

The Doodling Song

Words and Music by Mary Green and Julie Stanley

I had a pencil,
I had a pen,
I had a paintbrush
And guess what happened then!

Why I drew...

Lines and spaces,
Rows of funny faces,
Till there wasn't room for anymore.
Dots and dashes,
Zigs-zags and flashes,
Such a lot of lovely things to draw.
Spirals, arrows,
Stripes wide and narrow,
Doodling is such a lot of fun.

Now I've done it
And I love it.
Come and see the doodle that I've done!

Yes I drew...

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Rows of funny faces,
Till there wasn't room for anymore.
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And I love it.
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TA DA!

- Make some repeating patterns using shapes from the song, eg, arrow-dot-dash, arrow-dot-dash, etc.
- Use a variety of objects as printing stamps to create some pattern effects, for example paper clips; wool; buttons; dried pasta; leaves, etc.