

Flood Facts for Puddle Jumpers



Tell us your story!

Write or draw in the box a story of a flood or rain you have experienced.

and remember.....

Don't play in washes or channels, the water is dangerous and dirty!

Don't litter!

Tell adults not to drive through flooded streets!

Stay flood safe!

Fill in the Blanks

Use the words below to fill in the blanks and complete the story.

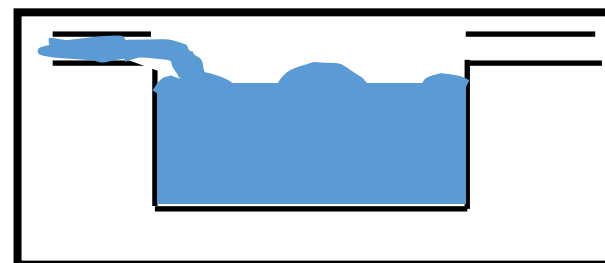
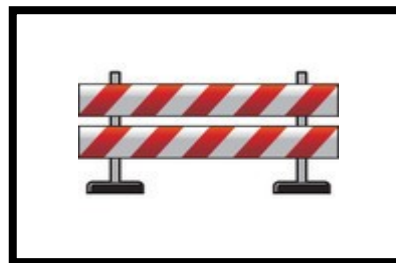
Mia and Pablo

Mia and Pablo went outside to go play and ride their _____. Pablo noticed a big, dark _____ forming in the sky. Mia said, "I think it's going to _____." Then, suddenly, big raindrops fell from the _____. The rain started to form _____ in the gutter. Pablo wanted to play in the _____, but Mia told him, "playing in _____ water is very _____! The water can _____ you off your feet." Pablo saw a lot of _____ in the water, like _____ and _____. Mia told him, "Pablo, stay away from there, that water is very _____." Pablo realized it wasn't safe to play in the rain, so he said, "let's go _____ until the rain stops!"



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| cans | puddles |
| clouds | glass |
| rain | sweep |
| inside | trash |
| bicycles | dirty |
| floodwater | dangerous |
| moving | sky |

Match the Picture



rain

flood

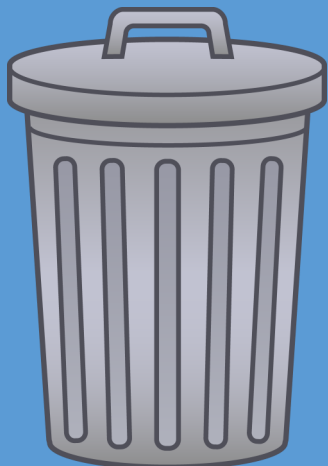
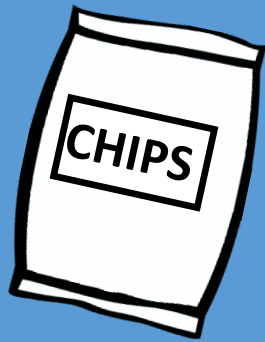
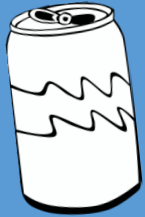
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littering

channels

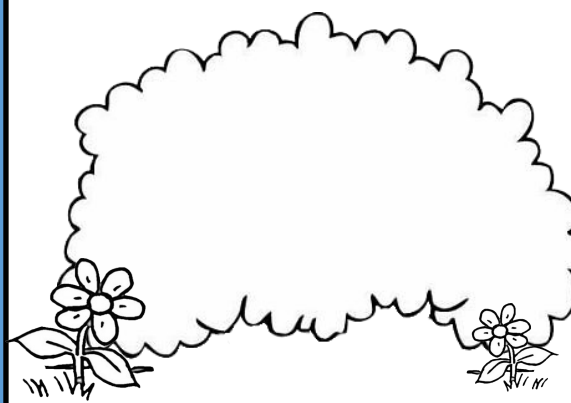
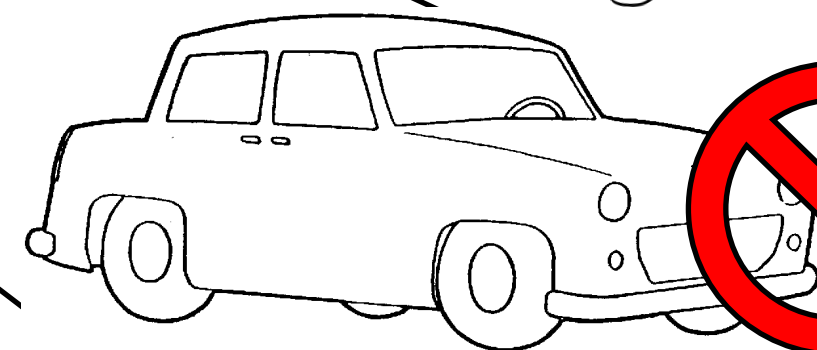
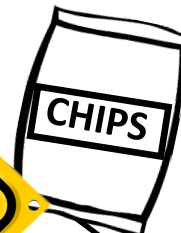
detention basin

Find the items that belong in the trash.



Trash on the roads can clog storm drains and pollute our earth.

Be Flood Safe



Word Search

Find the words that are related to flooding. They can be found forwards, diagonally, vertically and horizontally.

BASIN	FAST	SPEED
CAUTION	FLASH	STOP
CHANNEL	FLOOD	STORM
CLOUDS	MUD	TRASH
DANGEROUS	POLLUTION	WARNING
DIRTY	RAINFALL	WASH
DRAINS	SAFETY	WATCH

F A C D W F L A S H L O N W E
 J N T A W C H A N N E L C M D
 Z K R N P O L L U T I O N U I
 C V A G Q K N G F L O O D D R
 E A S E L M C W G S P E E D T
 V O H R W A T C H W L Y Y C Y
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 H A N U N N D W C S A f E T Y

Learn the Three D's

1. DANGEROUS

Floodwater can move up to 30 miles per hour and can sweep you away.

2. DIRTY

Floodwater is full of dirt, oil, rocks, trash and pollutants. It can make you very sick.

3. DON'T DRIVE

Tell your family not to drive in floodwater. Your car could get stuck and you could get hurt!

DETENTION BASIN

A big "bathtub" that holds floodwater

Stay away from fast moving water!

Pay attention to warnings on TV

FLOOD CHANNEL

A concrete or dirt ditch that moves floodwater like a river