**Communities Need Trees**

**Part 1:** Trees make our communities better. Look at the picture below. How could a tree help the people who live in this home? It might provide shade. It might make their yard look pretty. It might cheer them up with colorful fall foliage or bright spring flowers. Draw a tree in the picture below. Add an animal that might live in the tree.

![House drawing](image)

**Part 2:** Why do you think trees are important? Write a sentence below to tell Charlie Brown why you like trees:

I like trees because ____________________________________________
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**Families:** Take a walk and identify favorite trees in your community. You can use the fun Arbor Day tree identification tool found at [www.arborday.org/trees/whattree/](http://www.arborday.org/trees/whattree/). But before you look up the trees, challenge yourself to name as many types of trees as you can.