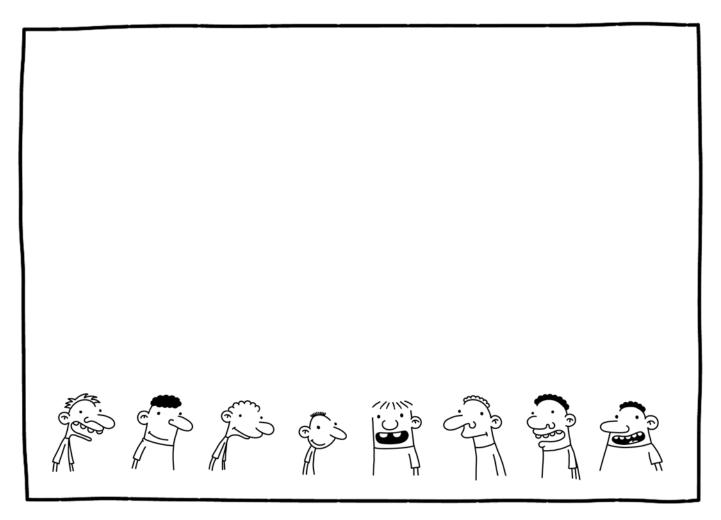


Make you and your friends part of the Wimpy fun by sketching your own characters!

Start by practicing drawing like Jeff Kinney. You could use tracing paper to draw over one of the sketches and get used to the lines and style of the characters. Or put some paper alongside a book and try to copy a drawing as closely as possible. Look at what makes the Wimpy Kid drawings great: simple, clean lines, big heads, thin arms and legs and mouth expressions that show you how a character is feeling.

Now try drawing yourself or your friends! Set yourself up facing a mirror, or get a photo to base your sketch on. Think about the features that you want to highlight. You could try giving yourself a perfectly round head like Greg's, and adding in simple features from there, exaggerating any that you like. So if you've got short hair, just draw a few strands like Greg's, and if you're often smiling, add in a big happy mouth.

My Wimpified character is



Remember - you can also Wimpify yourself online at www.wimpykidclub.co.uk!



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