-aw Word Family List

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>claw</th>
<th>raw</th>
<th>jigsaw</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>draw</td>
<td>saw</td>
<td>outlaw</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>flaw</td>
<td>slaw</td>
<td>seesaw*</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>gnaw</td>
<td>straw</td>
<td>withdraw</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>jaw</td>
<td>thaw</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>law</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>paw</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
I Thought I Saw an Outlaw!
(Tune: Mulberry Bush)

I thought I saw a bad outlaw.
His bandana hid his nose and jaw,
but I still knew his secret flaw:
a nose as big as Omaha!
Now when I giggled, “Ha! Ha! Ha!”
that outlaw got so mad at me,
he said to “draw” on 1- 2-3,
but I was safe as you will see!
Why was I safe from that outlaw?
It’s because I knew how to draw
that nose as big as Omaha,
and then I giggled, “Ha! Ha! Ha!”
## Cut and Paste: aw

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>straw</th>
<th>saw</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>saw</td>
<td>law</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>seesaw</td>
<td>draw</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>jigsaw</td>
<td>claw</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

- straw
- saw
- seesaw
- jigsaw

- law
- draw
- claw
Cloze the Gap: aw

Read the following sentences, saying the word “seesaw” when you come to a blank space. Use words from the -aw family to fill in the blanks and make sense. Reread your sentences to double check your choices! One word is used twice.

1. When you drive too fast you are breaking the _________________.
2. My friend and I ________________ the new movie last night.
3. I need a ________________ for my drink, please.
4. The teacher told us to ________________ a picture for our story.
5. My little sister likes to play on the _________________.
6. Mom got us a new ________________ puzzle.
7. The sheriff and his posse chased the _________________.
8. My dog loves to ________________ on great big bones.
9. Do you like ________________ or cooked vegetables?
10. ________________ is a salad that is made with cabbage.
11. Grandpa used a sharp __________ to cut the firewood in half.
12. You can ________________ money at an ATM machine.

Word Bank
straw  raw  draw  gnaw  saw  outlaw
seesaw  law  slaw  jigsaw  saw  withdraw
Word Search: aw

flaw  saw  straw  claw  seesaw
paw  draw  caw  law  outlaw
thaw  gnaw  jigsaw  raw  jaw
Suffix City: aw

Look at the root words on the left. Use your magnetic letters to add -s, -ed and -ing to make new words. Drop the e before adding -ed and -ing. Write the new words in the boxes below. Many of the words have an irregular past tense. You may need to use your dictionary.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Root Word</th>
<th>-s</th>
<th>ed*</th>
<th>-ing</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>draw</td>
<td></td>
<td>drew</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>saw</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>thaw</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>gnaw</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>withdraw</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

I am drawing.
I drew one just for you!