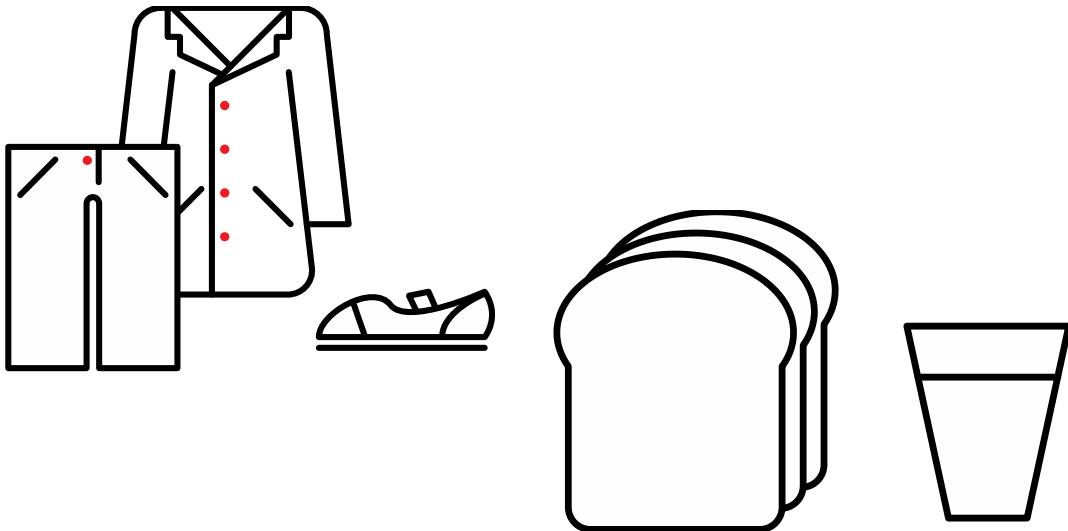


Needs - Essentials

Things we **need** are about our basic survival.

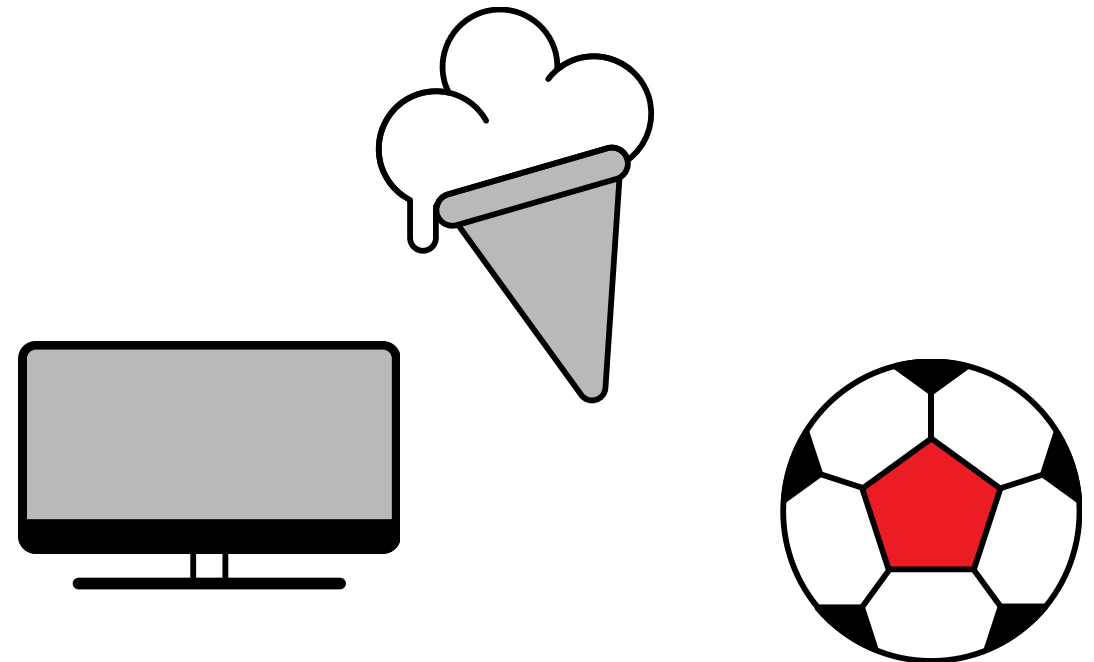
A **need** is something that is essential; something that you really cannot do without.



Wants - Luxuries

Things we **want** are not essential for our survival.

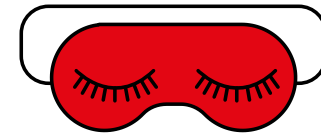
A **want** is something that you would like, but can do without.



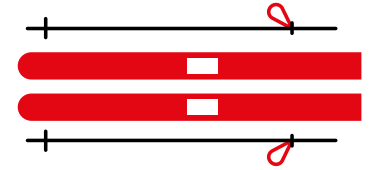
Shopping list



Sledge



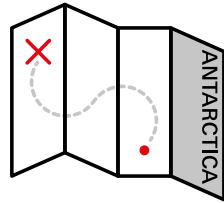
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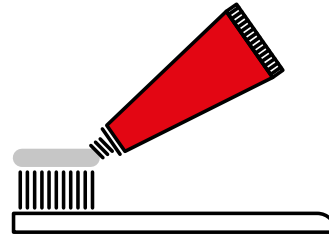
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Expedition water bottle



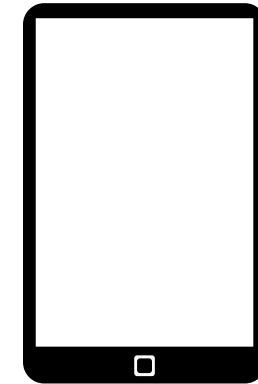
Map of Antarctica



Toothpaste



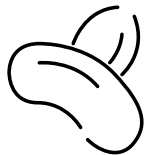
"How to talk to penguins" book



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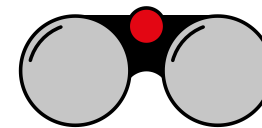
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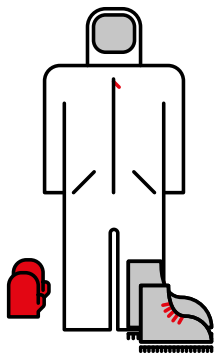
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Binoculars



First aid kit



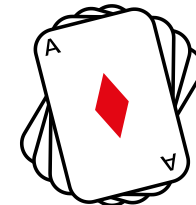
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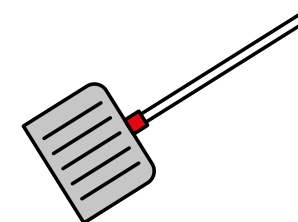
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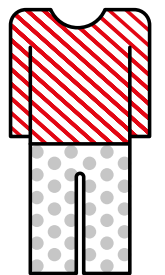
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Games



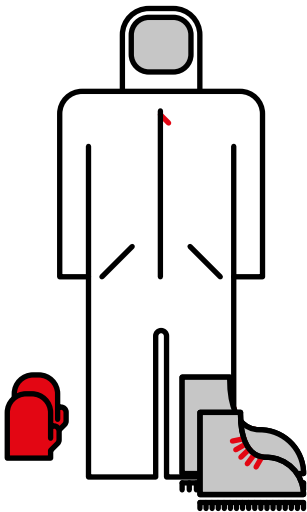
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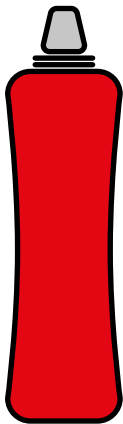
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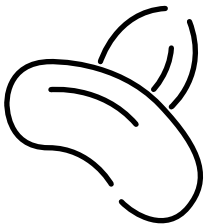
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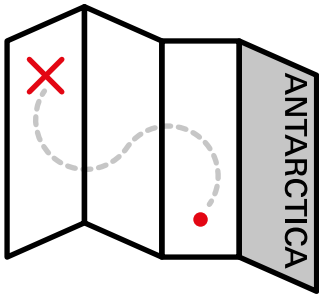
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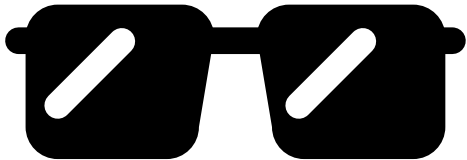
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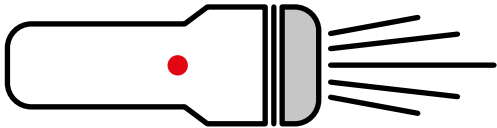
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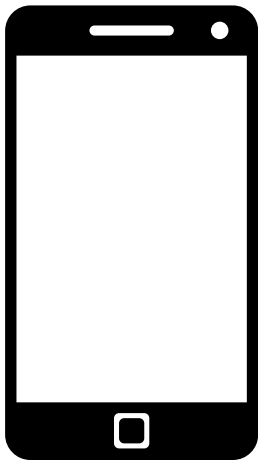
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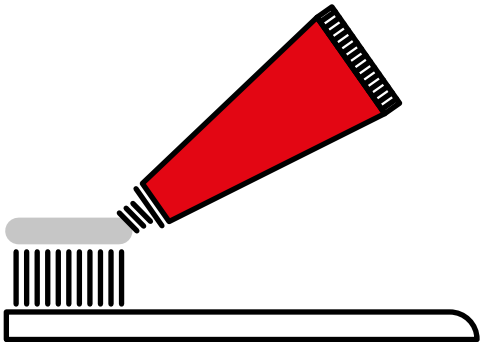
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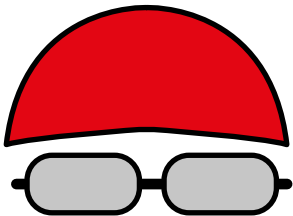
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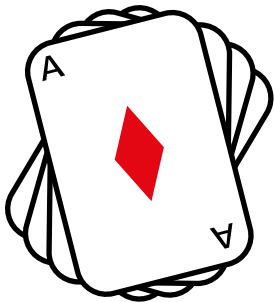
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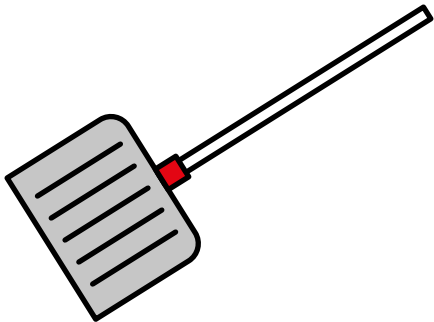
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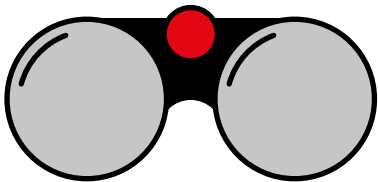
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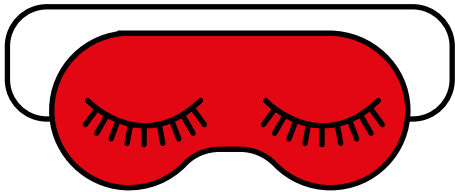
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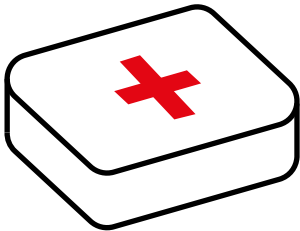
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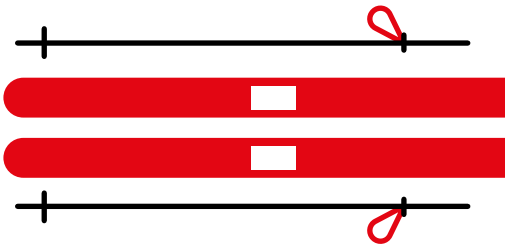
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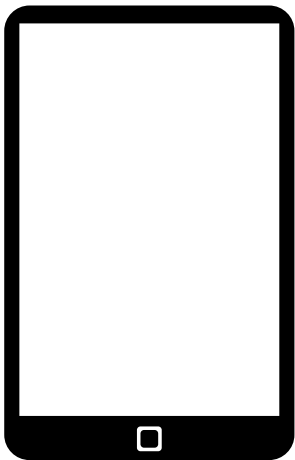
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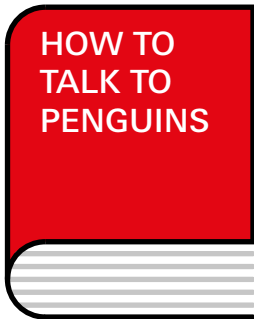
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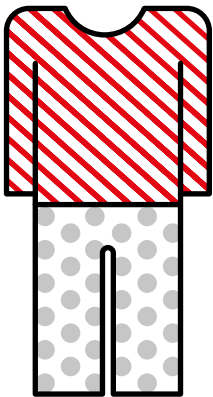
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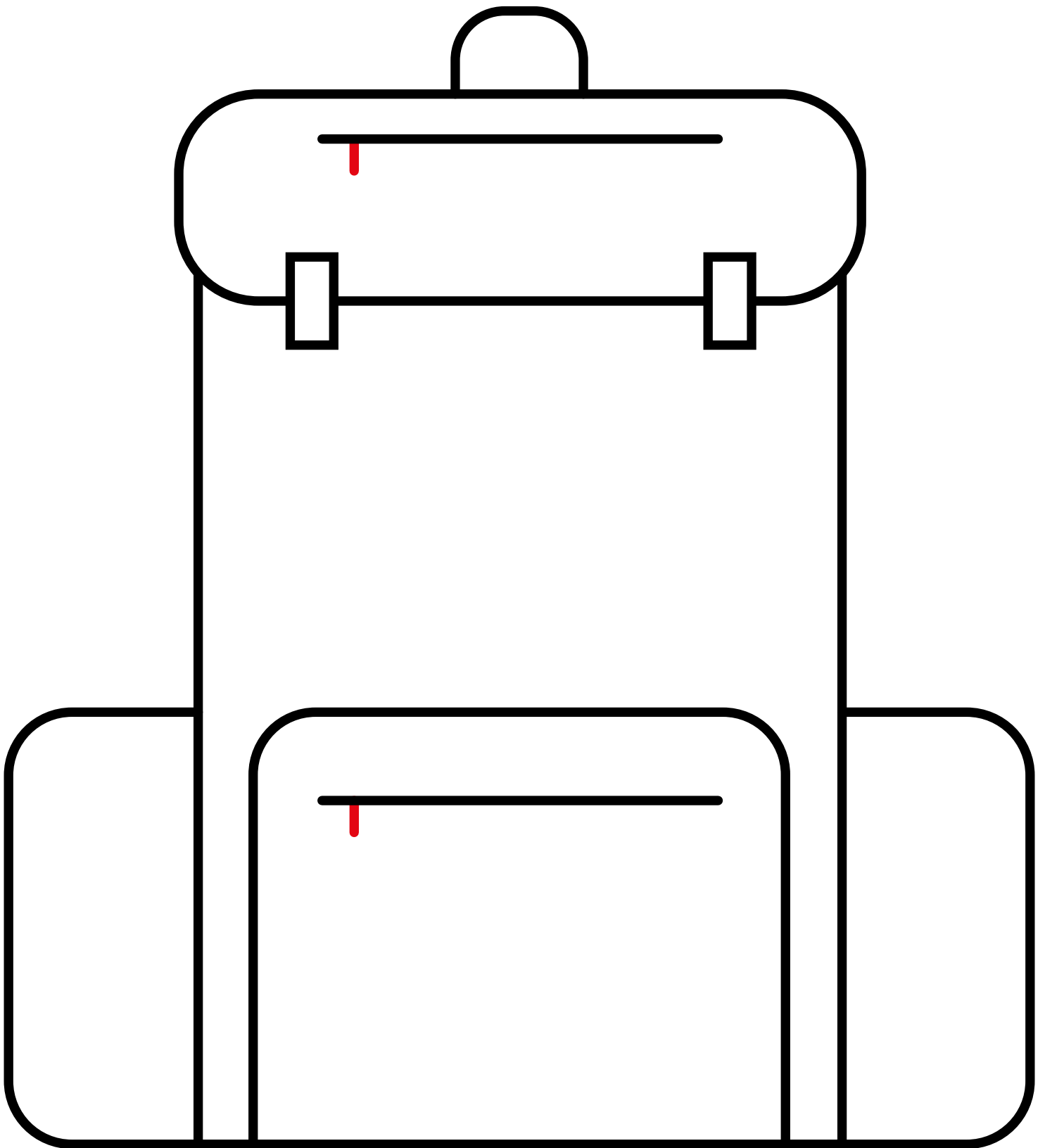


“How to talk to penguins” book



Pyjamas

Expedition rucksack



Activity

Write a letter to the Station Leader explaining what you have packed in your rucksack and why you have chosen those items. Make sure you explain the difference between a '**need**' and a '**want**'. You can use the sentence starter below to help you.

Halley VI Research Station
Halley VI
Brunt Ice Shelf
Caird Coast
Antarctica

Dear Mr Reece Urcher,

.....
A **need** is

.....
A **want** is

.....
One thing I **need** to take to Antarctica is

because

One thing I **want** to take to Antarctica is

because

The item I decided not to take is

because

The item I chose to take instead is

because

.....

.....

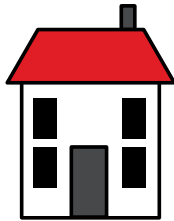
Making Wise Choices

Choices about spending and saving

Today we have been learning about the difference between something we 'need' in order to survive and something we 'want' but which isn't essential. We have talked about sometimes making difficult choices because we can't always afford everything we want. And we have also considered the things that we value, like personal or sentimental items, that don't cost money.

Things you can do at home

- ◆ Take your child food shopping with you and have conversations about the items that you need and the items that you want. Talk about unseen costs that you have to pay like electricity, gas and the TV Licence.



- ◆ Help your child to understand value for money by seeing if they can tell the difference between a branded product and a cheaper alternative.

- ◆ Help your child understand the different words that we use when we buy things.

money

need

choose

cost

afford

want

luxury

essential

budget

priority

value