

Draw Emmie's secret garden

The extract below explains what Emmie sees when she first enters the secret garden in *Return to the Secret Garden*. Can you use the description below to draw the secret garden as Emmie would have seen it?

Emmie closed the green door and leaned against it, staring around. The garden looked to be about the same size as the kitchen gardens – perhaps it had been built as one, originally, before it was made into a rose garden? But instead of neatly edged beds, full of late lettuces, there were trees all around the walls, apples and peaches and plums, with just enough of each still on the branches for Emmie to see what they were. Between the trees there was a lawn, but this wasn't a smooth carpet of green, like the terrace that ran down to the fish pond. Instead the grass was broken up here and there with clusters of tall evergreen bushes, each one like a frame for a carved stone seat, or a statue, or a huge urn spilling over with flowers.

