A COOL DRINK OF WATER
MAKING INFERENCES WITH PHOTOGRAPHS

Readers examine pictures carefully for details, then use what they see and already know to make a good guess about what is happening in the photograph.

**DIRECTIONS**

1. Look at the three photographs on the next page carefully. Think about all details you can see in the photograph.
2. Then, fill in the inference chart underneath the photograph. Write your observations in the What I See column.
3. Now, think about what you already know (your schema or background knowledge). Fill in the What I Know column.
4. Finally, make an inference. What do you think is happening and what do you think the author was trying to communicate in the photo? Fill in the What I Can Infer column with your conclusions.

**EXAMPLE**

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Two children in the air above a trampoline that is outside. They have no shoes on and one child is smaller.

Trampolines are used for jumping and playing outside. They can be dangerous so usually kids use them at home in their yard. Kids usually play with their siblings at home.

This is two brothers playing outside in their backyard on their trampoline. One child is older and heavier, so he is not flying as high as the smaller one. Both kids are having fun!
### Inference Chart

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Color in the image below. See example on the next page for inspiration.
EARTH DAY DO SOMETHING POSTER COLORING

DO SOMETHING

IF WE ALL PICK A FEW THINGS TO DO TO HELP, IT'LL MAKE A HUGE CHANGE!

1. PLANT A TREE!!!
2. USE REUSABLE GROCERY BAGS
3. MAKE NATURAL SOLUTIONS TO RID YOUR GARDEN OF PESTS / WEEDS
4. LET THE SPIDER KEEP ITS WEB
5. USE LESS WATER!
6. PLANT SOME MILK-WEED
7. TURN OFF THE LIGHTS!
8. CLEAN THAT SPILL WITH A REUSABLE CLOTH TOWEL...
9. EAT LESS MEAT!
10. CARPOOL!
11. PICK A CAUSE TO SUPPORT AND MAKE A DONATION.
12. SPARE THAT BEE!!!
13. WALK
14. GET A RAIN BARREL!
15. PLANT FLOWERS / LET WILDFLOWERS GROW

DON'T LITTER
BIKE!
RECYCLE!!!