

# *Preventing Accidents*



## Teacher's Notes

The following worksheet has been developed to complement the activities carried out at the Lifeskills Centre. However, it can easily be adapted to suit a wider range of abilities.

Below are some examples of other possible activities:-

- Cut out each picture to create flash cards and use them to encourage a group discussion with the class.
- Ask the children to create their own quiz relating to the subject e.g. create crosswords, word-searches etc.
- Ask the children to write a short story or draw pictures/comic strips of each scenario.



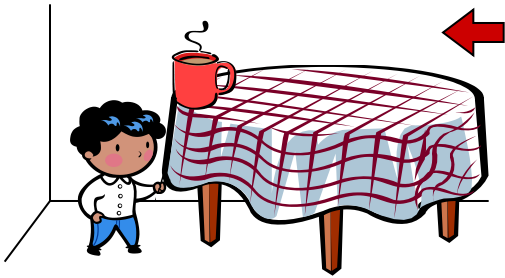
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How do you think you can stop accidents from happening?

Look at the pictures below and decide what kind of accident is about to take place.

What could be done to prevent it from happening?

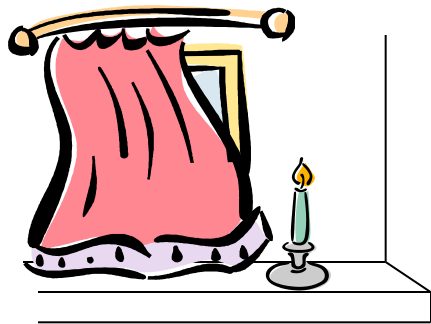


1. What accident could happen next?

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How could it be prevented?  
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2. What accident could happen next?

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\_\_\_\_\_  
How could it be prevented?  
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3. What accident could happen next?

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How could it be prevented?  
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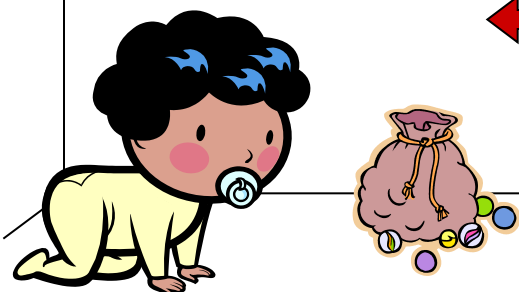
4. What accident could happen next?

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How could it be prevented?  
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5. What accident could happen next?

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How could it be prevented?  
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## Answers

1. The child could be scalded by hot tea.  
The cup needs to be moved away from the edge and the table cloth may need to be removed.
2. This person may slip on the spilt drink.  
The drink should be cleaned away immediately.
3. The candle may set light to the curtain.  
The candle should be moved to a safe place.
4. This person may get an electric shock from the radio.  
The radio needs to be moved as it should not be used in the bathroom or near water.
5. The baby may swallow a marble and choke.  
The marbles should be moved somewhere that the baby can't reach them.