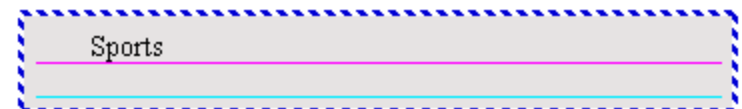
Working in Writing View

- Click on Writing View Button
- The ideas in your diagram are organized from top to bottom with your first idea at the top



Add an Idea

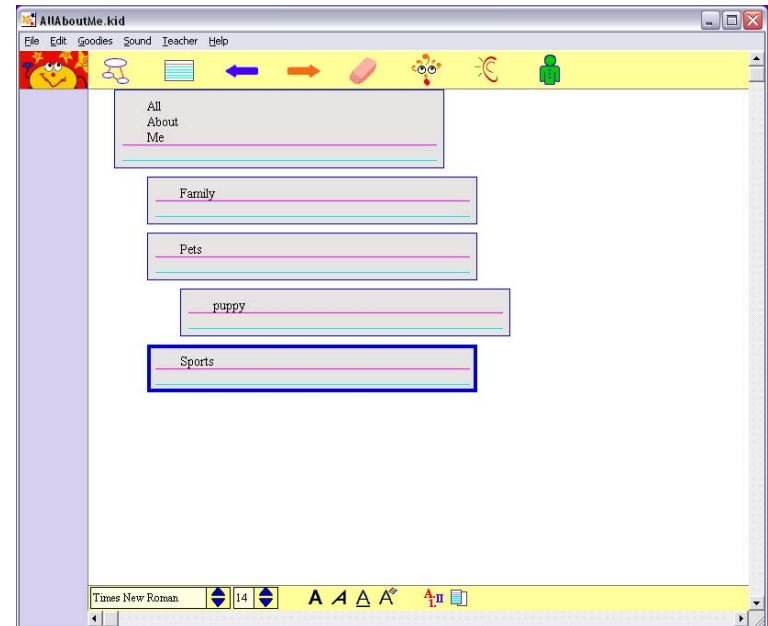
- Click on your 1st Idea (All About Me)
- Click the **Add Idea** Button
- Type your new idea (Sports)



Working in Writing View - continued

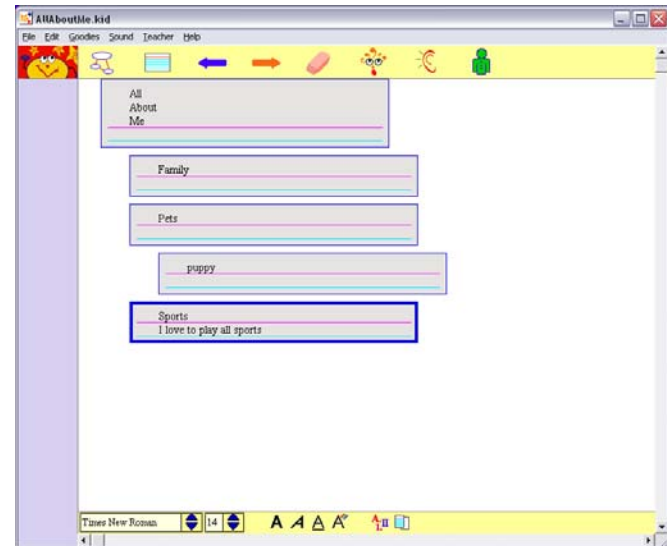
Move an Idea

- Click on the left side of the idea
- When the grabber hand appears, drag the idea to the new location (Drag the Family idea up so it is located below the All About Me Idea)
- Click on the left or right arrows to move ideas also (Click on Sports and then click on the right button once)




Add Details to an Idea

- Click below the top line in one of your ideas
- Type in your notes
- *The notes will **not** appear on the diagram view

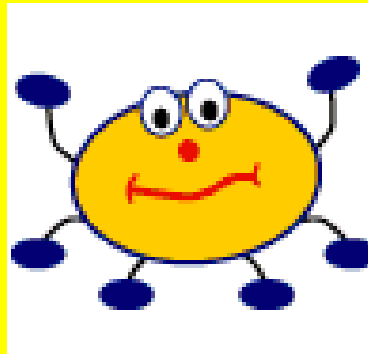


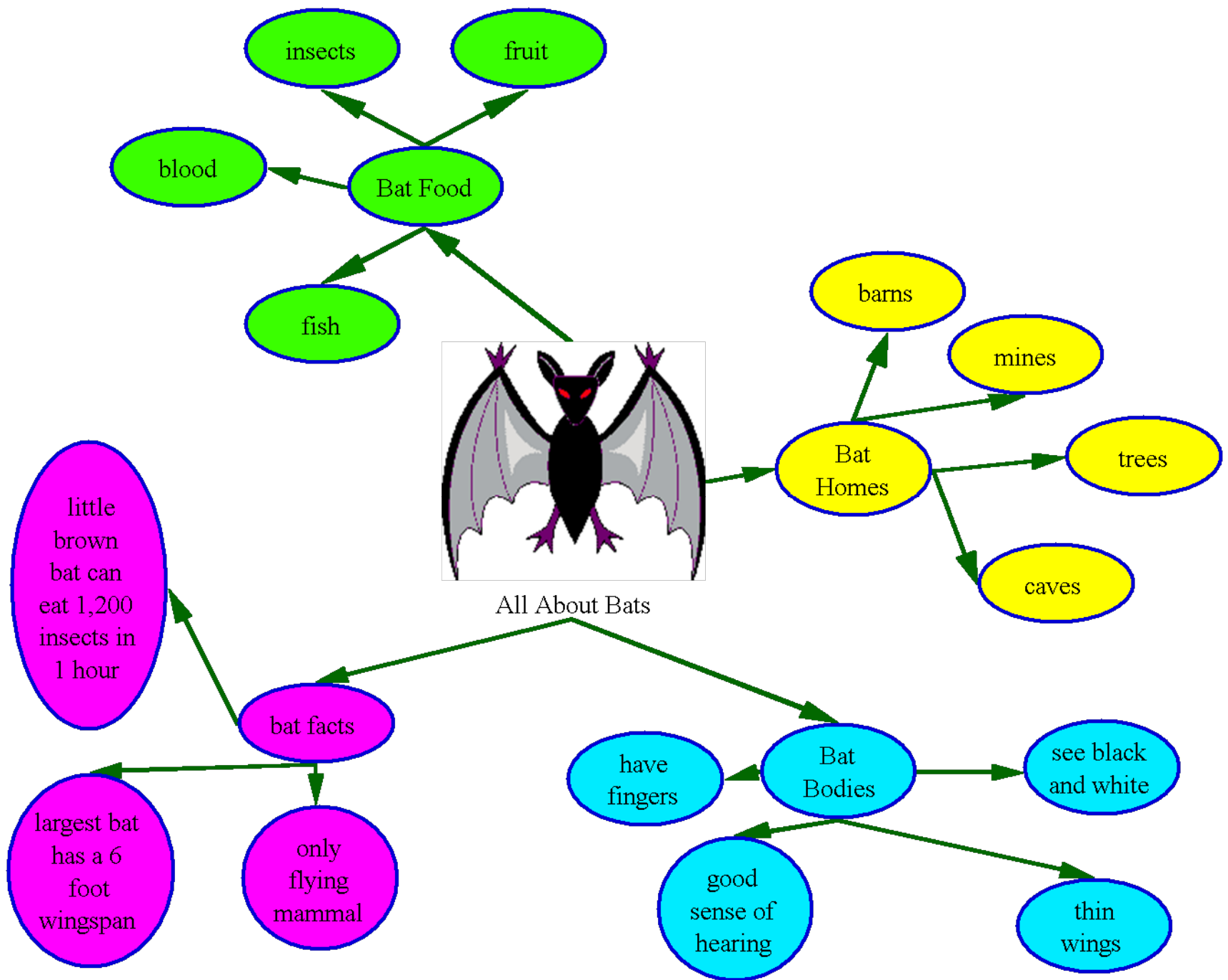
Formatting

- Click on an idea (All About Me) and highlight the text
- Click on the Text Color Button  to change the color of the text
- Click the arrows on the Font box until you see a font that you like
- Click the up arrow on the Text Size box to increase the text size to 18.

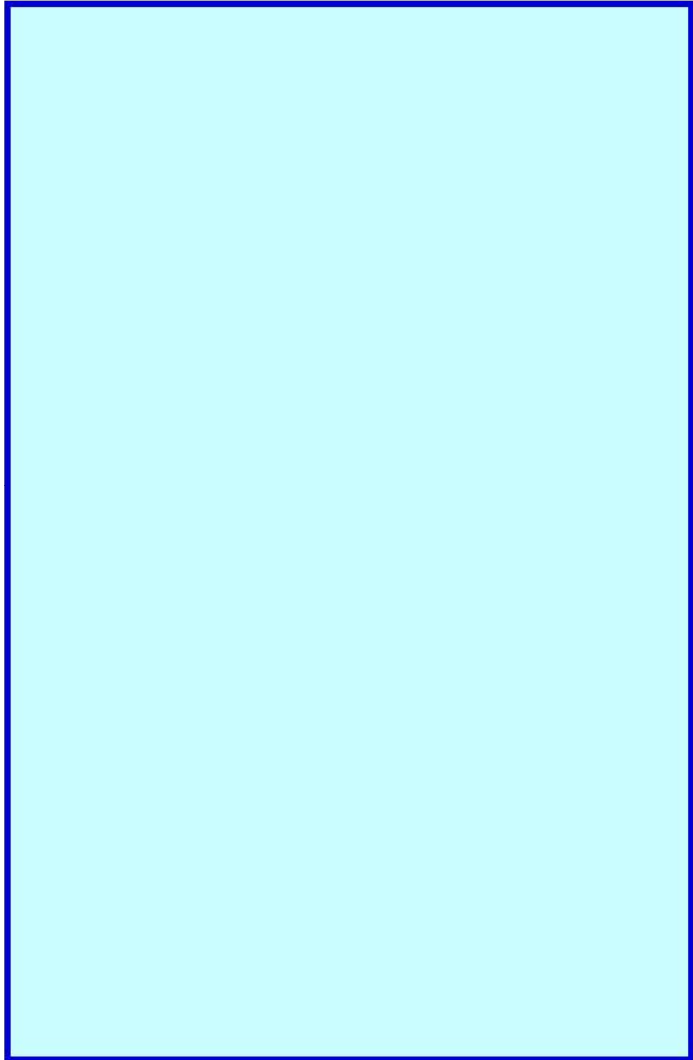
All About Me

Sample Kidspiration Activities

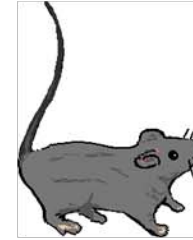




Stellaluna is a bat. Bats are mammals. Find the other mammals



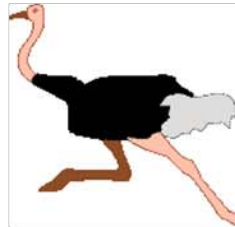
shark



mouse



kangaroo



ostrich



cat



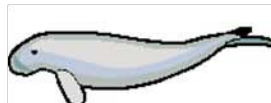
dragonfly



opossum



deer



manatee



lizard



dolphin



hummingbird

Matter can be classified as a solid, liquid, or gas.

Matter

Drag the symbols to the correct Super Grouper box.



sled



desk



glue

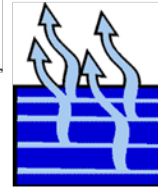


drink

SOLID



tornado



evaporation



cloud



milk



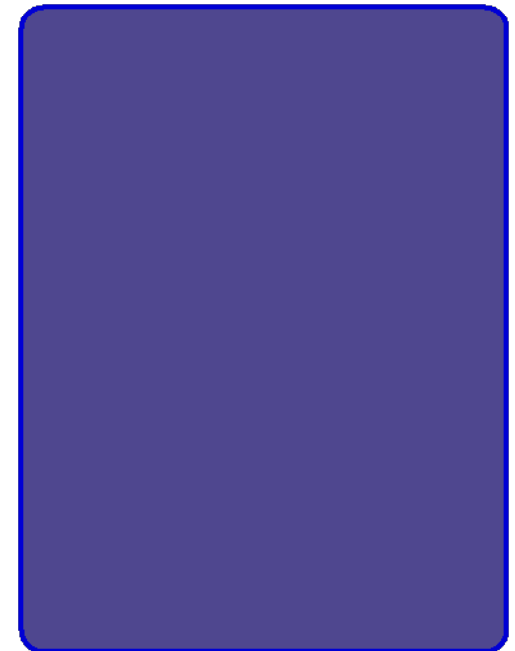
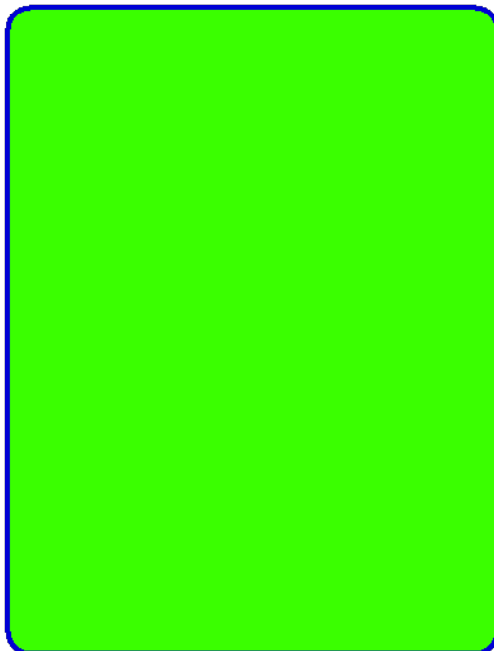
glass
slipper



pretzel

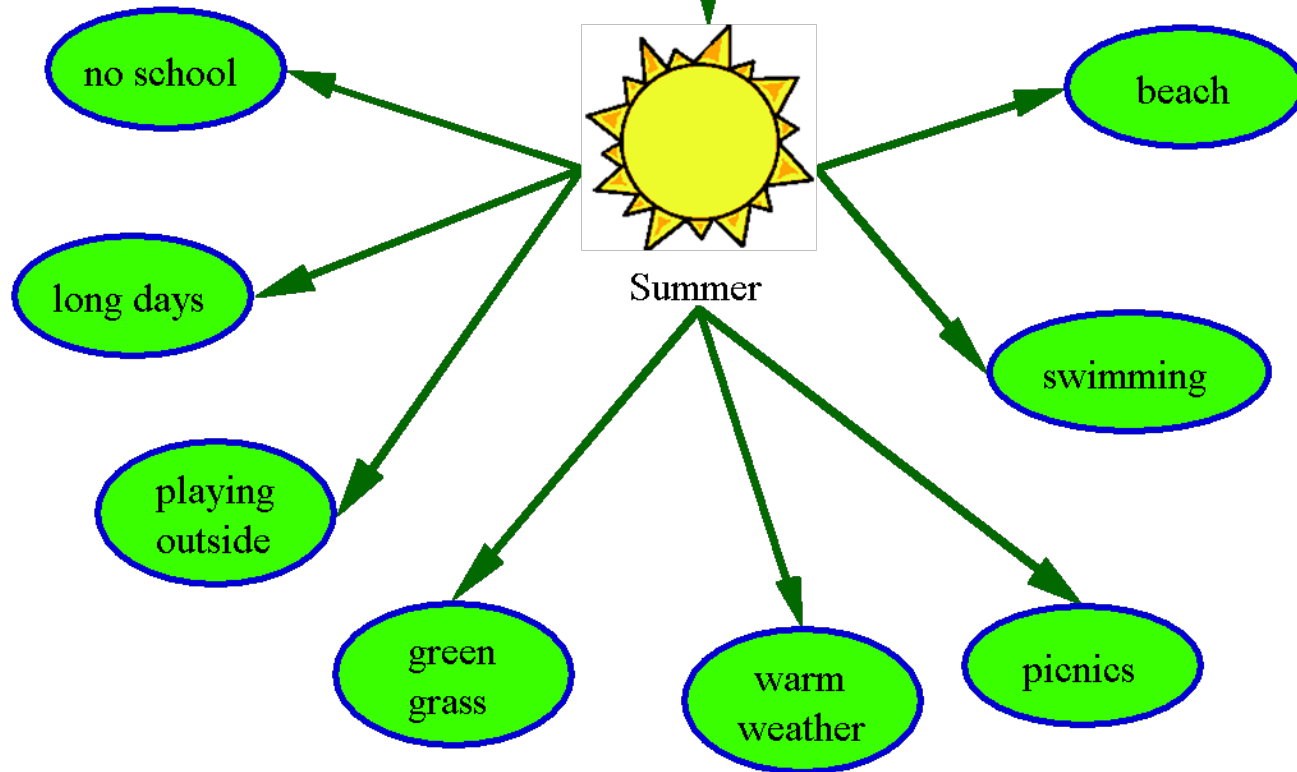
LIQUID

GAS





Describe your
favorite time
of year

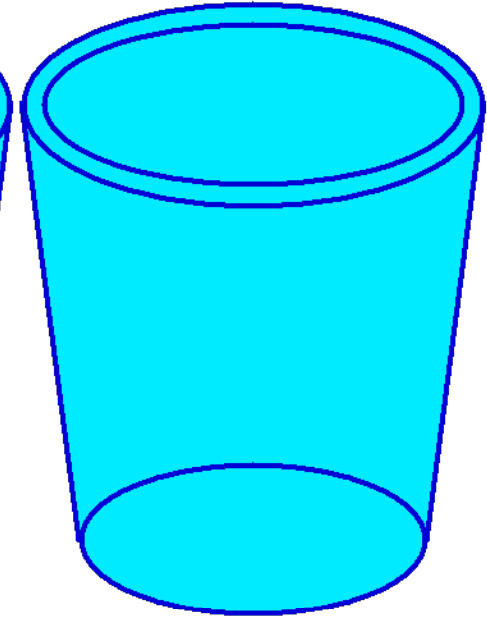
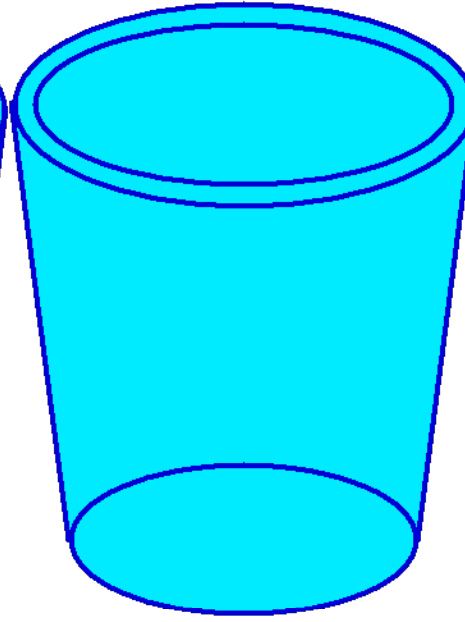
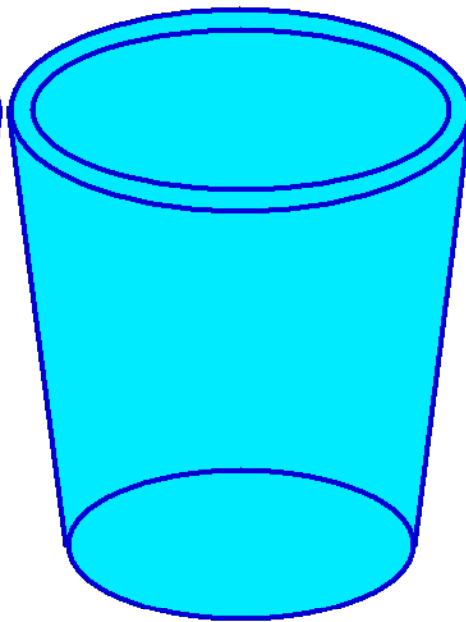
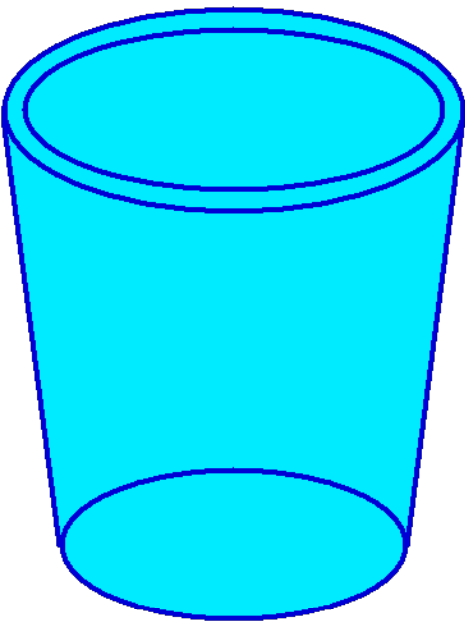


Characters

Problem

Events

Solution



Before reading Flat Stanley, decide which words or phrases go under each category.

Use your cursor to drag each item under the category you have selected

Arthur's
Idea

Mrs.
Lambchop

hot
chocolate

California

pajama top

enormous
brown paper
envelope

kite

whooshing

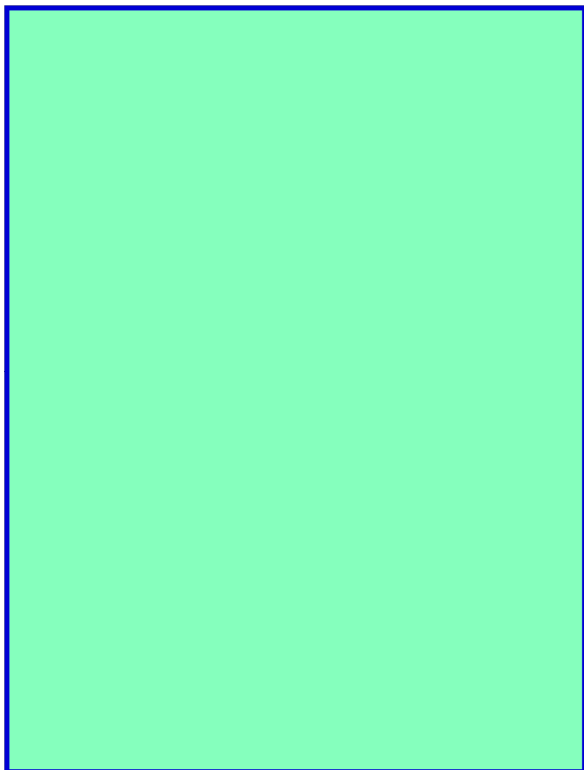
Stanley

theives

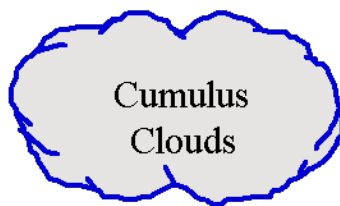
sound of
crying



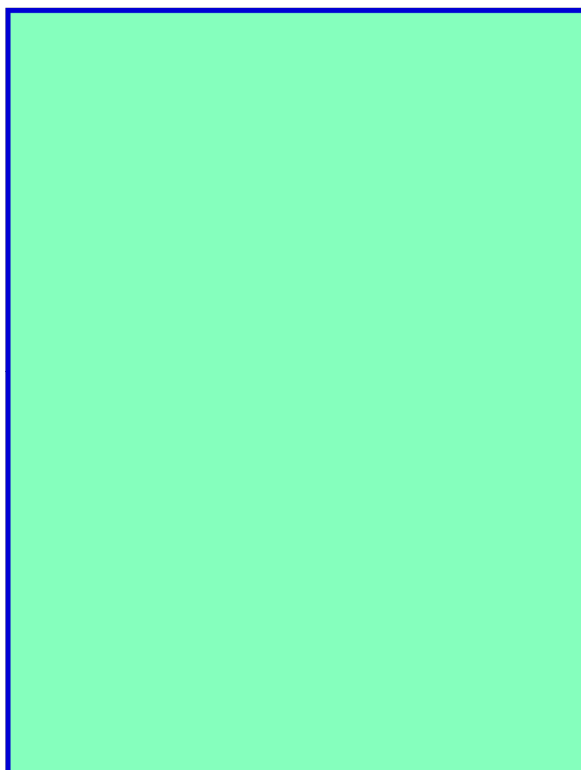
Cirrus Clouds



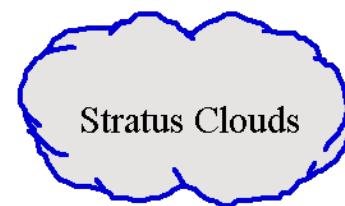
High and thin



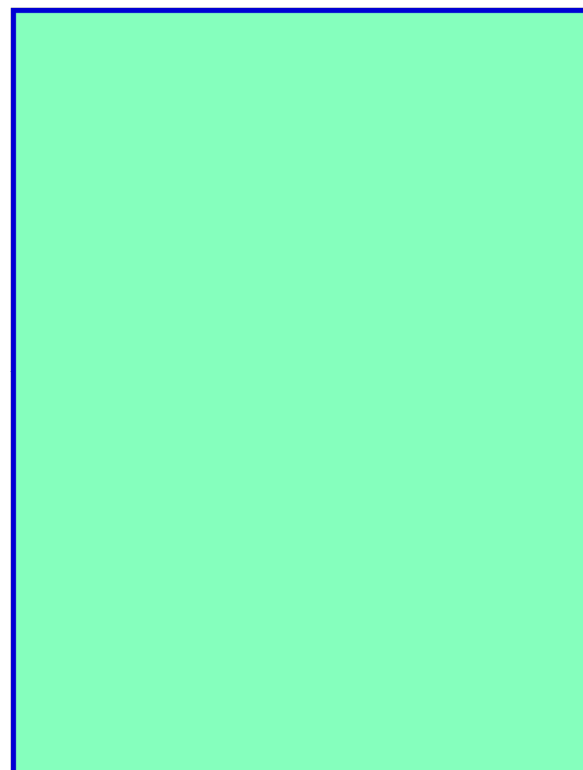
Cumulus
Clouds



Puffy



Stratus Clouds



Low and cover
the sky