T-Bone Porterhouse Lesson

Get 3 different colors of construction paper, a paper plate and an index card

Out of scrap construction paper, make 2 rectangles. One should be 5 inches by ¼ “. The other 3” by ¼ inches. This will represent the bone. Make it out of any color.

Out of a different colored construction paper, cut out 3 pieces to represent the meat on a New York steak, a large tenderloin (like on a Porterhouse) and a small tenderloin (like a t-bone). See page 324 in the book if you don't remember the size and shapes. Look at Mr. Mac's sample.

On a paper plate, glue the bone parts off-center like this example:

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On the large side of the “T”, glue the New York.

On the small side of the “T”, glue the small tenderloin.

Over the top of the small tenderloin, glue the edge of the large tenderloin (next to the bone but not on top of the bone) making it a flap.

With a different color of paper, cut small pieces and glue marbling of fat onto the meat. Cut a thin curved piece to make a thin border around the New York side and glue it on.

With a pen label the New York, tenderloins, T-bone and Porterhouse. Refer to your book or Mr. Mac if you have trouble.

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On an index card, make a legend that tells the color of meat, fat, and bone. Glue to paper plate.

\*Write the word “meat” on the card. Then cut a small rectangle of the paper you used for the meat. Glue that next to the word “meat” on your card.

\*Write the word “bone” on the card underneath. Then cut a small rectangle of the paper you used for the bone. Glue that rectangle next to the word “bone” on your card.

\*Write the word “fat” on the card underneath. Then cut a small rectangle of the paper you used for the fat. Glue that rectangle next to the work “fat” on your card.