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<u>Word</u>	<u>Definition</u>
hyperbole	An exaggeration that stretches the truth.

Example:

The monkey was so hungry he could eat one million bananas!
(piece of truth) (exaggeration)

What does this literally mean? Could he really eat one million bananas at once?

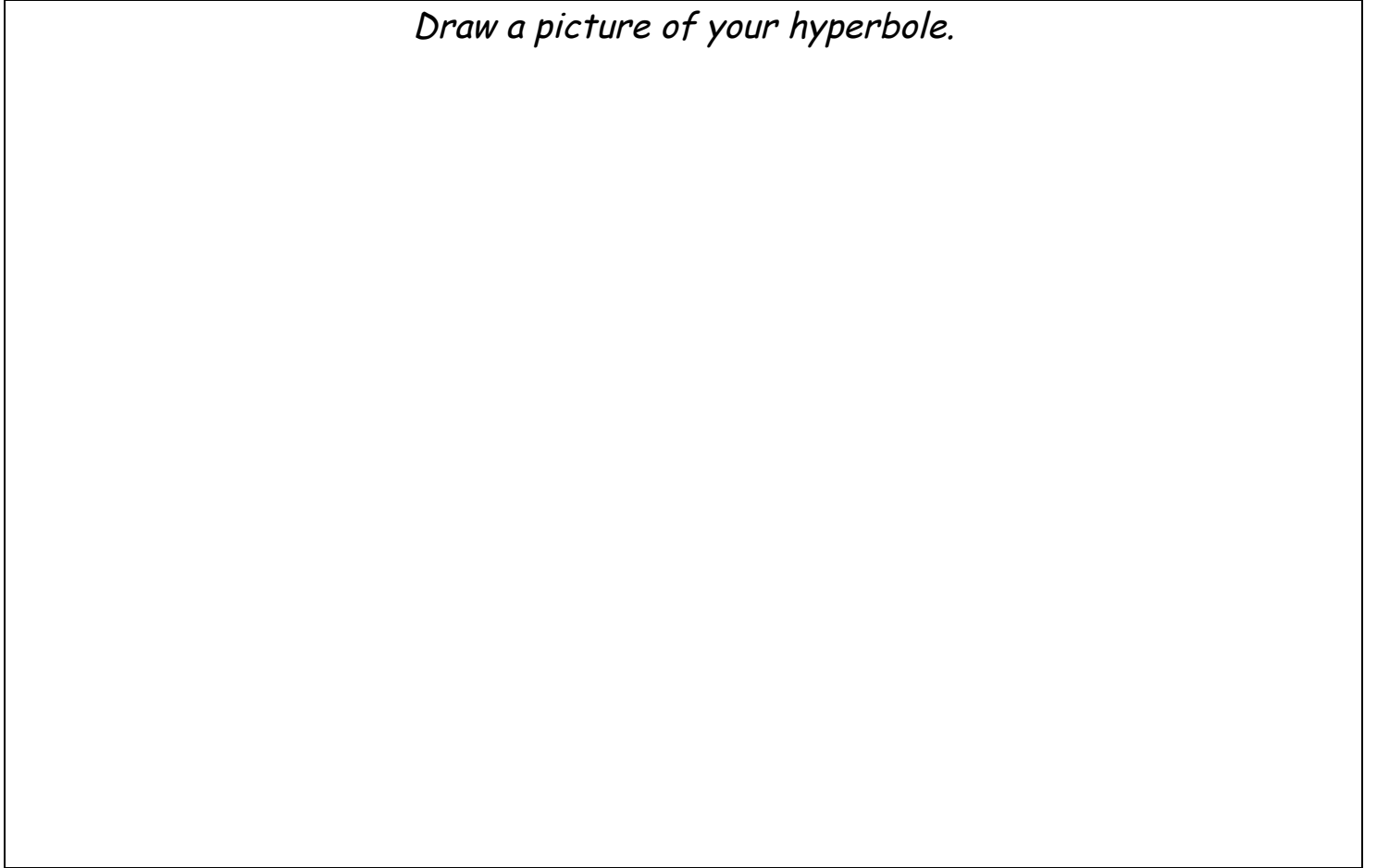
No! It means that the monkey is very hungry.

Try it out!

Instead of writing...	Try using a hyperbole!
I'm so tired.	I'm so tired I could sleep forever.
That girl runs fast.	That girl runs as fast as a _____!
He is tall.	

My Hyperbole

Draw a picture of your hyperbole.



What does your hyperbole literally mean?
