

Benny and Penny Activity Sheet

Name: _____

Date: _____

Directions: Comics use different **text features** to tell a story. After you learn about speech balloons, thought balloons, captions, and sound effects, see if you can find examples in the pictures below from *Benny and Penny*!

Speech Balloon

When a character speaks, his or her words are shown in a **speech balloon**. The tail of the balloon always points to his or her mouth.

Thought Balloon

When a character thinks silently, his or her thoughts are shown in a different balloon. Instead of a tail, there is a trail of little bubbles.

Caption

A caption describes something that is happening in the story.

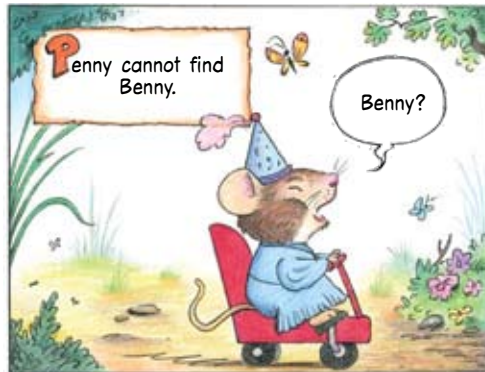
Sound Effect

A sound effect is a word that is drawn to show a noise.

Beneath each picture from *Benny and Penny*, write all the **text features** you see! Then, make your own comic strip by drawing characters and writing what they are saying and thinking!



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2. _____



3. _____