

SCENE DESIGN

Successful scene design sets the stage to clearly indicate where the story takes place.

Once again, the key here is pixelation. The goal is for the backdrop to look like an 8-bit video game. The easiest way to achieve this is by using colored post-it notes or colored cut paper squares that are arranged in a pattern reminiscent of old video game backdrops.

If you're able to have a flat backdrop, consider sketching out a design outline in pencil. This could include clouds, sky, floating bricks, warp pipes, hills, vines, etc. Then fill in the outline with colored post-it notes or square cut construction paper. This is a great activity that the kids will love to be a part of.

We thought the easiest way to inspire your design ideas would be to put together a Pinterest board from images we found across the internet. You can find that board here:

<https://www.pinterest.com/bbbpress/pixelated-set-ideas-for-press-start-musical/>

We'd love to see what you come up with - send your unique designs and ideas to hello@bbbpress.com and we'll add it to the board!

