The pencil box

Short sentences

Nour opened her pencil box. Her green pencil was missing. Adam lent her his. Nour drew a tree. She gave the pencil back and thanked him. The friends drew a big garden.

Talk and draw

How did Nour ask for the pencil? What did she do when she finished? Draw something to add to the garden.

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Longer story

Nour wanted to draw a tree, but she could not find her green pencil. She looked under her paper and beside her chair. It was not there. Adam was drawing a red flower. "May I borrow your green pencil to finish the leaves?" she asked. He handed it to her and waited. Nour coloured the leaves, then returned the pencil. "Thank you. I can help you put the colours away," she said. When they finished, they placed their drawings together. There was no longer a tree on its own or a flower on its own. In front of them was the beginning of a garden.

Talk and draw

How did Nour ask for the pencil? What did she do when she finished? Draw something to add to the garden.