

Name _____

Picture The Park Answer Key

Expected Student Drawings:

- A playground scene should include at least **three features** mentioned: swings, a slide, and a sandbox.
- Swings: tall and moving back and forth.
- Slide: bright red and curving down.
- Sandbox: with shovels and buckets.
- Optional: sunshine, grass, children playing.

Extension Question (sample answers may vary):

- "I would play on the swings first because I like to go high in the air."
- "I would play in the sandbox because I like to build castles."

Teacher Notes:

- Visualization helps students **create mental images** from descriptive text, boosting comprehension.
- Emphasize that each drawing may look different, but it should include **details from the passage**.
- Encourage labeling parts of the drawing to connect **words to images**.