

Mentor Text

Watch the video and follow along with the mentor text below. Then, underline at least 5 examples of sensory language found in the Mentor Text. (Hint: Find action words that match the 5 senses.)

My Full Yard

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It smells like burned fire with wet dog and dirt. I can see my two German shepherds playing in the yard.

I can see the yellow leaves falling like snow on my yard. I can hear the trains blick crack, blick crack. I

can see my six cars. I can see a helicopter in the sky.

I see leaves on the cement.

My yard with my fence and my path filled with rocks.

I can hear the leaves crunching when I step on them, *psclcrckps*.

I can see my dad's garage filled with two cars.

I can see a beehive in a hole in the roof.

I feel scared the bees might sting.

I can see the barbeque covered in ashes we used in the summer...

I remember laughing kids playing with each other.

I remember my dad cooking fried chicken and fries, my dad leaves and my mom cooks, my dad takes us on his motorcycle.

I remember my sisters, my cousins, and I playing tag.

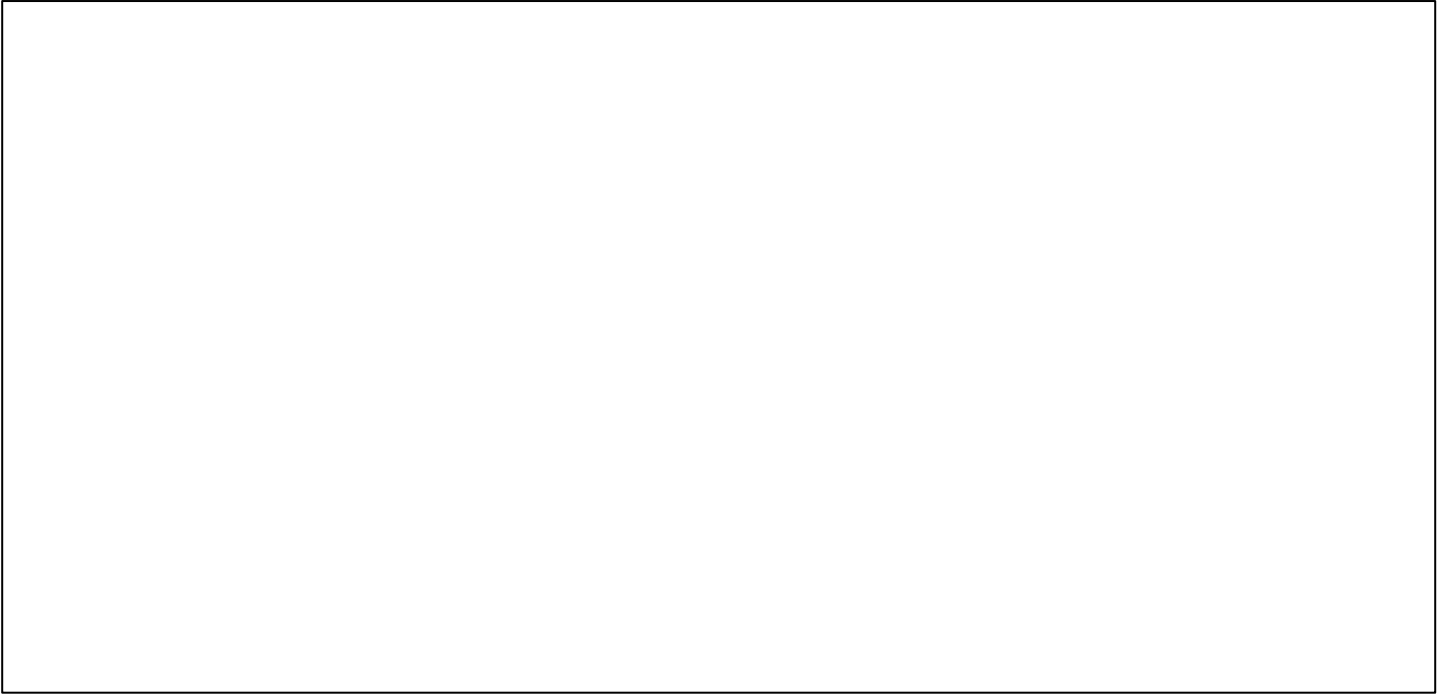
We ran as fast as we could. I remember the smell of flowers and food.

I remember screaming and shouting, talking and laughing.

I can see how yards change, years, days, and months, all in a time of happiness.

Your Place

Draw a picture of your special place below. Include as many details as you can. On the bottom of the page, write about why this place is important to you.



Why is this place important to you?

Sensory Details

Use your imagination to put yourself in that place. Finish the sentences below to describe your place, using concrete words and sensory language.

Your place: _____

Sense	Your Descriptions
<p>Sight</p> <p>List at least 3 things you can see.</p>	<p>I see</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>
<p>Sound</p> <p>List at least 3 things you can hear.</p>	<p>I hear</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>
<p>Touch/Feeling</p> <p>List at least 3 things you can touch or emotions you feel.</p>	<p>I feel</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>
<p>Smell</p> <p>List at least 3 things you can smell.</p>	<p>I smell</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>
<p>Taste</p> <p>List at least 1 thing you can taste.</p>	<p>I taste</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>

Your Memory

Draw a memory you have of this place in the box below. Include as many of concrete details as you can think of.

