

## CASE STUDY 3: SELFIE STORY

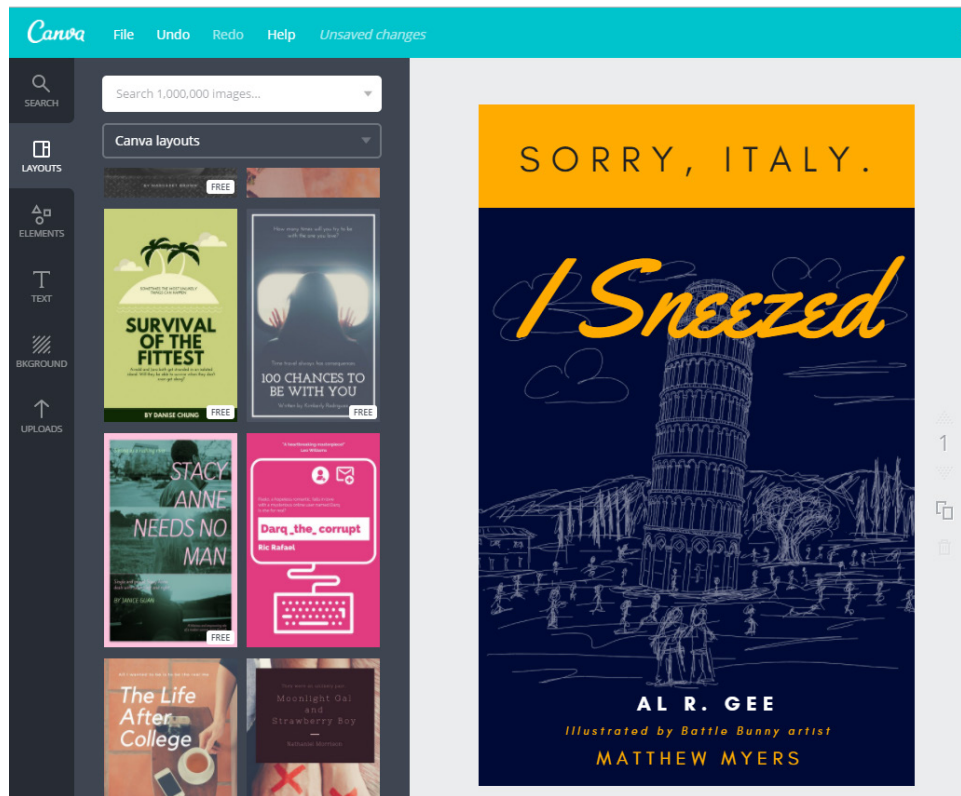
**Subject:** Literature for Young Children

**Course Logistics:** 30 upper-level undergraduate students in an online course. Mostly elementary education majors. Some English majors.

**Prompt:** Create a book cover for the story of your childhood. Include enough detail that a child reader could understand: 1) the setting/location; 2) something about you as a main character; 3) a clue about which book was your favorite as a child. Don't forget the title and the author/illustrator. Limit your use of any other words.

**Artifacts:** A digital book cover or uploaded photo of a drawing.

**Justification:** Book covers are an instant introduction to a book for a child that must entice a child to want to read it. Outcomes can assess awareness of child's culture; build community when peers are familiar with others' books; allow the instructor to use those books during the units about picturebooks.



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