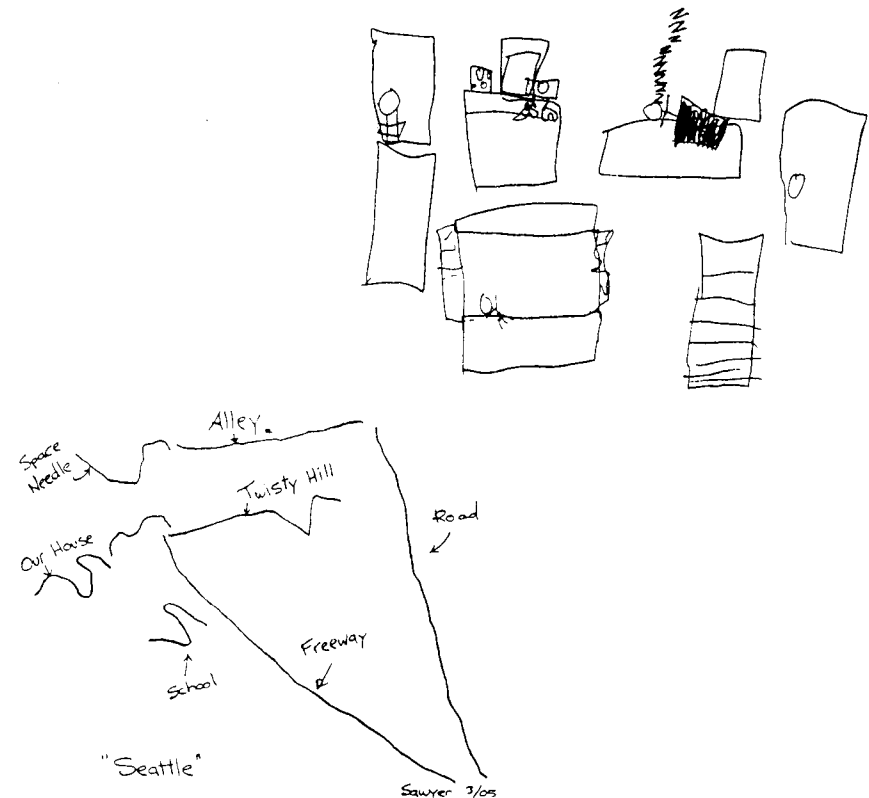


Activity

Making maps

- Help your child make a map of his/her favorite room in the house.
- Label the things on the map like table and chairs.
- Talk about what your child and you do with these things.
- Help your child make maps of other favorite places.



Hints

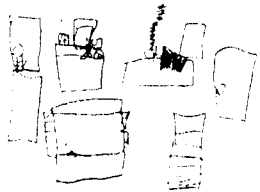


Making maps



To help your child succeed, you can:

- Use butcher paper and big markers.
- Use small toys, photographs, or draw the furniture on Post-it notes and have your child put them on the map.
- Walk around the room with your child and draw things as you go by.



To make this activity more challenging, you can:

- Encourage your child to make the map him/herself.
- Encourage your child to label things him/herself.
- Help your child make a map of how to get to familiar places (e.g., from home to school).
- Have your child explain his/her map to you.
- Go for a short walk or drive. Take photographs of familiar landmarks you go by. Help your child make a map by sequencing the landmarks.