

WHAT IS A PROCEDURAL TEXT?

A procedural text involves a set of instructions or information on how to do something.

For example ...

- How to cook pancakes
- How to build something
- How to put together a table and chairs
- How to create something
- How to draw something

TIME TO TRY FOLLOWING A PROCEDURAL TEXT!

- 1. Turn to a fresh new page in your English exercise book
- 2. Write the heading 'PROCEDURAL TEXT DRAWING A CAT' at the top-centre of the page
- 3. Draw a cat in the middle of the page, using only: A large circle for the body

 A smaller circle for the head
- 4. Draw two triangles on the top-sides of the smaller circle for ears
- 5. Place two tiny circles in the face for eyes and give the cat a smile
- 6. Put three whiskers on both sides of the cat's face
- 7. Give your cat a tail

DO WE ALL HAVE A CAT?

HOLD UP YOUR MASTERPIECE!

'DRAWING A CAT' DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- What skills were required by the informer (the teacher/the instructor) to be successful in the listeners (the students/the drawers) to complete the task?
- What skills were required by the listeners to be successful in completing the task?
- Evaluate the language used in the instructions.
- What did you find easy about completing the task?
- What did you find difficult about completing the task?
- What could the informer (the teacher/the instructor) have done better?
- What could the listeners (the students/the drawers) have done better?

WRITE A ONE PARAGRAPH
REFLECTION EXPLAINING WHAT YOU
THOUGHT WORKED WELL AND
WHAT DIDN'T IN THIS ACTIVITY, AND
WHY.