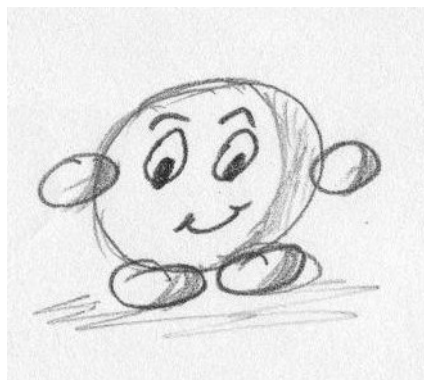
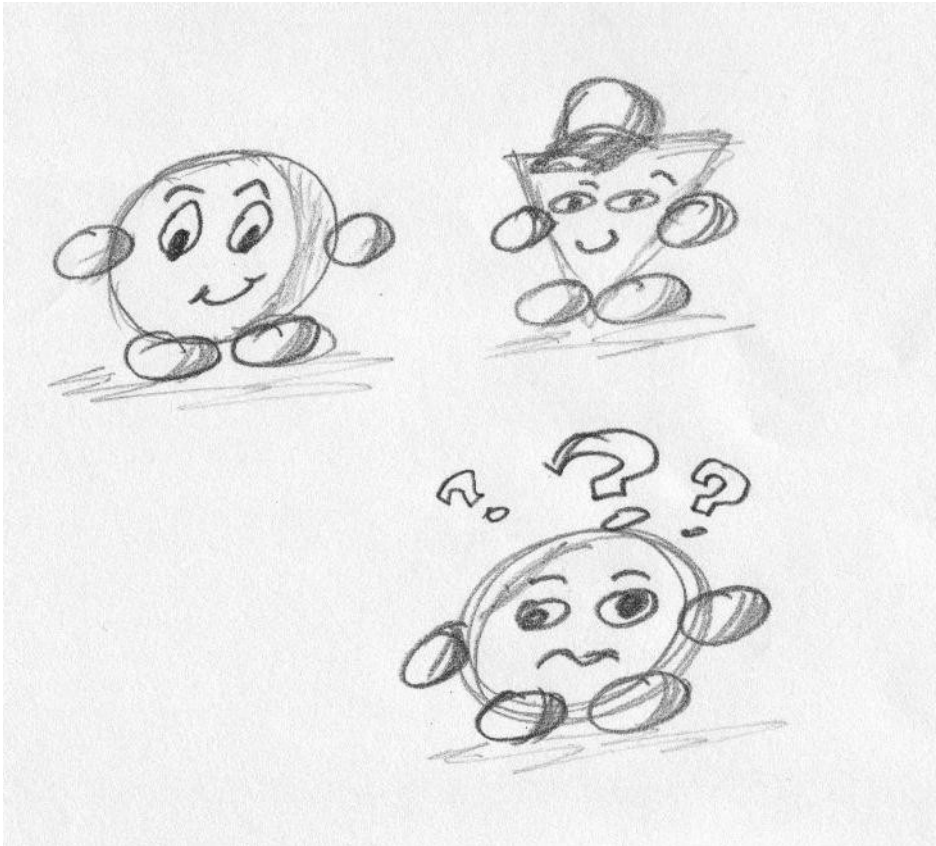


Sticker Design Tutorial

This tutorial will walk you through the steps required to create a simple character for printing to sticker paper. You can use the following technique to create a character on a computer or drawn in pen.

Step 1:

Sketch character ideas and choose one that you want to use.



Final Choice

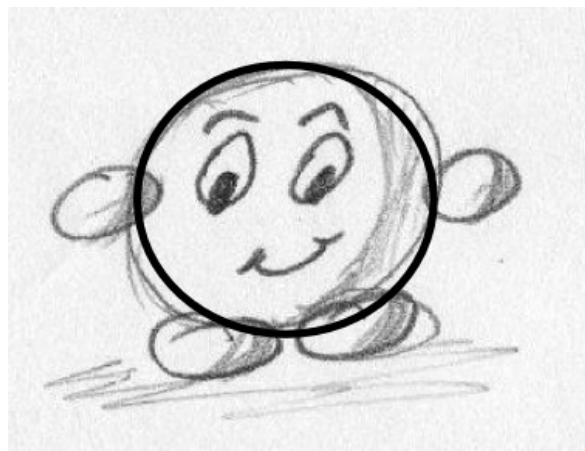
Step 2:

We now need to create a tidy version of this sketch. There are two techniques for this:

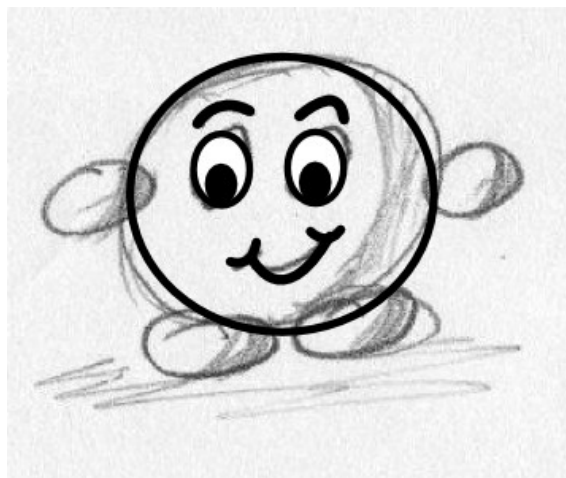
- 1) Scan it into the computer and trace it
- 2) Use tracing paper and trace the sketch neatly in pen

Either way works really well and the final result can be transferred to sticker paper.

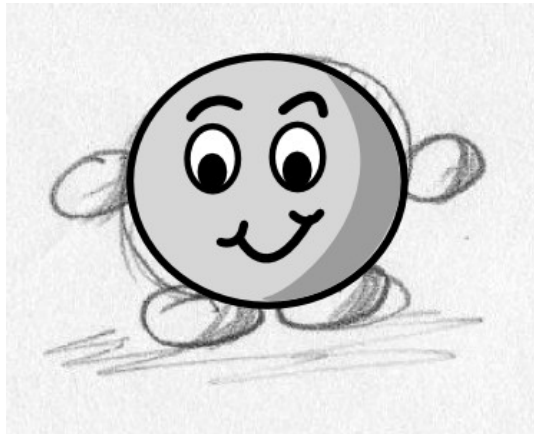
Start with the sketch and start tracing:



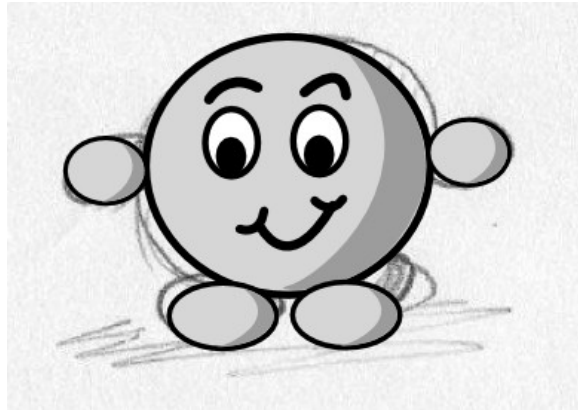
Start with the basic outline



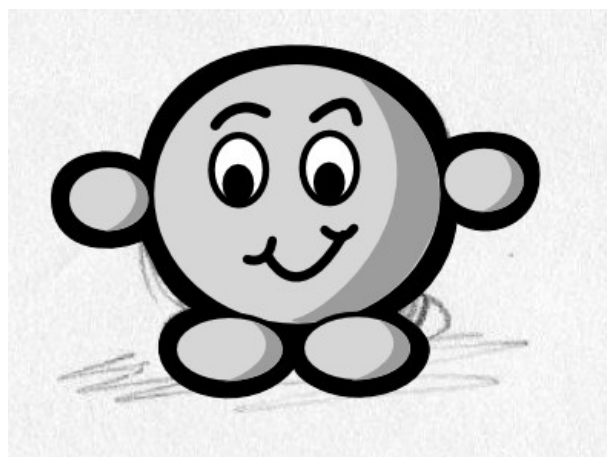
**Add details – eyes, mouth,
eyebrows**



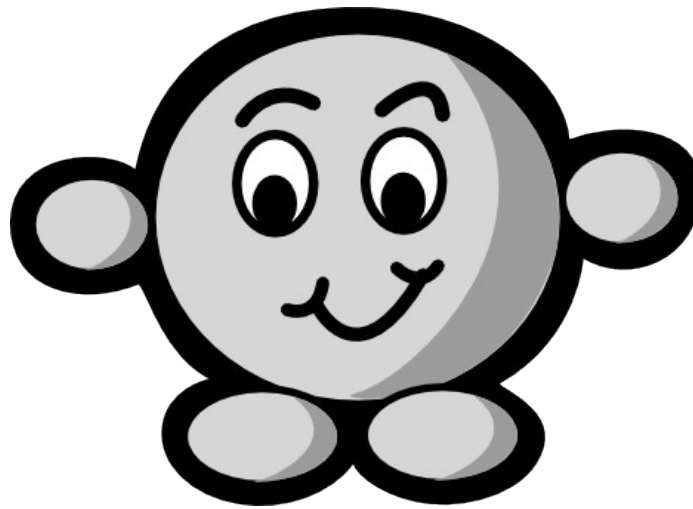
Add fills and shading – keep the shading hard edged



Add feet and hands - keep the shading the same



Add a thick black outline



Remove the background

Step 3:

Come up with some text to go around your character. Use the same process to add a name or title to the drawing.

1. Sketch ideas
2. Trace the final idea
3. Combine the text with your character
4. Move to Step 4

Step 4:

Print your final character to sticker paper.

Note: if you traced your character the image will be scanned and printed on to sticker paper.