

Read the “River of Paint” passage.

## **River of Paint**

- 1 Tim’s favorite part of the day was art class. He loved drawing and painting best. Ms. Han told them they were going to draw a picture to show their favorite memory. Tim knew exactly what his picture was going to be about! He was thinking about how happy his mom was going to be when she saw the picture. Suddenly, across the table, Susan screamed! Tim looked up and saw a river of blue paint heading toward his painting.



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# Writing Prompt

Use your imagination to write a new story about what happened in Tim's art class, including what he was drawing and what happened after Susan spilled the paint.

Manage your time carefully so you can

- plan
- write
- revise
- edit

Be sure to include

- a plot with a beginning, middle, and end
- character development
- a descriptive ending

Your response should be in the form of a multi-paragraph story. Write your story in the space below.