

Sketchbook Ideas for “Inktober”

Inktober is a fun drawing challenge that was originally created by artist Jake Parker* and has since spread throughout the internet. Every day in October you can draw anything you'd like, as long as it's in ink (digital or traditional). Then share your work on social media using the hash tag “inktober”. For more info visit <http://mrjakeparker.com/inktober>.

Stuck for ideas? Here's 31 drawing prompts to help you practice making drawings that are expressive and entertaining. For hundreds of more ideas, plus over 30 pages of instructional content, check out the Pose Drawing Sparkbook at <http://www.cedricstudio.com/sparkbook>.

*(*Note: The Pose Drawing Sparkbook is not affiliated with or endorsed by Jake Parker.)*

1. Trying to close an overstuffed suitcase.
2. A clumsy jester has spilled wine all over the king.
3. A caveman teaching his pet dinosaur to play fetch.
4. “I just heard the funniest joke!”
5. An old professor chases his escaped lab rat through the university library.
6. Asking a loan shark for money.
7. Haven't slept in three days.
8. Illustrate “dignity”
9. A hermit describing how he was abducted by a UFO.
10. ‘The boy who cried wolf’ realizing that this time no one is coming.
11. “There, there. It's be all right.”
12. A coach blowing his top during a halftime locker room speech.
13. Learning to roller skate.
14. A hammy actor fumbles and drops the skull during a performance of “Hamlet”
15. An imaginative child playing with a cardboard box.
16. Illustrate “macho”
17. Just spilled a drink on your laptop.
18. A timid person confronting a bully.
19. Opening a door with your arms full.
20. A young farm boy tries to get a stubborn goat out of it's pen.
21. Really telling someone off!
22. “I may be old but I could still whip both of you!”
23. At home alone watching a scary movie.
24. Illustrate “headache”
25. Someone smashing their thumb with a hammer.
26. Walking into a gust of wind.
27. Telling a story to a child.
28. A nervous criminal attempting his first robbery.
29. “Aw, shucks!”
30. Illustrate “out of breath”
31. Dr. Jekyll transforming into Mr. Hyde

