Art

- The Seventh-grade child learned how to draw a character using step-by-step instructions provided by Art Hub for Kids.
- They learned about basic shapes and how to use them as a foundation for their character drawings.
- The child practiced using different lines and strokes to add details and textures to their characters.
- They developed their creativity and imagination by designing unique and original characters.

For continued development, encourage the child to explore different art styles and experiment with various mediums such as colored pencils, markers, or watercolors. They can also challenge themselves to create more complex characters with intricate backgrounds and storytelling elements.

Book Recommendations

- <u>How to Draw Cool Stuff: A Drawing Guide for Teachers and Students</u> by Catherine V. Holmes: This book provides step-by-step instructions and techniques for drawing various subjects, including characters, in a cool and engaging way.
- <u>Cartooning: Character Design</u> by Sherm Cohen: This book focuses on character design specifically in the world of cartoons and animation, offering valuable insights and tips for creating dynamic and expressive characters.
- Draw Every Day, Draw Every Way (Guided Sketchbook): Sketch, Paint, and Doodle Through One Creative Year by Jennifer Orkin Lewis: This interactive sketchbook encourages daily drawing practice and prompts the artist to explore different techniques, styles, and subject matters, including character drawing.

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