

Making Direct Object Flip Book

Directions: Use the landscape sentence planner on the following page to design 9 sentences. Each sentence should contain a subject, past tense verb, direct object, and prepositional phrase. When finished, simply cut the strips carefully apart and staple them, one atop the other per component, into a folded piece of 12'' by 4'' construction paper, to create a flip book. The different components of the sentence are altered by "flipping" them to combine original sentences into new "silly sentences."

Tip: Copying the components of the landscape sentence planner onto larger strips of paper will make for a sturdier flip book. The key is aligning the separate components so that the "new sentences" match up correctly when flipped.

Additional tip: Double check that all verbs are past tense to ensure fluency.

