

NEEDS AND WANTS BAG

What You Need:

Two bags, household items

What You Do

Part A.

Pretend you are going on a trip and you are only allowed to bring two bags.

One bag must be filled with things you need.

The other can be filled with things you want, even if you don't really need them.

1. Collect two large bags.
2. Go through your house and decide which things to put in each bag.



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Look on the other side!

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Play It Again: You can play this game again planning a different kind of trip. For example, one trip could be to a warm island to stay with friends, and the other could be a camping trip in the mountains. Be creative!

2. Which groups are mostly needs and which are mostly wants?

1. Try to group the items you have selected into different groups according to why you chose them. For example, one group could be things that help you to be **safe**, another group could be things that help you to be **healthy**, and a third group could be things that help you to be **happy**.

Part B

1. Explain to a friend why you selected each item.
Which ones are needs? Which are wants?
2. Do you think that **where** you are planning to go on your trip makes a difference?

Think, Write, Draw, Discuss