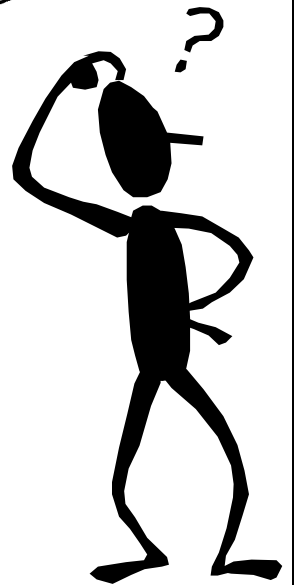


Do you play safely?



# Health and Safety

Are you healthy?



## Playtime

Most local communities provide play areas for children. Think of a play area near your home. What does it contain? **List some of the play items there.**

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_

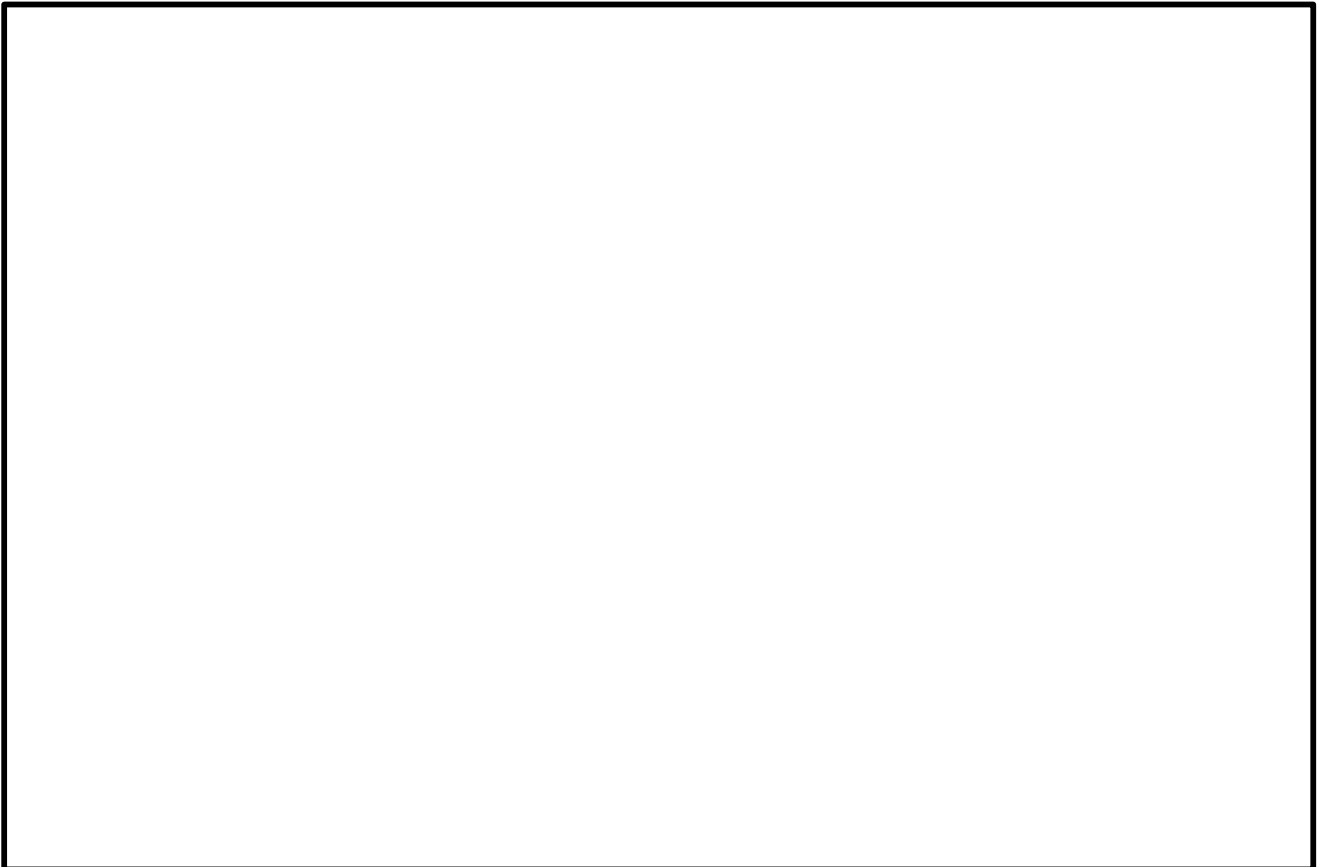
5. \_\_\_\_\_

6. \_\_\_\_\_

What age group does this play area suit best? \_\_\_\_\_

### The Perfect Playground

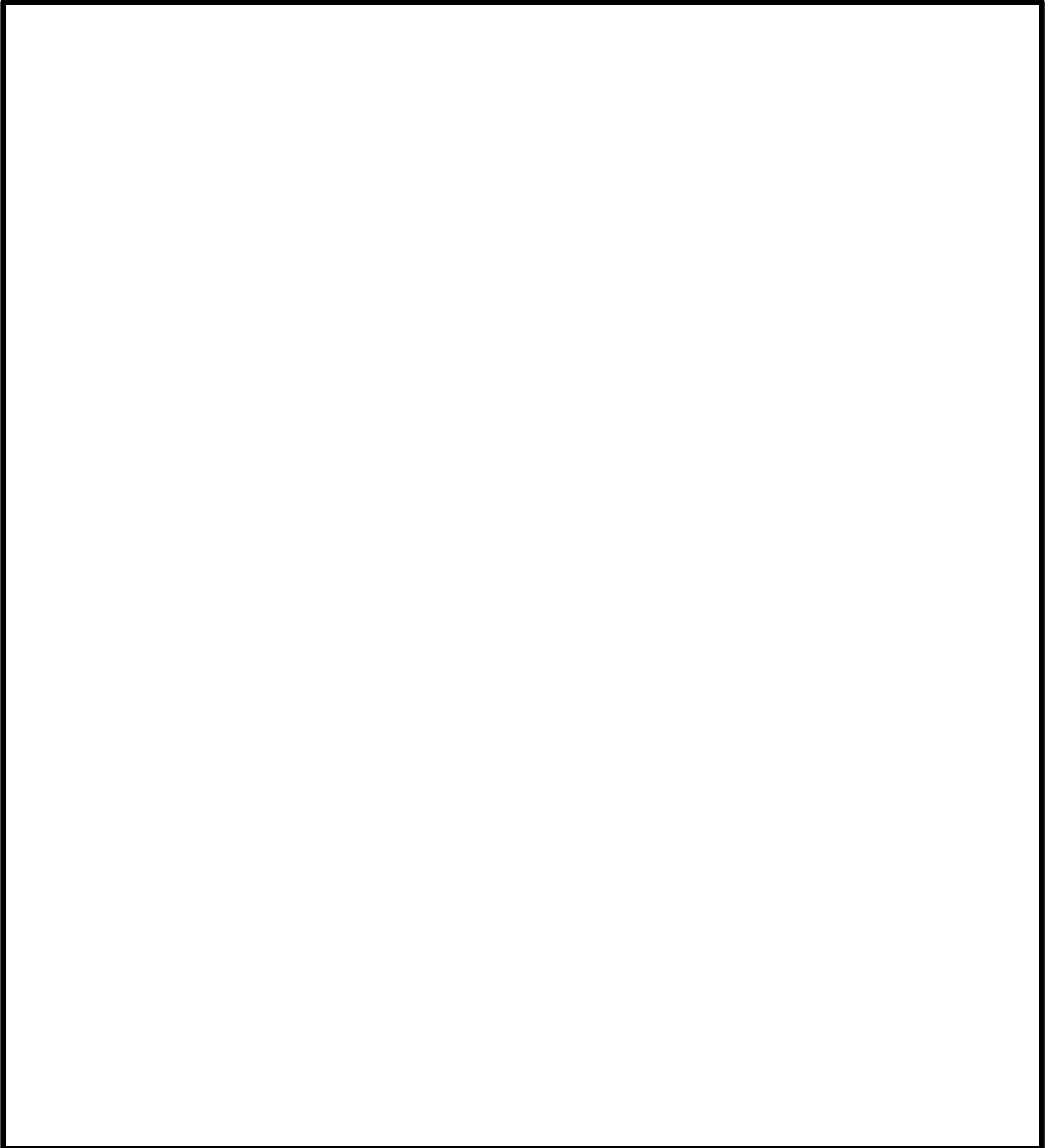
If you had unlimited resources, what kind of playground would you build in your area? In the box below, design your perfect play area (not theme park).



Is your playground safe? Discuss your design with a partner to see if you can add or improve your design.

## Playground Campaign

Many local play areas have problems – broken equipment, vandalism, graffiti, litter, bullying and even drug use. DESIGN an eye-catching poster campaigning to keep your playground a safe place for children.



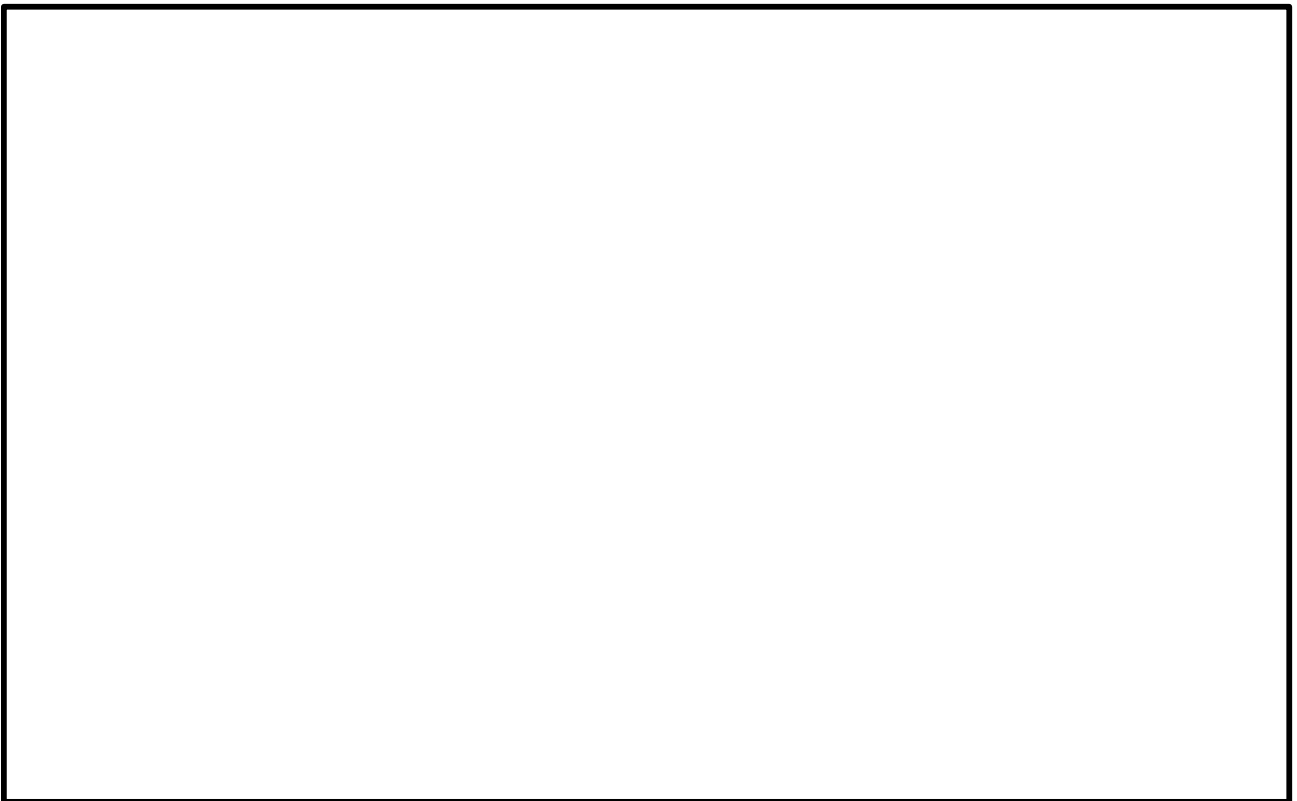
# Accidents

Search through your local newspaper for reports on accidents which have occurred in or near homes in your area. Identify the most common types of accidents which occur in your area.

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_

Choose one of these types of accidents. Think about how you can make people more aware of this problem and how they could avoid such accidents.

Plan and design an advert to go in your local newspaper that would pass on your safety message. Think carefully about the age group you are aiming the advert at!



## How safe are you?

Look around you now and list 5 things, which although are presently safe, may cause an accident.

1.

2.

3.

4.

5.

## Rules, Rules, Rules

Look at your class rules. Which of these rules are in place for your safety. Write down the rules and the reasons why they are there to keep you safe. Think about what happens if those rules are disobeyed!

## Let's be safety experts

# Try this safety experts test.

What would you do if you saw.....

.... a young child putting a cigarette in its mouth?

.... a bottle of pills with the lid off?

....a friend going off in a car with a stranger?

....a young child playing on their own near a river?

.... Some older children trying to make your friend smoke, sniff or taste something dangerous?

## How GREEN are you?

This is a survey to see how friendly you are to the environment.

	Yes	No		Yes	No
Do you use a bottle bank?			Do you take bags with you when you go shopping?		
Do you take unwanted clothes to jumble sales or charity shops?			Do you use scarp paper for rough work?		
Do you throw your litter in a bin?			Do you eat organic food?		
Do you choose 'environmentally safe' products?			Do you switch off lights when you leave a room?		
Do you switch off the TV when nobody is watching it?			Do you walk or cycle to school?		
Do you grow lots of plants at home?					

Do you know what these words mean?

LOOK them up in a dictionary and copy a short definition.

***Biodegradeable***

***Recycle***

***Ozone Layer***

***Organic***

