

chance encounter



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It's a story about a young man that's about to commit suicide and ends up saving the life of a young woman. They will fall in love and find comfort in each other. I would like to be able to tell the story in a way that we could get both sides of it knowing that she's unaware of his suicide attempt.

RUBRIC

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Daniel McLeod Jr.

It's a nice basic idea, but for this assignment you will need some more work. How will they fall in love. How will he save her? How can you fit suicide attempt to falling in love in 16 panels?



Anna Hawes

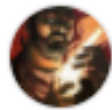
The panel limit will be your biggest challenge. Try to think of ways you can quickly get the ideas across (for example show a suicide note) without too much explanation. Sounds like a beautiful idea!



Juan Roa Llamazares

Great idea!!! Simple and very strong!!

Capoeira Crush



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The story begins with a 10 year old kid running through an alley on the back streets of a big city. He's stolen something precious to him that belongs to a gang and the gang members are chasing him to get it back. After avoiding them for a while they finally corner him. The kid's name is Dante and he is stolen a watch that belonged to his father. The gang of thugs threaten him to give it back and he refuses. They start beating him up and trying to take the watch from him. Just then one by one the gang members are dropped to their butts from being swept and tripped. As they get up they see a woman helping the Dante up and dusting him off. She's Dante's older cousin Eloha. She asks what's going on and they tell her that he stole a watch that belongs to their boss. She asks Dante and he confirms it. She offers them the watch back but they decide to attack her for embarrassing them. She whips them all down using her capoeira fighting style. As they walk home she suggests he start working on his capoeira because he really sucks right now.

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Juan Roa Llamazares

Your idea rules!!!! Great job!!!

Martian "Zupzy" and "Jim" the cat



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The story is about Martian little alien species called Zupzies' adventure on Earth. Baby Zupzies are very naughty and curious creatures living on Mars. One of them is bored and want to find more adventurous life and discover more fun places. One day baby Zupzy notices that there is a planet called Earth and he becomes very curios about this planet. Finally he travels to Earth. This clumsy and silly creature experience a new life on Earth. His UFO lands on a deserted island. Only a cat called Jim who is a double size of Zupzy) lives on this island. Zupzy and Jim become friends and have fun together for a while but day by day they start to get bored, there is nothing fun to do on the island. Zupzy and Jim decides to leave the island and they decide to visit England where the Jim's homeland is. Jim tries to find a way back home for years but she fails. When they arrive to England with Zupzy's UFO finally they find a way back home and Queen Elizabeth is very pleased to welcome them. She is very happy to find her lovely cat Jim and gives her crown to Zupzy as a reward for bringing back Jim to her. Zupzy takes the crown and returns to Mars. Finally he becomes the King of Mars with the crown of Elizabeth because crown is sacred in Mars. Zupzy the King, Viva!

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julia stagg

haha - cute! The cats comes to earth, has an adventure, helps out a friend; is rewarded and returns home a rich and happy cat with a neat title. What more could we want? or he want?



fatimah

I like it with a nice and exciting ideas for kids. I felt at the beginning that it will be tok long to fit into 16 panels, but after trying to put them in the 16 panels it will be perfect. But you need to have so many drawing in the one panel to show the idea that you want to show in your comic. Good look



Thomas Fletcher

Very nice story. I like the alien meets cat on the island and each of them ends up getting want they truly desire. An adventure on Earth and a way back to their wonderful owner the Queen of England. Looking forward to your completed comic. Great work!