

## Art

- The Eighth-grade child has learned how to navigate and use different tools in Pixlr to edit photos.
- They have gained an understanding of basic photo editing concepts such as cropping, resizing, and adjusting brightness/contrast.
- The child has learned how to apply various filters and effects to enhance their photos creatively.
- They have also explored the concept of layers and how to use them to add text or graphics to their images.

For continued development, encourage the child to experiment with more advanced editing techniques in Pixlr, such as using masks and blending modes to create unique effects. They can also practice editing different types of photos, such as landscapes, portraits, or still life, to further refine their skills and understanding of composition.

## Book Recommendations

- [Photography for Kids: A Fun Guide to Digital Photography](#) by Michael Ebert: This book provides a comprehensive introduction to digital photography, including tips and techniques for editing photos using software like Pixlr.
- [The Photoshop Workbook: Professional Retouching and Compositing Tips](#) by Glyn Dewis: Although focused on Photoshop, this book offers valuable insights and techniques for advanced photo editing, which can be applied to Pixlr as well.
- [Picture This: How Pictures Work](#) by Molly Bang: This book explores the visual language of art and provides a deeper understanding of composition, color, and storytelling through images, which can greatly enhance photo editing skills.

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