

# What Might You Do?



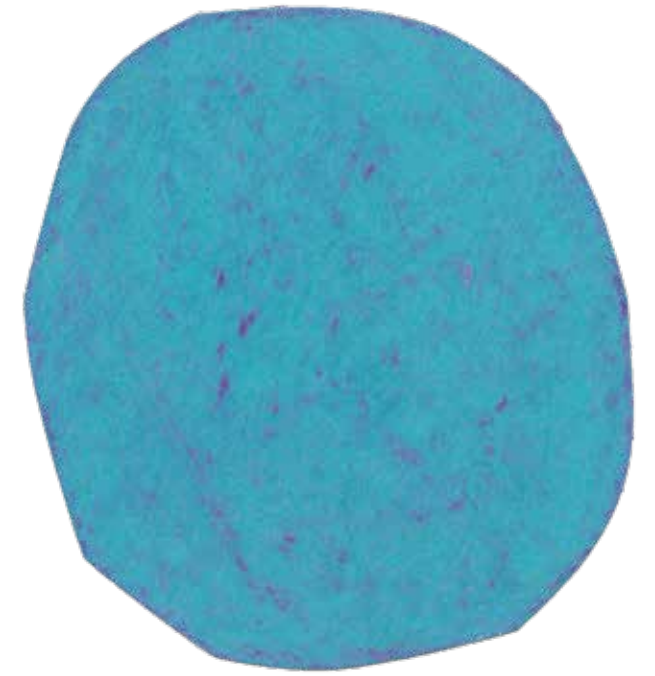
I go with my gut and choose stories that will bring me joy to illustrate. I think the strongest picture books show, rather than tell. I am drawn to stories that leave room for the illustrator to be a part of the storytelling process.

Christian Robinson



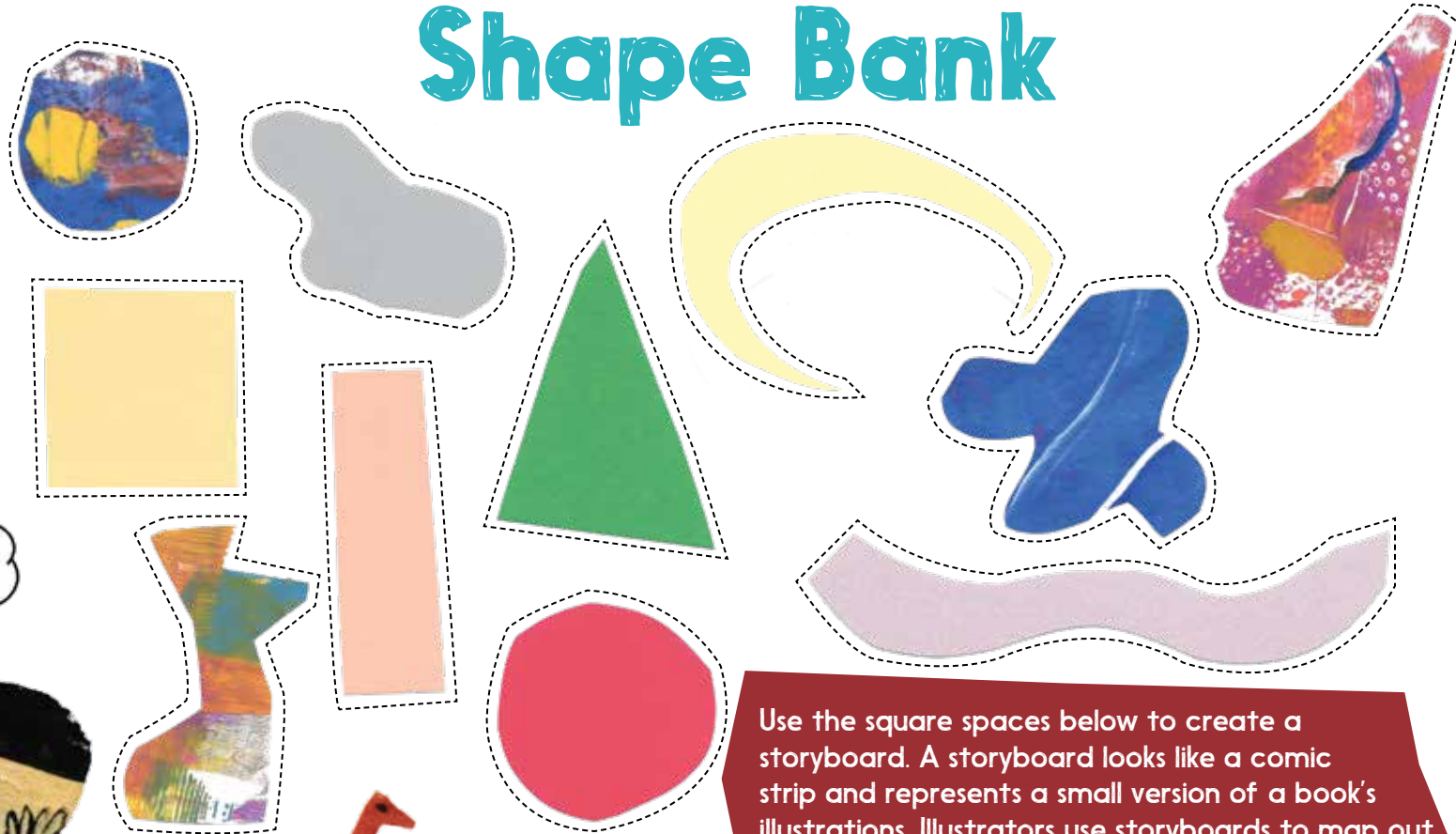
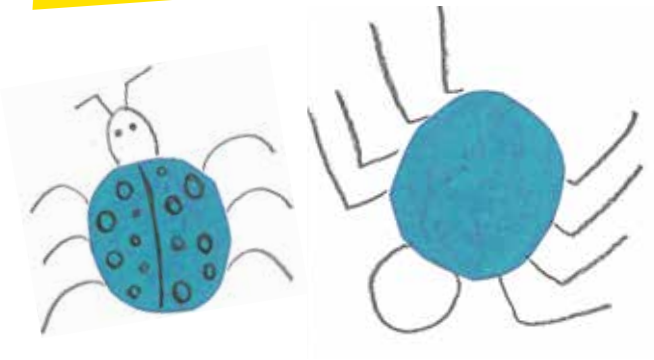
Having fun? Continue creating your own illustrations and stories by picking up an Art Kit for more supplies and ideas.

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An illustration is a picture in a book that helps tell a story. Artist Christian Robinson uses bright colors and geometric shapes like building blocks to create eye-catching illustrations for children's books.

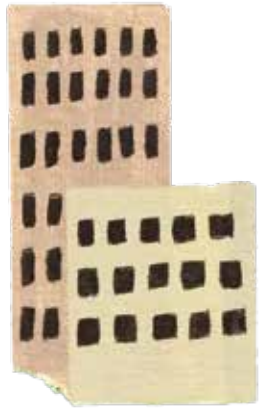


# Shape Bank

How can you use circles, squares, triangles . . . maybe even a rhomboid to make pictures that take you on a journey, just like your favorite book?

Use the square spaces below to create a storyboard. A storyboard looks like a comic strip and represents a small version of a book's illustrations. Illustrators use storyboards to map out images and text for a book.

## Create Your Artful Adventure



Try cutting out your storyboard and folding it back-and-forth like a fan to turn your creation into a mini-accordion book.

