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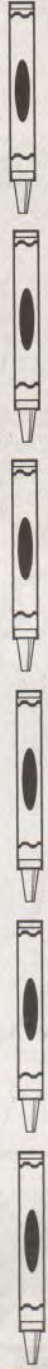
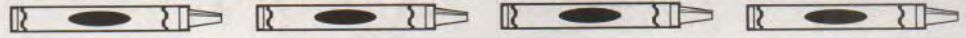


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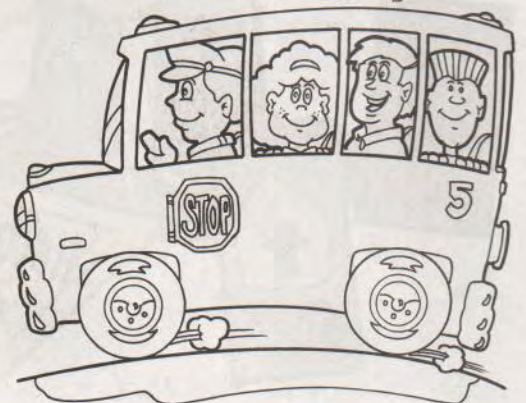


School-age children are learning to be independent. They do many activities with little direct supervision. Unfortunately, children who are unaware of basic safety rules can become victims of accidents related to motor vehicles, water, falls, guns, fires and toys.

Our children can also become victims of crimes involving strangers. They must be able to understand and obey basic safety rules to help prevent these tragedies.

It is our responsibility as parents and educators to train our children to obey basic safety rules. This coloring book will help you discuss these safety rules in an informative and fun way. Be sure to remind the children in your care about these rules often. Their lives depend on it.

Protect our children! Teach them good safety rules.





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911

Why should you call 911?

Do you know how to call 911?

Name some of the reasons to call 911.



Fill in the blanks with the information you need when dialing 911 for an emergency.

1. Name _____
2. Address _____
3. Phone number _____
4. Kind of emergency _____

Guns are not toys!

What do you do
if you find a gun?

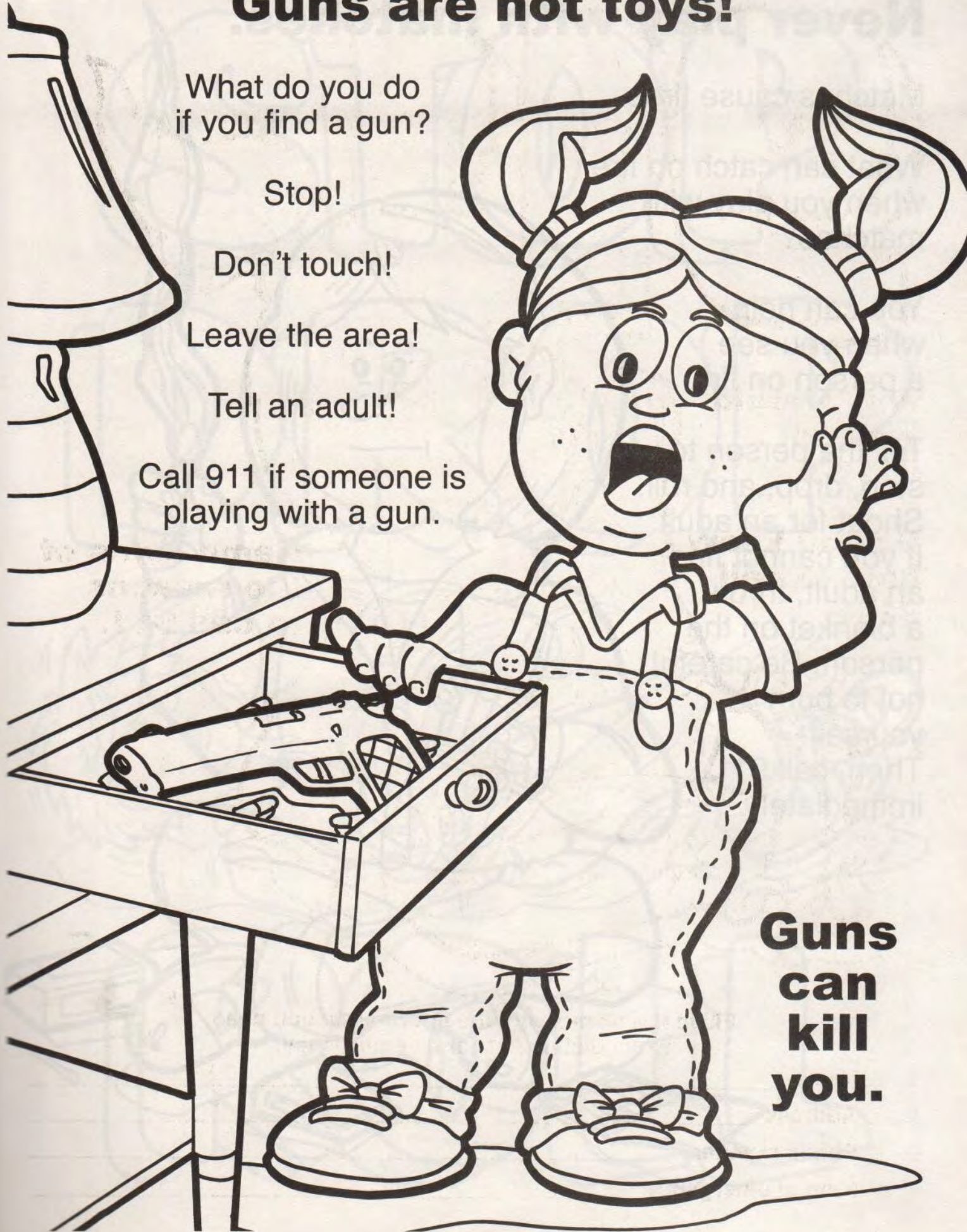
Stop!

Don't touch!

Leave the area!

Tell an adult!

Call 911 if someone is
playing with a gun.



**Guns
can
kill
you.**

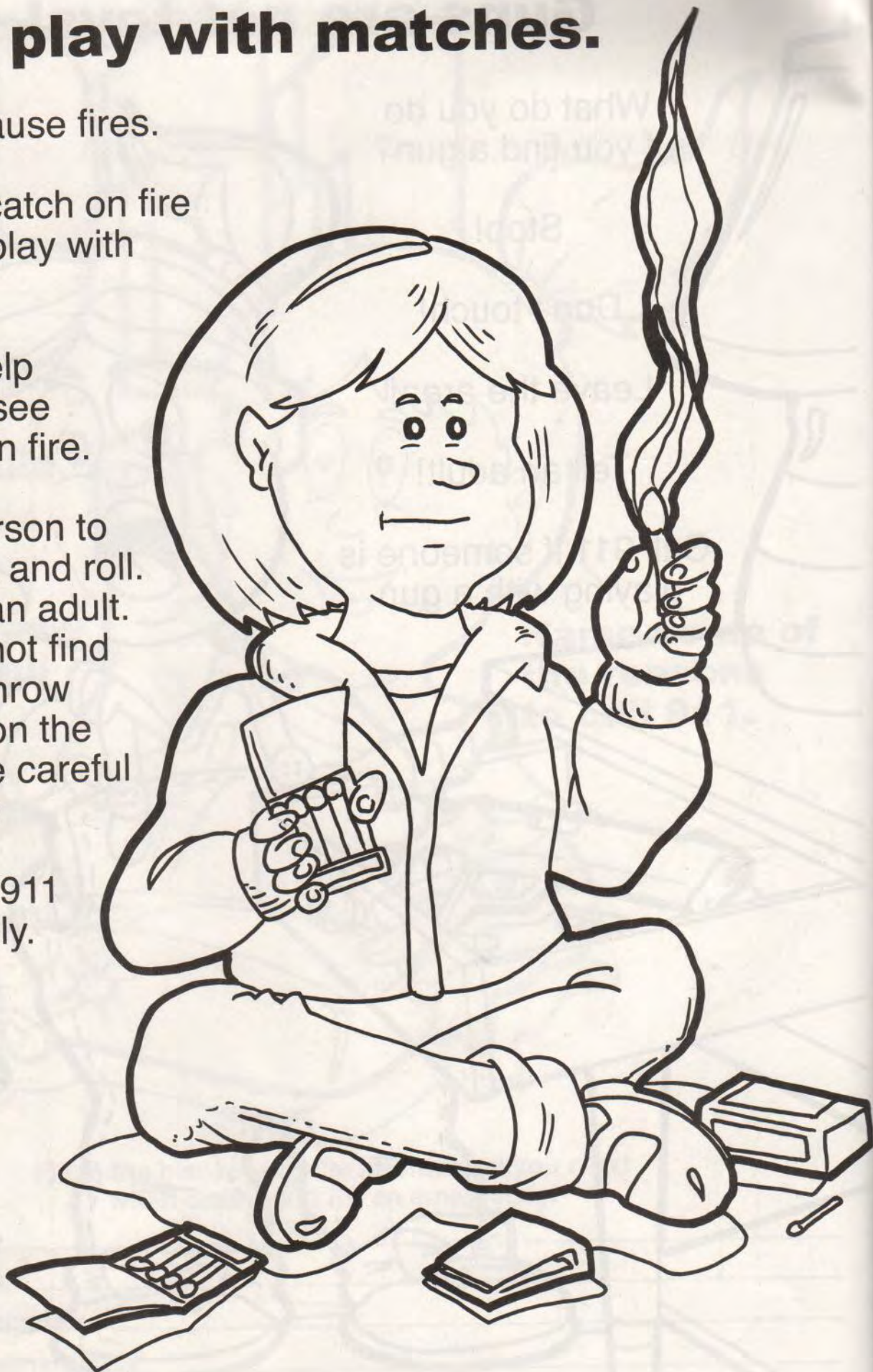
Never play with matches.

Matches cause fires.

What can catch on fire when you play with matches?

You can help when you see a person on fire.

Tell the person to stop, drop, and roll. Shout for an adult. If you cannot find an adult, throw a blanket on the person. Be careful not to burn yourself. Then, call 911 immediately.



STOP

DROP



ROLL

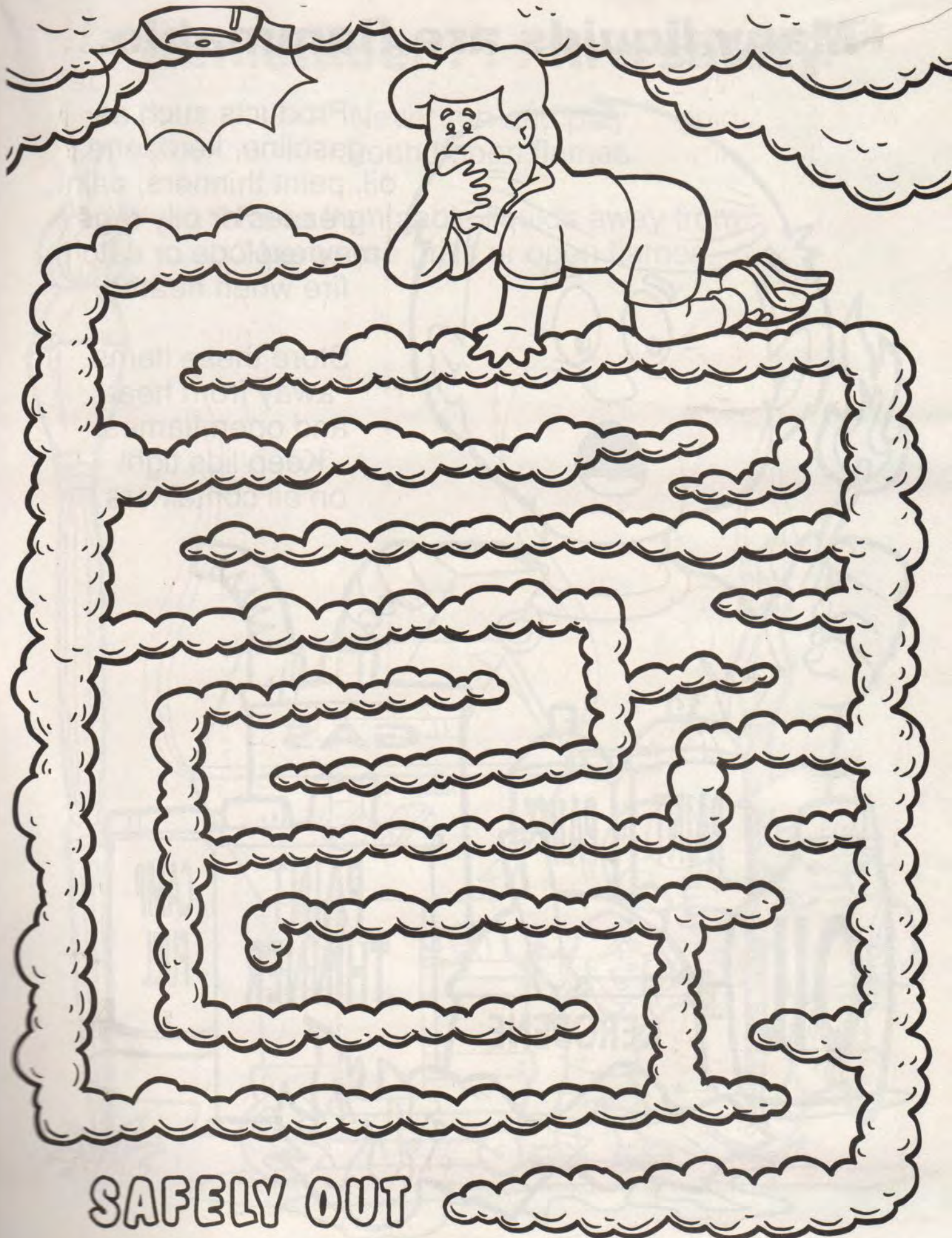
Remember . . . fire moves fast!

Every family should have and PRACTICE a fire escape plan. Breathing the smoke from a fire can kill just as easily as getting burned. Call 911 from outside the burning building.

A GOOD PLAN INCLUDES:

- Working smoke detectors
- Two ways out of each room
- An outside meeting place
- Practicing your plan





SAFELY OUT

Many liquids are flammable.

Products such as gasoline, kerosene, oil, paint thinners, paint, greases or oily rags may explode or catch fire when heated.

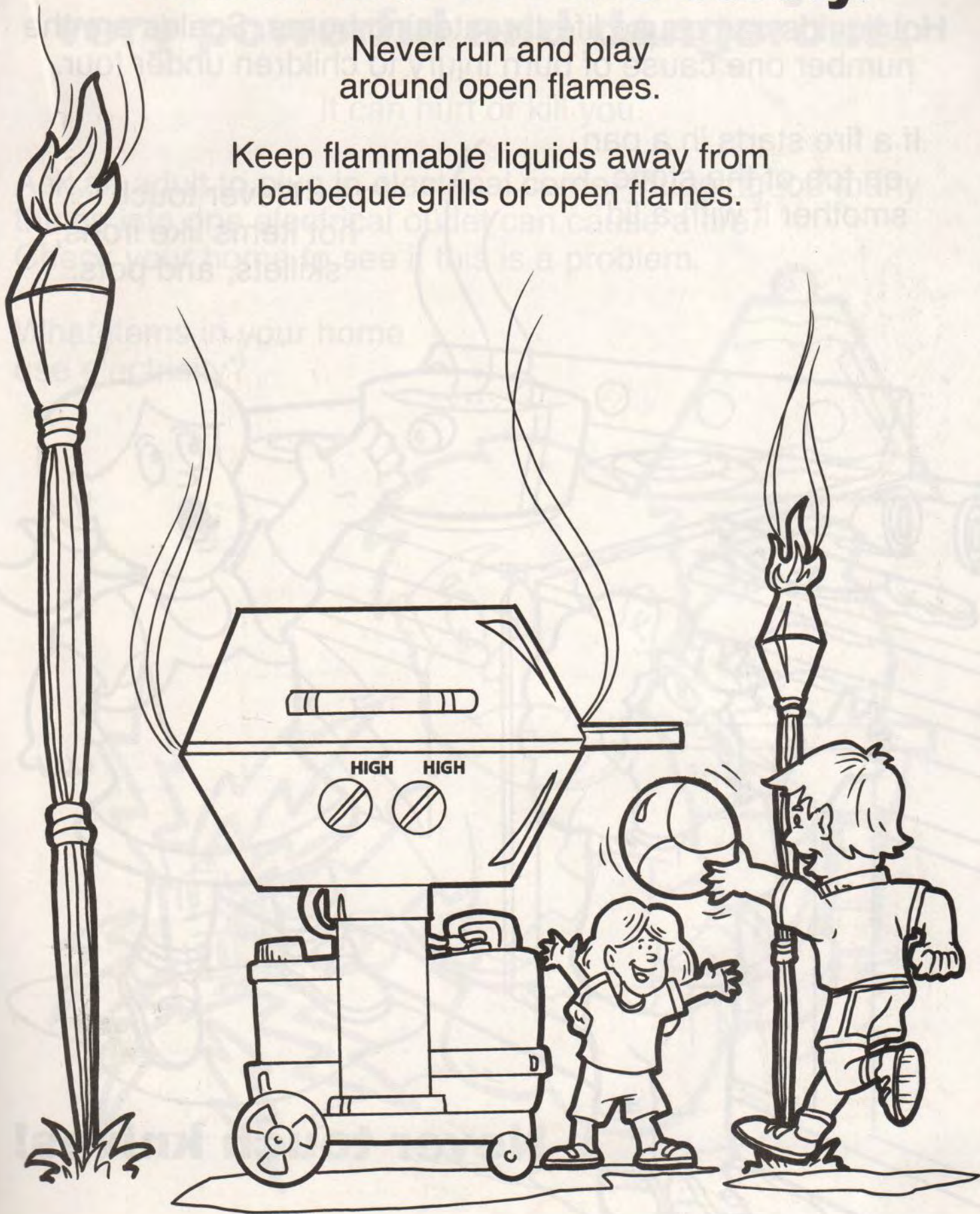
Store these items away from heat and open flames. Keep lids tight on all containers.



Remember . . . fire safety.

Never run and play
around open flames.

Keep flammable liquids away from
barbeque grills or open flames.



The kitchen is not a play area.

Hot liquids can cause life-threatening burns. Scalds are the number one cause of burn injury to children under four.

If a fire starts in a pan on top of the stove, smother it with a lid.

Never touch hot items like irons, skillets, and pots.



Never touch knives!

Remember . . . electricity is very powerful and dangerous.

It can hurt or kill you.

Ask an adult to plug in electrical cords. Plugging too many things into one electrical outlet can cause a fire. Check your home to see if this is a problem.

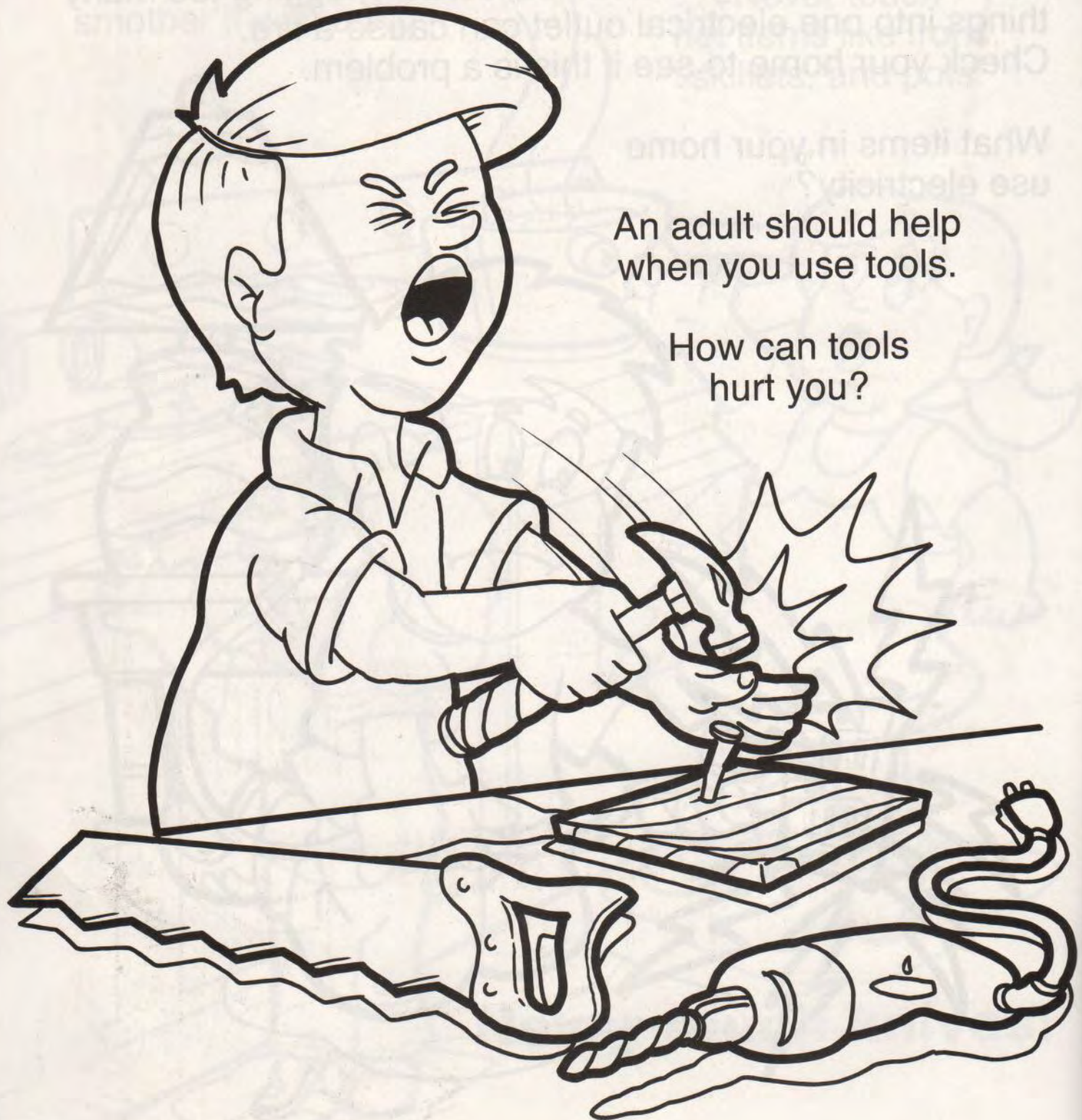
What items in your home use electricity?



Stay away from tools.

Tools are important for building and repairing.

Tools are not toys and can be very dangerous.
Tools should be stored in a locked cabinet.



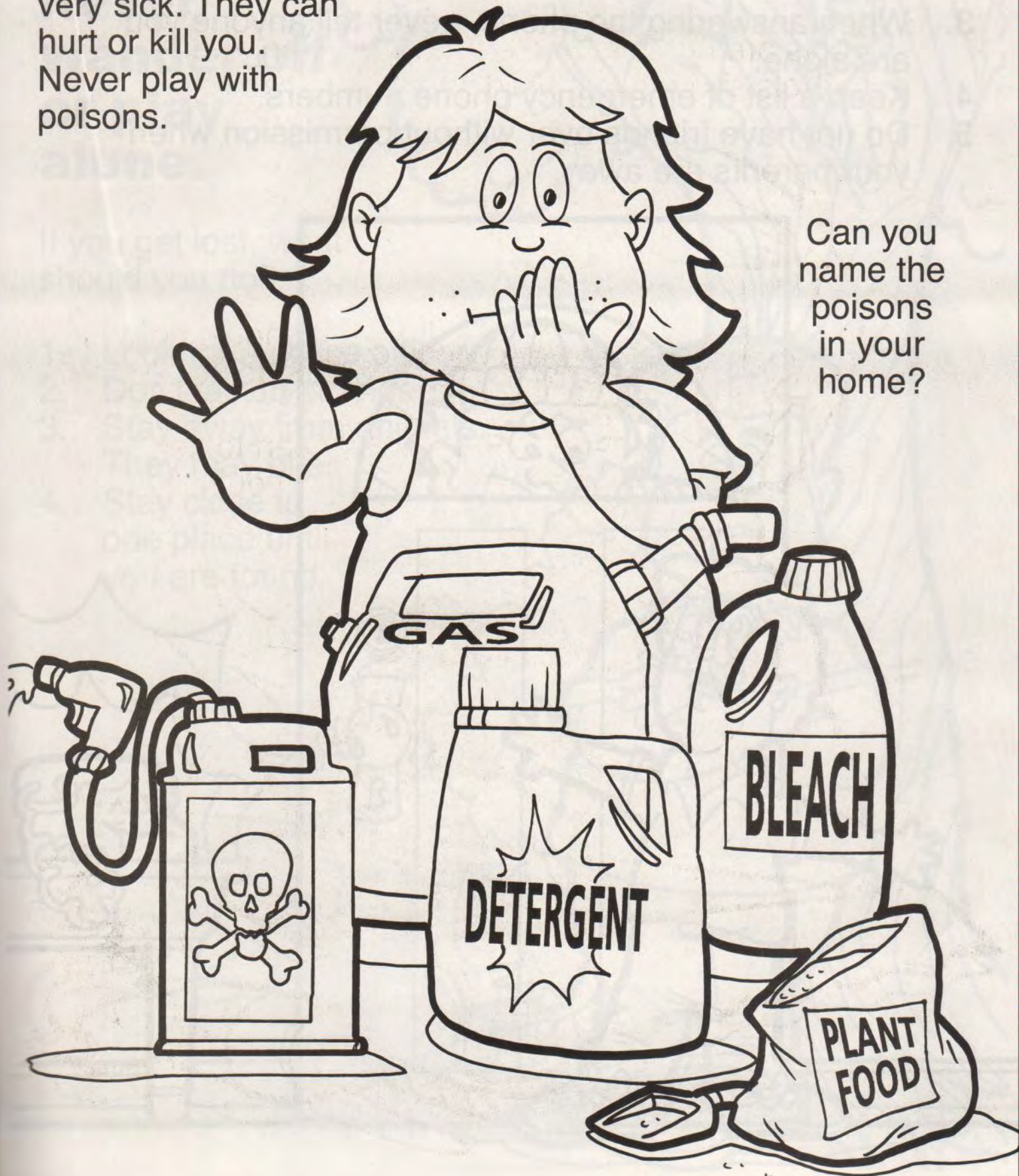
An adult should help
when you use tools.

How can tools
hurt you?

Poisons are dangerous.

Poisons can make you very sick. They can hurt or kill you. Never play with poisons.

Can you name the poisons in your home?



Home alone safety tips:

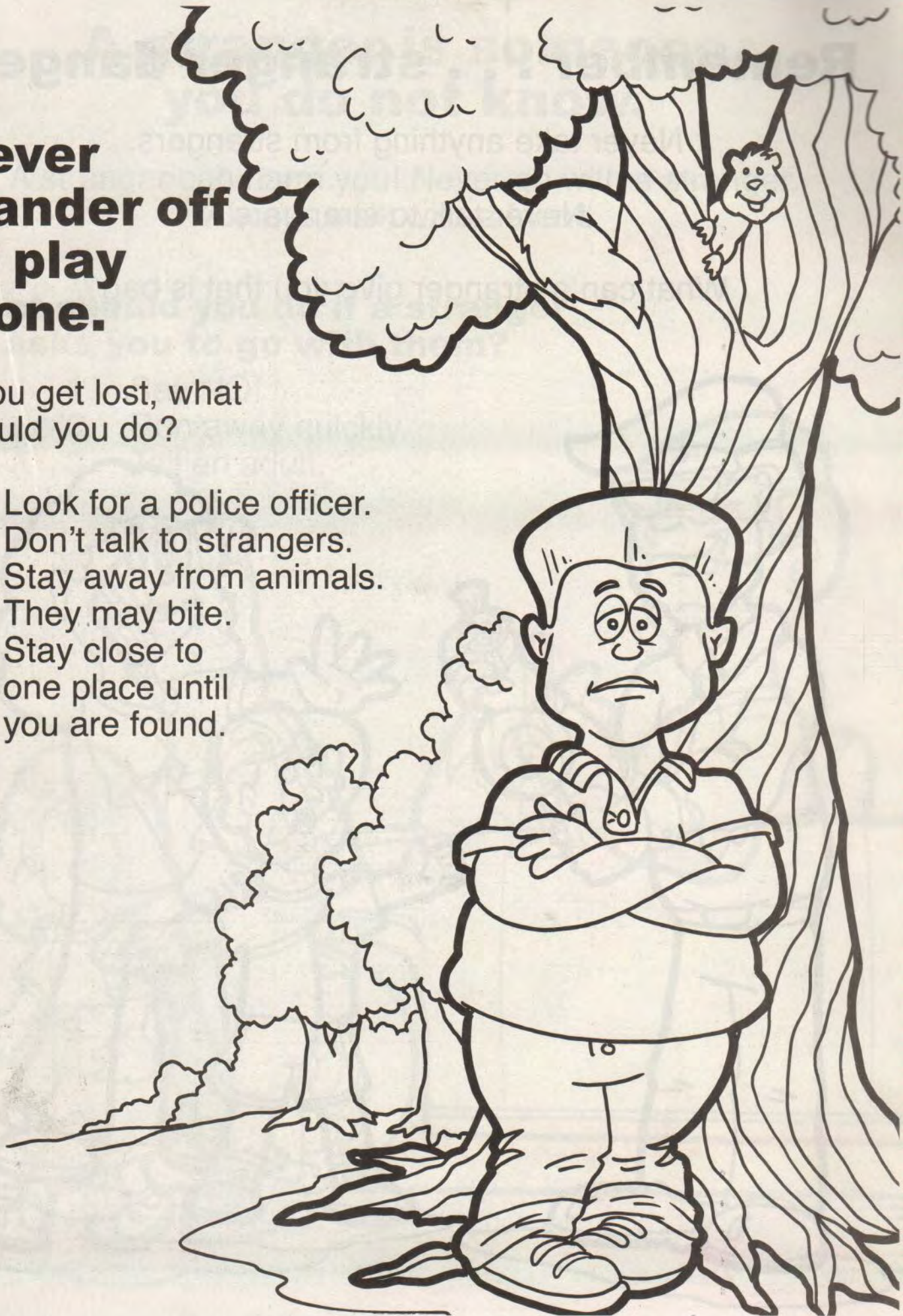
1. When home alone, never open the door.
2. Never tell anyone you will be home alone.
3. When answering the phone, never tell anyone you are alone.
4. Keep a list of emergency phone numbers.
5. Do not have friends over without permission when your parents are away.



Never wander off or play alone.

If you get lost, what
should you do?

1. Look for a police officer.
2. Don't talk to strangers.
3. Stay away from animals.
They may bite.
4. Stay close to
one place until
you are found.



Remember . . . stranger danger!

Never take anything from strangers.

Never talk to strangers.

What can a stranger give you that is bad?



A stranger is someone you do not know.

A stranger can harm you! Never go with a stranger.
Always walk with a friend.

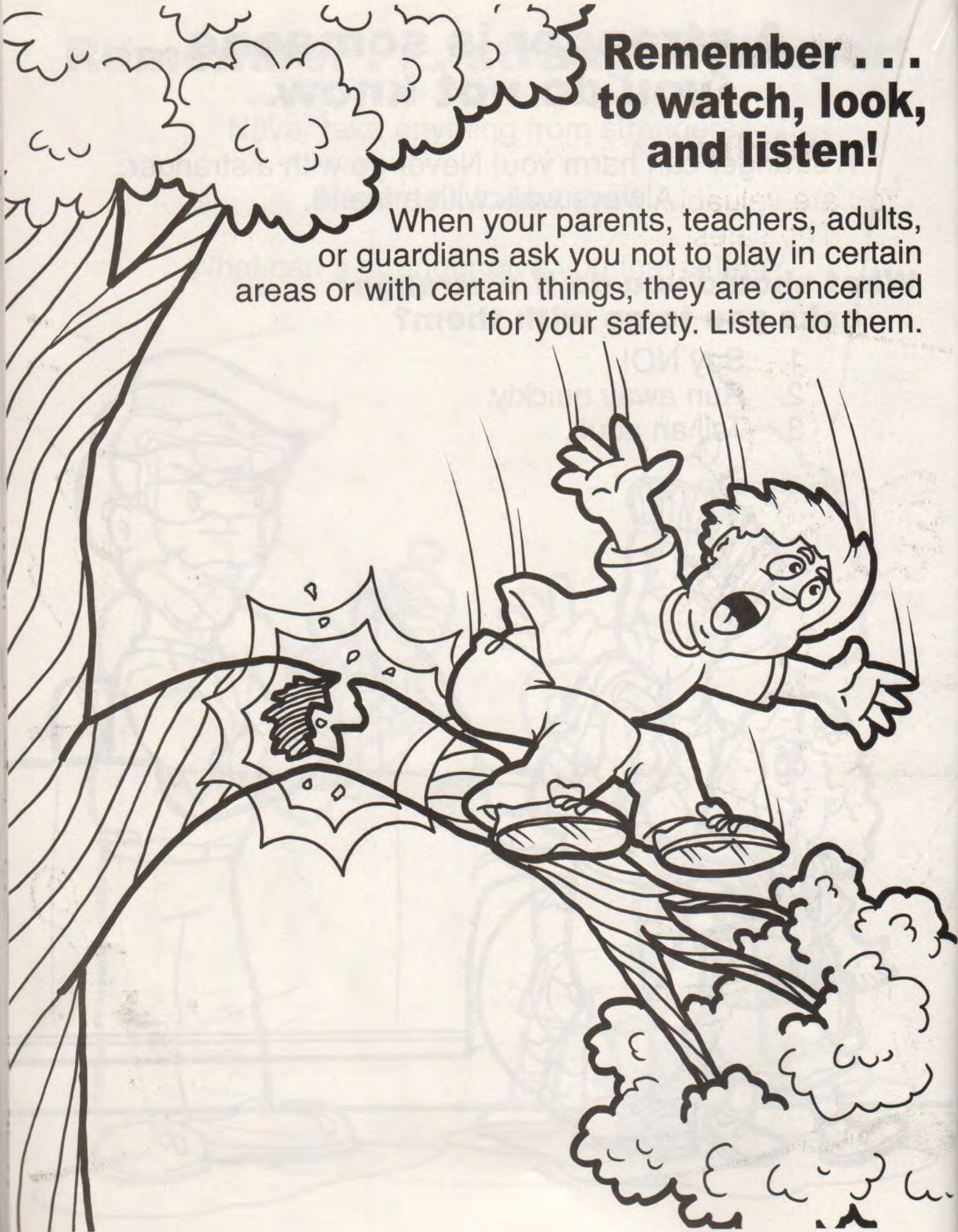
What should you do if a stranger asks you to go with them?

1. Say NO!
2. Run away quickly.
3. Tell an adult.



Remember . . . to watch, look, and listen!

When your parents, teachers, adults,
or guardians ask you not to play in certain
areas or with certain things, they are concerned
for your safety. Listen to them.



Always wear your seat belt! Never ride in a car without your seat belt on!

You are valuable. Protect yourself by wearing a seat belt.
The safest place in a car is in the seat with your
seat belt fastened. Seat belts save lives.



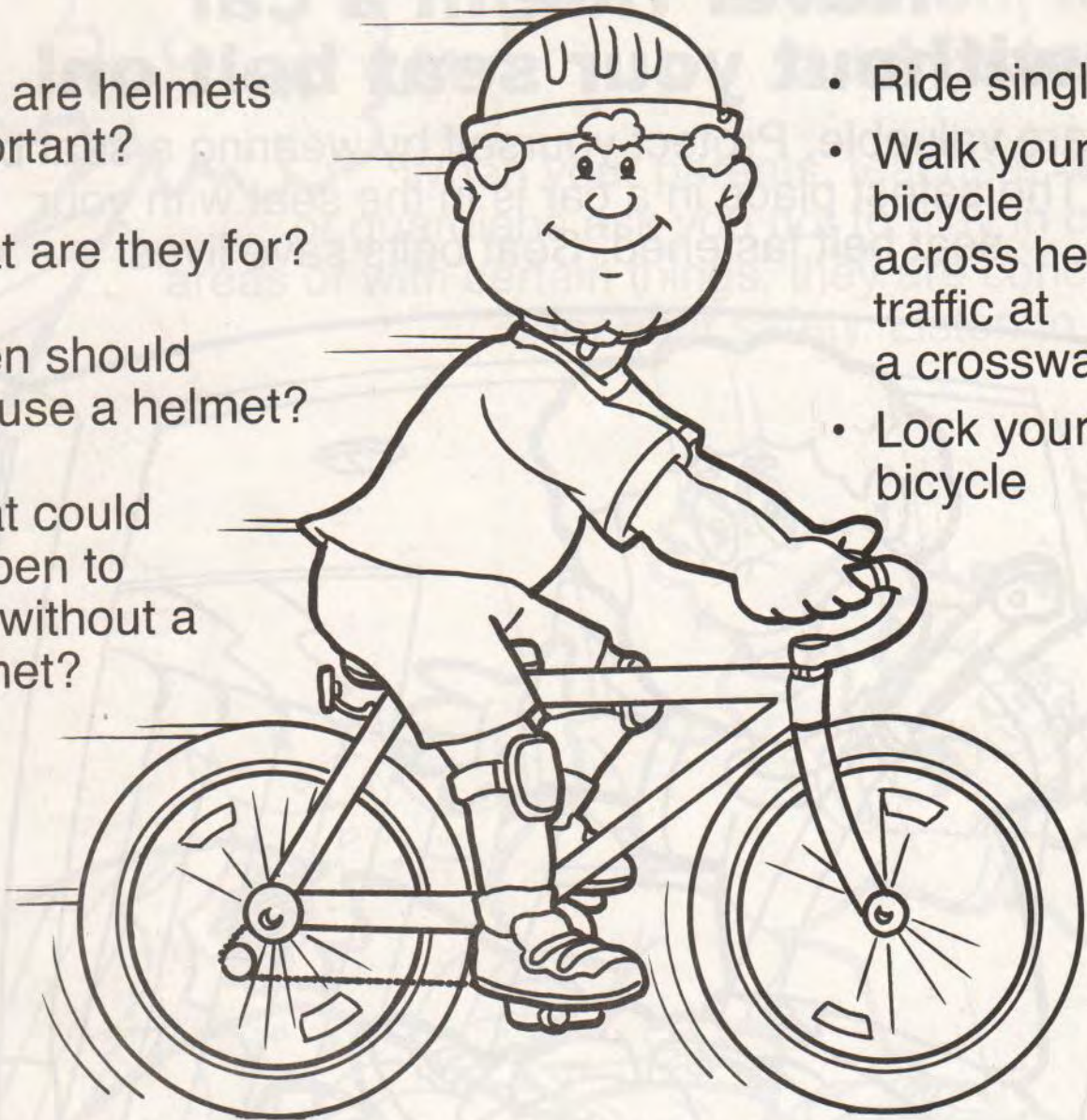
Bicycle Safety

Why are helmets important?

What are they for?

When should you use a helmet?

What could happen to you without a helmet?



- Ride single file
- Walk your bicycle across heavy traffic at a crosswalk
- Lock your bicycle

1. Never ride your bicycle far from home.
2. Always make sure an adult knows where you are.
3. Use your hand signals for every turn.
4. Do not give a friend a ride on your bicycle. Never ride double.
5. Never leave your bicycle laying on the sidewalk, a driveway, or in front of a door.

Street signs to know and learn.

Can you tell what each one means?



Skateboards, roller blades, and skates are fun and go fast.

Always wear a helmet, elbow pads, and knee pads when riding skateboards or using skates and roller blades.

Where is it safe to skate?



Look both ways before entering the street.

Never run into the street chasing a ball.

Do not play near the street.

Ask an adult to help if a toy rolls into the street or driveway, or goes into a neighbor's yard.

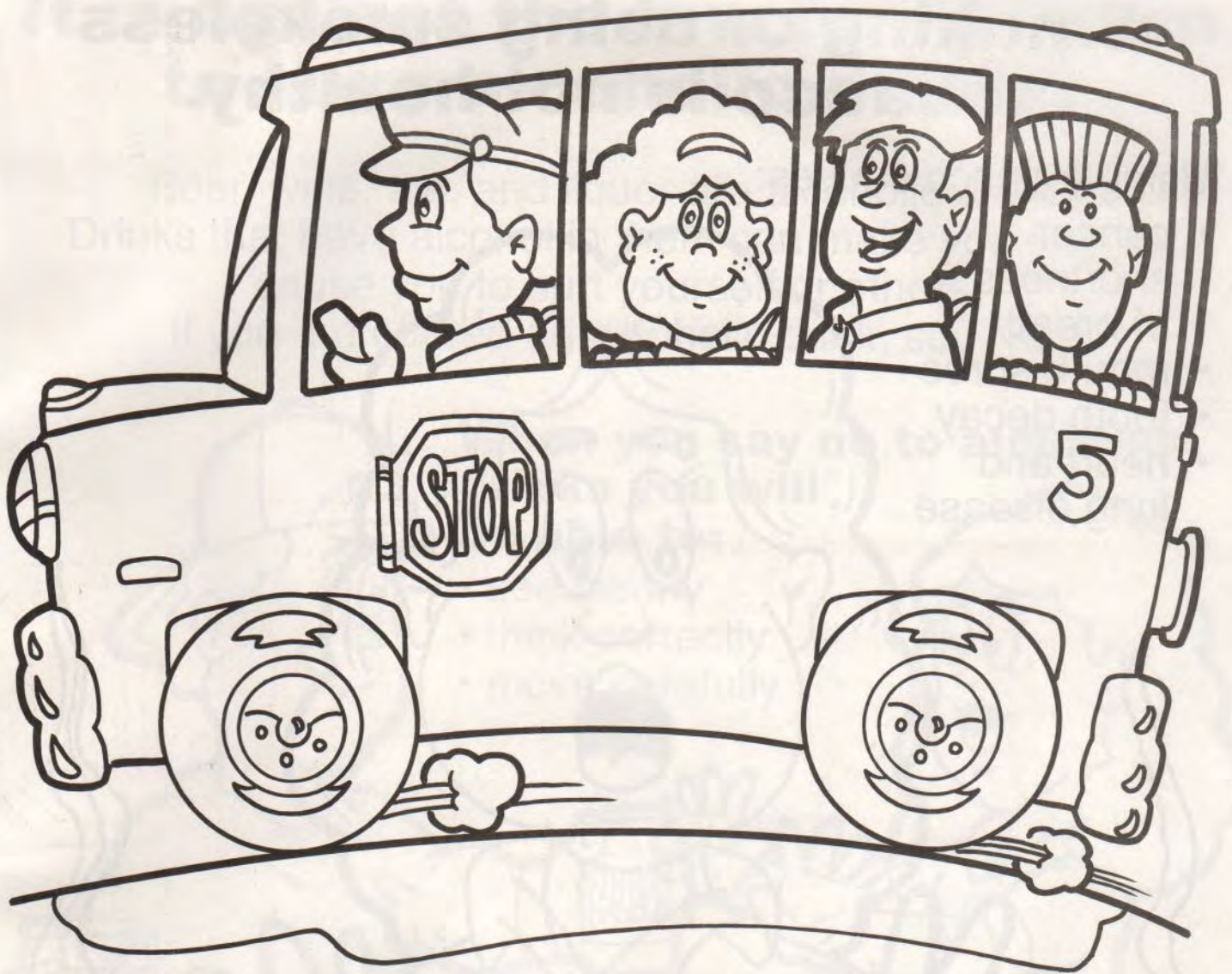


Obey the crossing guard.

When crossing the street always use crosswalks.

Always walk with a buddy.





10 Rules Of School Bus Safety:

1. Obey the bus driver.
2. Sit facing forward on the bus.
3. Keep your hands to yourself.
4. Sit calmly and talk quietly on the bus.
5. Do not throw things on the bus.
6. Keep the aisle clear of items.
7. Keep your body parts in the bus.
8. Do not stand up on the bus.
9. Use the emergency doors and equipment only when there is an emergency.
10. Walk straight home from the bus stop.

Smoking or using smokeless tobacco is not healthy.

Using tobacco causes:

- cancer
- shortness of breath
- mouth sores
- tooth decay
- heart and lung disease

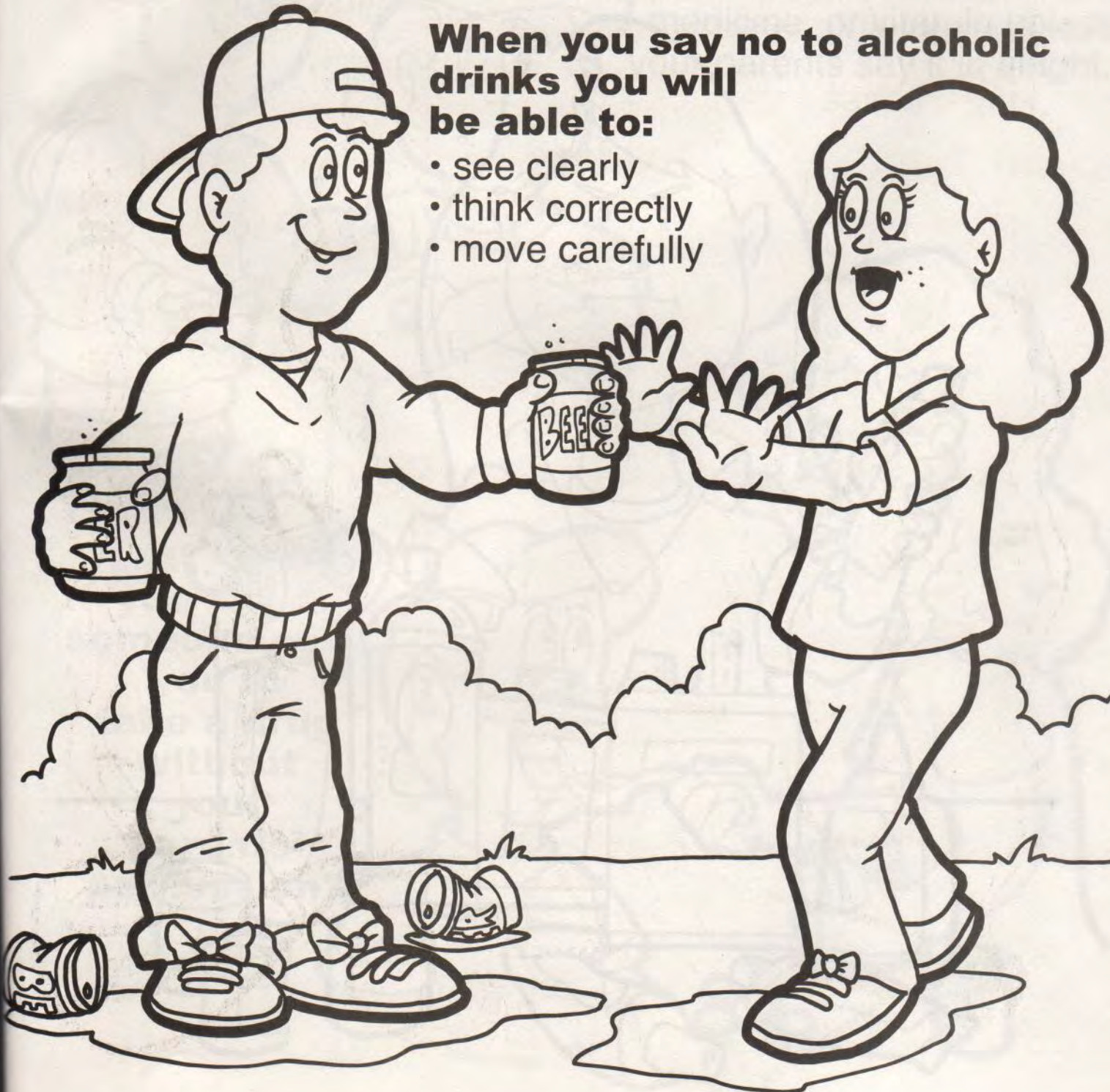


It is against the law for children to have alcoholic drinks.

Beer, wine, ale, and liquor are alcoholic drinks. Drinks that have alcohol in them can make you sick, or cause you to hurt yourself or others. If you are offered an alcoholic drink, say NO!

When you say no to alcoholic drinks you will be able to:

- see clearly
- think correctly
- move carefully



Many household chemicals are dangerous if inhaled or swallowed.

Many household chemicals can hurt or kill. If someone asks you to try inhaling a household chemical for fun, just say NO. Tell an adult.



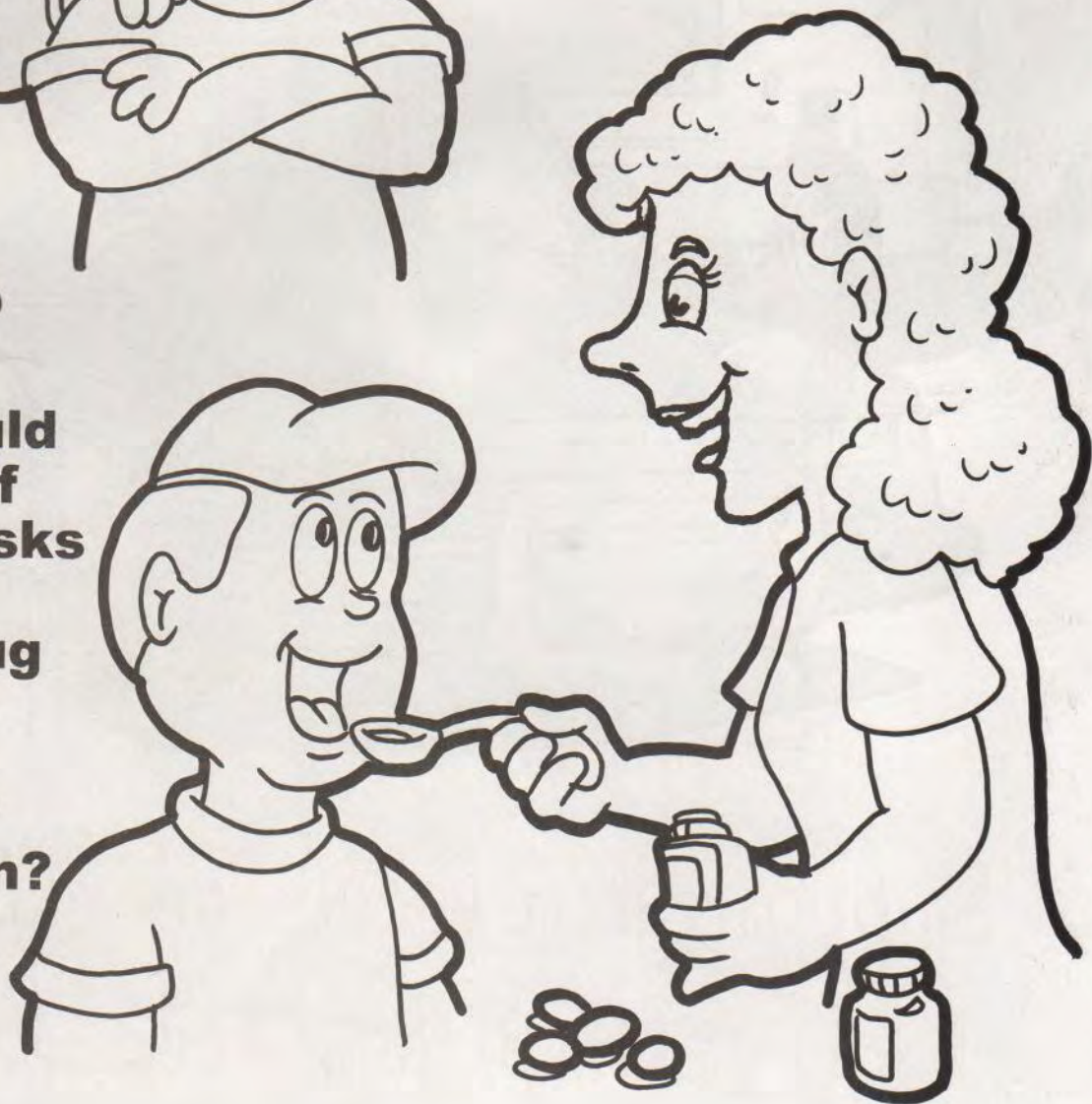
There are good drugs and bad drugs.

A good drug is a medicine. Medicine can make you well when you are sick.

There are many bad drugs. Bad drugs will hurt or kill you. Never take any drug, medicine, or vitamin unless your parents say it is alright.

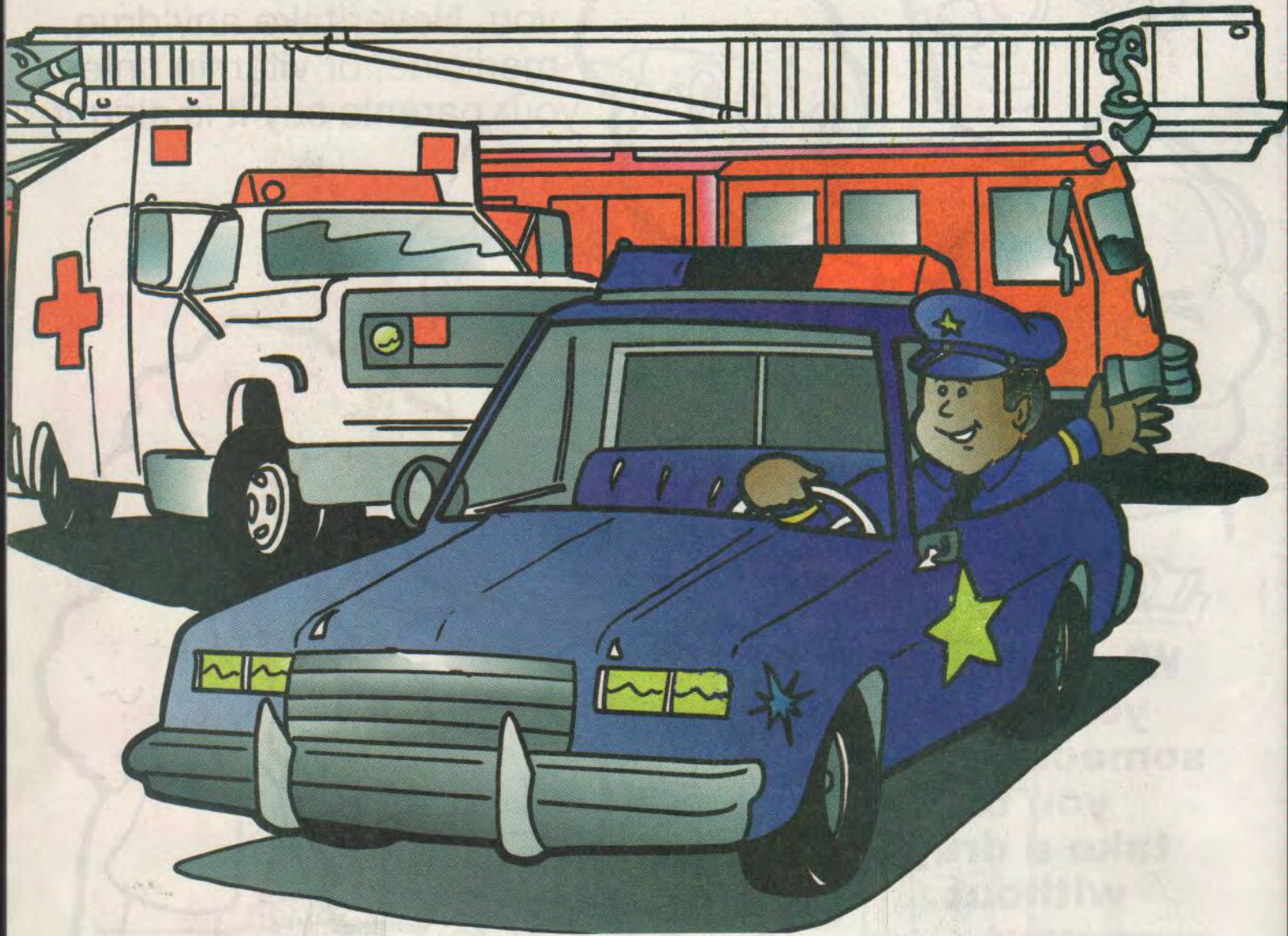


What should you say if someone asks you to take a drug without your parents' permission?



Join hands to educate our children.

Their lives depend on it.



Support your local law enforcement!

Help them help you.