

## Needs and Wants

In life, there are things we need. There are also things we want. Sometimes it's easy to tell the difference between things we want and things we need. Sometimes it's hard.

Think about your needs and wants that cost money. Look at the pictures below. First, circle all of the things you need. Then, put a checkmark over the pictures of things you want.

If you're not sure, think about what you need to live. If you can't live without something, it's a need.



A place to live



Food



Water



Toys



Candy



A bicycle



Going to the movies



A tablet

How many of the pictures are needs?

Add them up:

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How many of the pictures are wants?

Add them up:

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What do you notice?

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## Take it further

What are some other needs or wants you would add to the images above?  
Think about your own life.

Draw your needs and wants below.

Circle the needs and put a checkmark on the wants.
