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### WELLBEING ACTIVITIES

Breathe: in through your nose for a count of 4 and out your mouth for a count of four. Repeat this several times throughout the day, particularly if you feel anxious or cross.

Use the sheet with **The Shield**. Think about all the people things that you have around you that are important to you, and keep you safe. Draw them all inside the shield.

Write down 3 things each day that you are grateful for. It can be people, things and experiences – anything!

Use Google Earth to look up the following landmarks: Big Ben, The Eiffel Tower, The Leaning Tower of Pisa and The Statue of Liberty. What else can you find? Did you know that you can also explore under the sea and on the moon? Write down 3 cool things you have found.

It is important to get fresh air, especially if you are feeling a little under the weather. Try the 5-4-3-2-1 grounding exercise when you are outdoors. Working backwards, find 5 things you can hear, 4 things you can see, 3 things you can touch from where you are sitting or standing, 2 things you can smell and one thing you can taste.

Listen: Put on your favourite piece of music and listen. What instruments can you hear? How does the music make you feel? Where in your body can you feel it?

Use the 'Stay Calm Checklist' sheet. Write down 7 things you can do to distract yourself when you become frustrated or angry.

Use <https://www.cosmickids.com/> to do some fun Yoga exercises. It is important to try and do some exercise while you are at home to keep your body and mind healthy 😊

Listen to an audio book. There are several websites where you can access these for free: Librivox / Spotify (can be used on a free account) / Storynory / Storyline Online.

Find a safe, quiet space and read a book. Use what you can to make your space comfortable.

Ask the adults at home how you can help. Everyone needs to work as a team at times like this, and they will appreciate your help.

Use the 'Mirror' sheet. Find a real mirror and look closely at yourself. Make a list of all the things you are good at and the things that you like about yourself. What things make you special and valuable?

15. Use the 'Suitcase' sheet. Imagine you have to pack all the important things in your life at the moment. Spend some time being mindful of the people, places, things and thoughts that are the most important. Talk someone through what you have chosen and explain why.

Do a bodyscan. Use the following link to talk you through how to do it:  
<https://soundcloud.com/mindfulmagazine/body-scan-meditation-for-kids>

Use the 'WOW' sheet. Write or doodle in and around the bubble letters, the things that amaze you! It can be nature, a person, an experience or an item.

Use [http://www.hellokids.com/r\\_12/drawing-for-kids](http://www.hellokids.com/r_12/drawing-for-kids) to help you complete a drawing of your choice. Listen carefully to the instructions and complete the drawing to the best of your ability. There is blank paper in the pack to use for this 😊



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Go for a mindful walk. It is best to do this outdoors and so you might need to go with a parent or carer. Walk as slowly as you can for one minute. What things do you have time to notice now?

Find 'The Worst Comic Ever' sheet. Have fun writing the most rubbish, boring, ugly comic story that you can!

Drawing meditation: Choose an object, look at it very carefully for 60 seconds. Place the item under a cloth and see how well you can draw the item from memory! Do not worry if it isn't very accurate, just try again with something else!

Each day listen to an inspirational talk! Which was your favourite? How did it change your thinking?  
<https://www.lifehack.org/785441/inspiring-ted-talks-for-kids>

Lay down and close your eyes. Listen to some Disney piano music. Try to do activity 1 at the same time. How does it make you feel? <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5DiMoehAeOU>

Listen to a mindfulness story called magic bubbles using this link:  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SPpTqqHVRKQ>

Have fun coming up funny virus drawings and names! Using the 'Draw Funny Viruses' sheet.

Use the 'Smudges and Splatters' and turn them into pictures!

Showing kindness to others is proven to help YOU feel better too! Can you think of something kind you can do for someone else in your home? Or send a lovely text message to a friend or family member.

Complete the 'Mindful Colouring' page. Try to notice what you are thinking about while you do so.

Complete the 'Olga's Remedy' page – make it as weird and wonderful as possible 😊

Use the following 'Conversation Starters' to have interesting chats with someone else in your home:

- What is your favourite memory?
- If you were to win the lottery, how would it change your life?
- What are you most proud of?
- What do you want to be doing in 10 years time?
- If you had £1000 to give away who would you give it to and why?
- What makes you happy?
- What would be in your ideal lunch box?
- What is the first thing you notice about people?
- What makes you laugh?
- If you were the Prime Minister, what would you change?
- Who inspires you?
- What is the best thing about being you?

Draw a picture or write a letter to someone at a vulnerable person, eg someone in a local care home.



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# THE WORST COMIC **EVER!**

I DON'T  
WANT TO  
READ IT!

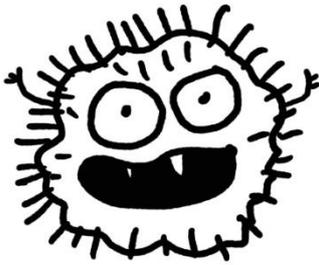




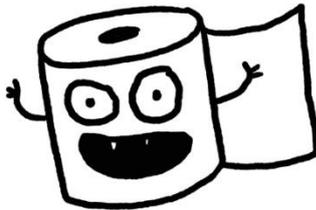

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# DRAW FUNNY VIRUSES!

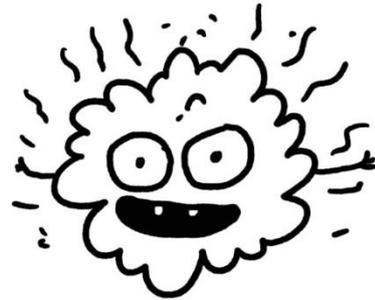
DON'T FORGET TO GIVE THEM SILLY NAMES.



Hairyvirus



Toiletpapero-  
virus



Stinkovirus



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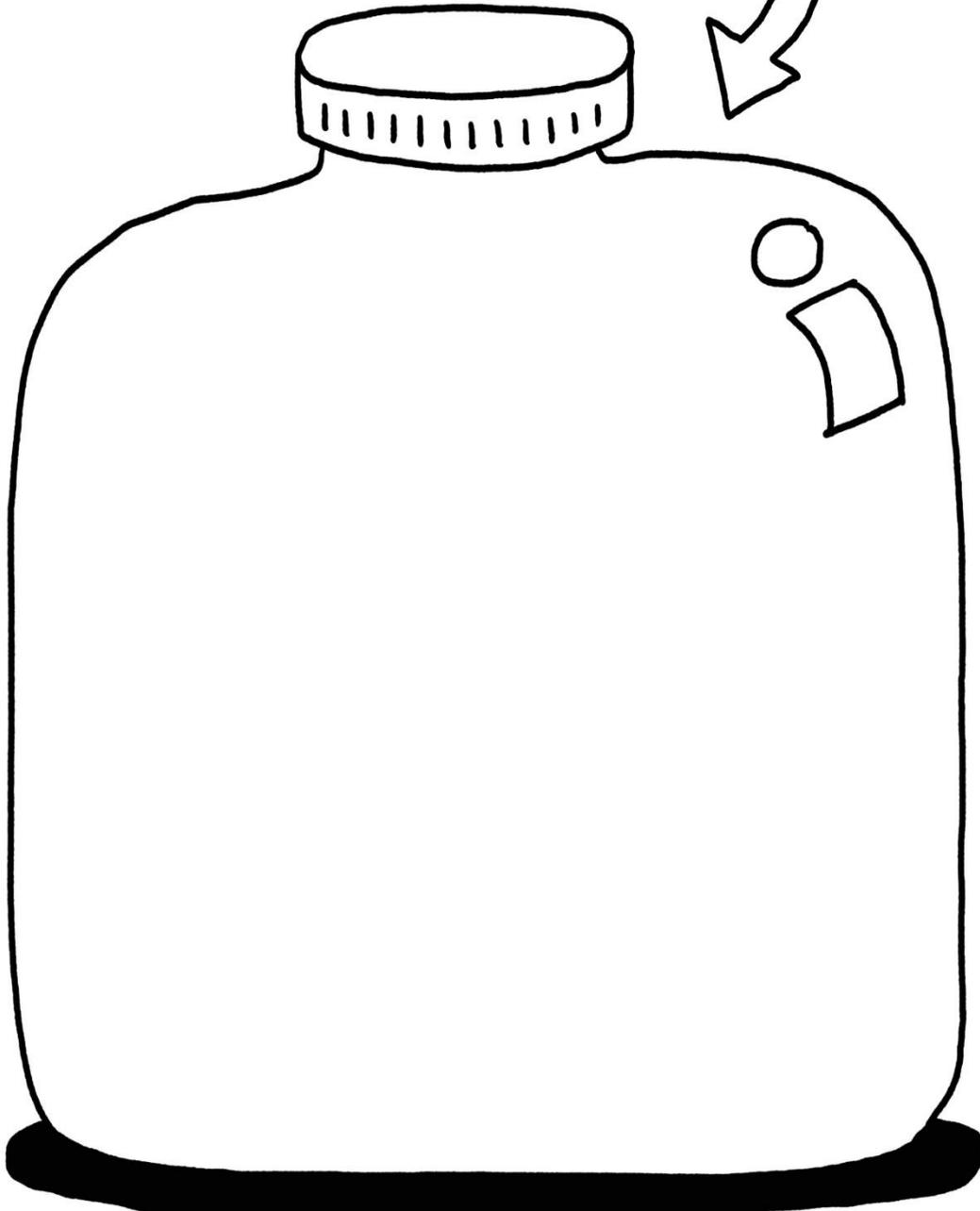
**OLGA** has discovered a strange remedy to the coronavirus.



Meh.



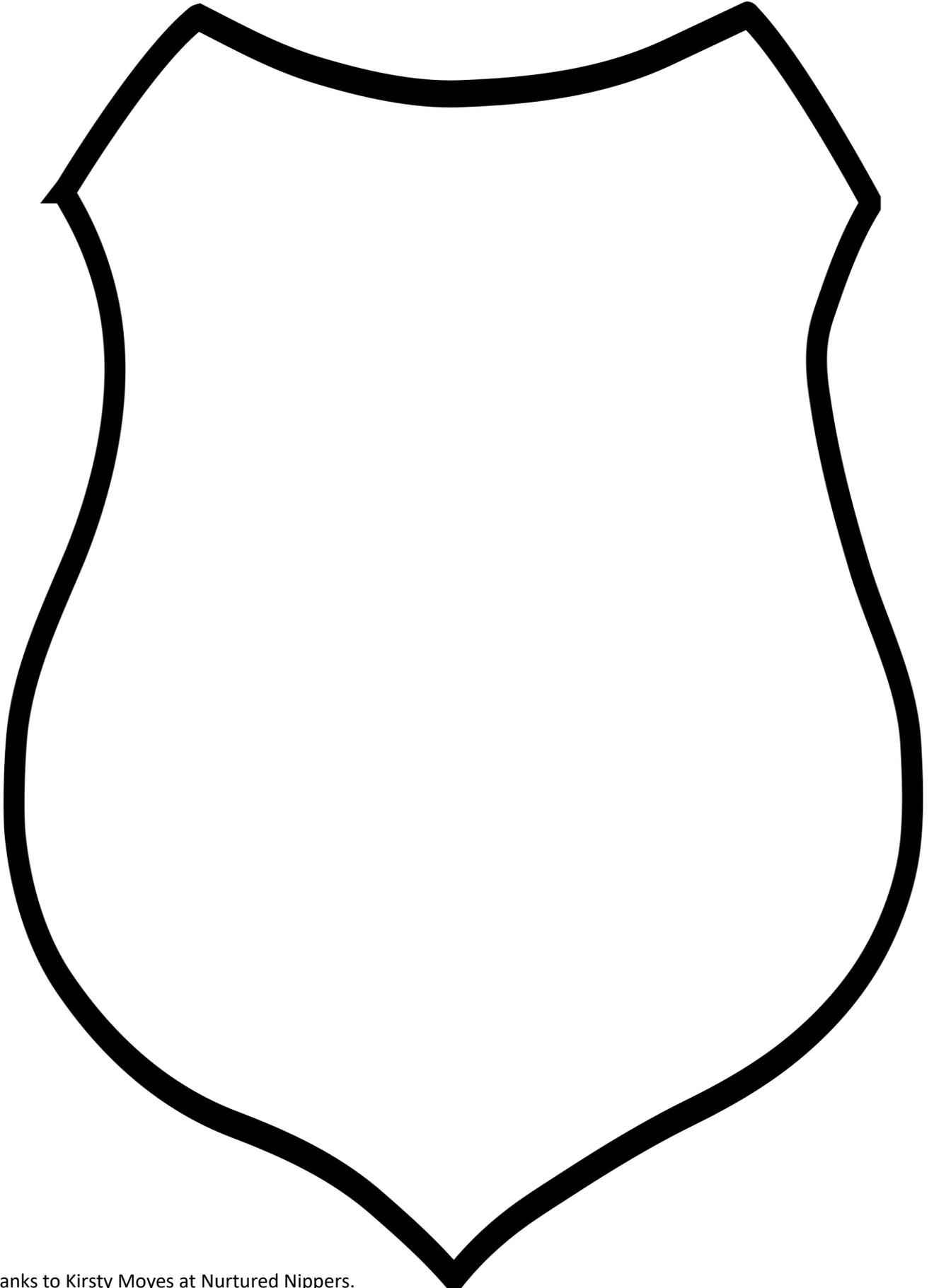
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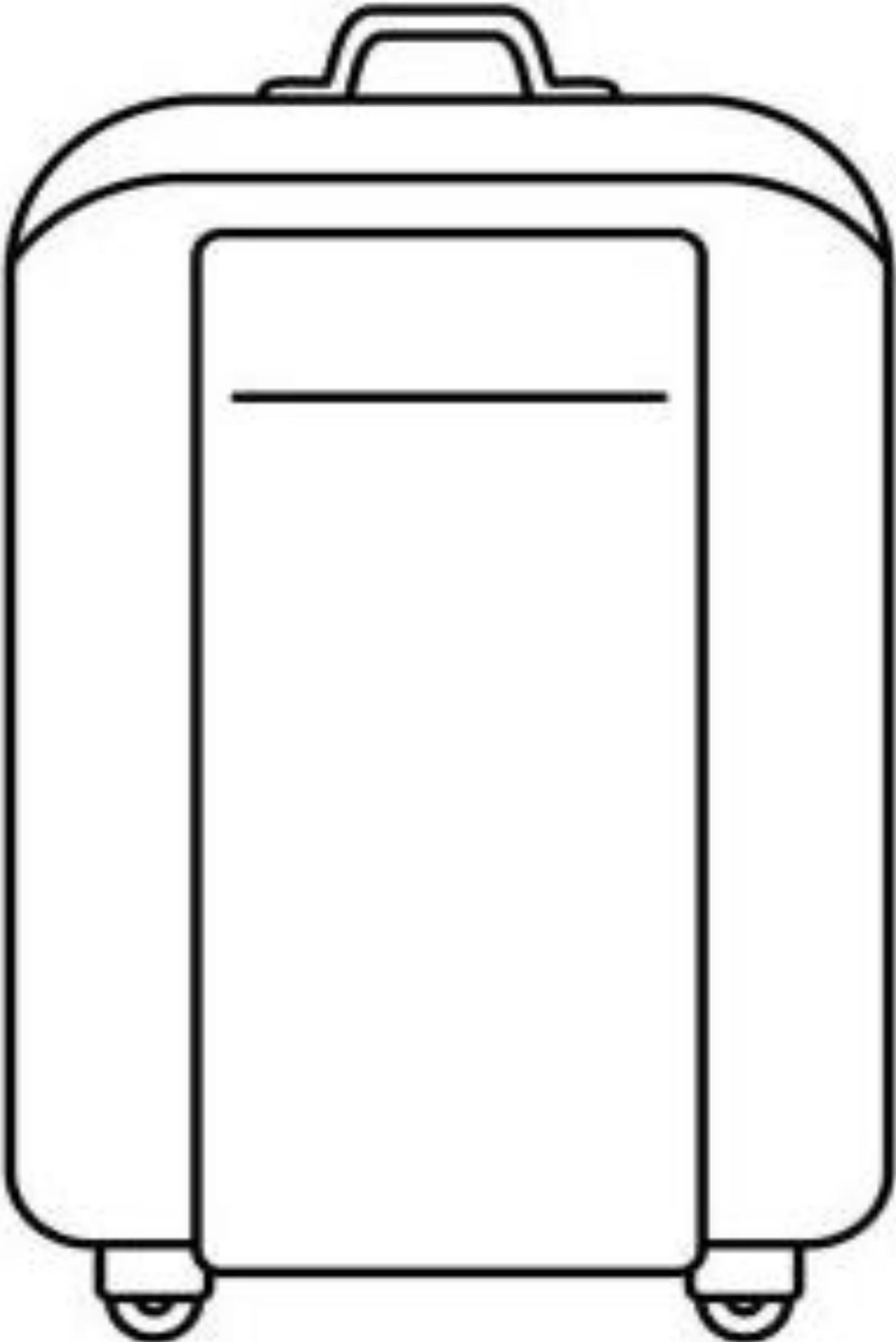


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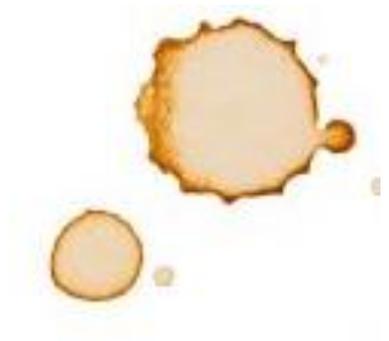
Mindful Colouring

### SMUDGES AND SPLATTERS!



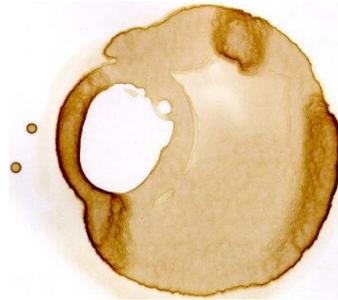
There is an artist called **Stefan Kuhnigk**, who turns his coffee splatters and smudges into cute drawings!

Turn the smudges and splatters below into your own works of art!





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If an adult allows, let them help you make your own paint/tea splatters and turn them into pictures too!



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**WOW!**



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## 30 Day LEGO Challenge

Follow the instructions for each day. The only rule is to have fun and use your imagination!

Day 1		Day 2		Day 3		Day 4	
You were hired by an amusement park to create a new roller coaster.		NASA needs you to build a new rocket.		Your parents want to build a new home and they want you to build it.		Hollywood hires you to build a movie set for a new Star Wars movie.	
Day 5	Day 6	Day 7	Day 8	Day 9	Day 10	Day 11	Day 12
You enter a contest to build the world's tallest tower. Will you win?	You are stuck on Mars and need to build a new ship to get home.	Ford hires you to create the toughest pick up truck in the world.	You and 4 friends are stranded on an island. Build a boat to find a way home.	Captain Hook needs a new pirate ship and wants you to build it.	You and your friends decide to build a tree house.	Prince Charming hires you to build a castle for him & Cinderella.	Dr. Who hires you to build a new TARDIS.
Day 13	Day 14	Day 15	Day 16	Day 17	Day 18	Day 19	Day 20
You are asked by the President to build a new monument to George Washington.	Mr. Hilton hires you to build a new hotel.	There is a circus in town. Build a place for the performance.	Help your fellow pioneers build a wagon to make it across the country.	Build the fastest car around and join the big car race.	Do you wanna build a snowman? Get in the winter mood and build a snow scene.	The city wants you to build a bridge to connect one side of the town to the other.	Pizza party! It is up to you to make a pizza for all the guests.
Day 21	Day 22	Day 23	Day 24	Day 25	Day 26	Day 27	Day 28
You are hired to build a brand new hospital.	The fence is broke and the dog keeps escaping. Build one he can't get out of.	You are now in medieval times. You are commissioned to build a jousting arena.	The local bank keeps getting robbed. Build a safe no one can crack.	Design and build your dream bedroom.	You are elected ruler. Build a flag for your land.	Aliens are invading and you need to build a war robot to defeat them.	The aliens have taken over. They are impressed by your robot. They want you build one for them.
Day 29	Day 30			What was your favorite day?			
You are hired to build a house entirely out of yellow Legos.	There is blizzard. You will need to build a snowmobile						



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Here are some other websites and challenges to help keep your brain and body moving and learning 😊

<p><b>Switcheroo Zoo</b> <a href="http://www.switcheroozoo.com">www.switcheroozoo.com</a> Watch, listen and play games to learn all about amazing animals!</p>	<p><b>Fun Brain</b> <a href="http://www.funbrain.com">www.funbrain.com</a> Play games while practicing math and reading skills</p>
<p><b>Nat Geo for Kids</b> <a href="http://www.kids.nationalgeographic.com">www.kids.nationalgeographic.com</a> Learn all about geography and fascinating animals.</p>	<p><b>PBS Kids</b> <a href="http://www.pbskids.org">www.pbskids.org</a> Hang out with your favorite characters all while learning!</p>
<p><b>Into the Book</b> <a href="http://www.reading.ecb.org">www.reading.ecb.org</a> Go "into the book" to play games that practice reading strategies</p>	<p><b>Star Fall</b> <a href="http://www.starfall.com">www.starfall.com</a> Practice your phonics skills with these read-along stories</p>
<p><b>Seussville</b> <a href="http://www.seussville.com">www.seussville.com</a> Read, play games, and hang out with Dr. Seuss and his friends.</p>	<p><b>Storyline Online</b> <a href="http://www.storylineonline.net">www.storylineonline.net</a> Have some of your favorite stories read to you by movie stars!</p>
<p><b>ABC YA</b> <a href="http://www.abc.ya.com">www.abc.ya.com</a> Practice math and reading skills all while playing fun games!</p>	<p><b>Highlights Kids</b> <a href="http://www.highlightskids.com">www.highlightskids.com</a> Read, play games, and conduct cool science experiments!</p>