## **Thumbnails & Character Design**

Create at least 12 thumbnail sketches based on your story. Create a Character Sheet for your main protagonist.

## **Thumbnails**

- 1. Use the story you created to create quick thumbnails of your entire story.
- 2. Break your story down into Scenes or Sequences and into Beats. This will help you create your drawings.
- 3. Add a description about the type of SHOT and any other FILM TERMINOLOGY you can. (Try to add at least one descriptive term per shot)
- 4. Draw these drawings on paper. They can be any size. Experiment with markers, pencils. Minimum of 12 but feel free to make many more! Work fast, dont be afraid to be messy!

## **Character Sheet**

A character sheet is used to define the way a character should be drawn. You will create this sheet to help you with your drawing and storyboarding.

- 1. Expressions Draw the character's face/head and include at least 6 different expressions ex: happy, sad, excited, angry, surprised, scared, hungry, crying, laughing
- 2. Poses Draw the character's body and include at least 4 poses Front, Back, Profile and 3/4 Pose, walking, running, squatting, laying down, jumping, flying, etc.
- 3. Draw these drawings on paper. They can be any size. Experiment with markers, pencils.
- \*note if drawing is difficult for you feel free to trace your source material or create collages for the Character Sheet.

