

About me!

I am _____ years old. I am in _____ grade.

I'm really good at _____.

I don't really like _____.

I like to play _____.

My favorite sport is _____.

This is a picture of me doing something I like:

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My adventure guide to Court!



Hi! We are going to court. Are you going to court too?
Can you help us color our clothes?

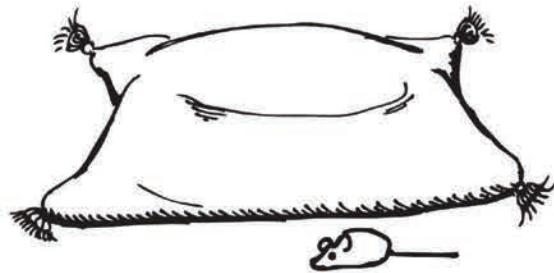
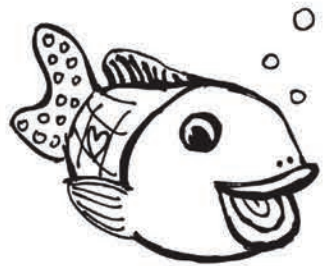
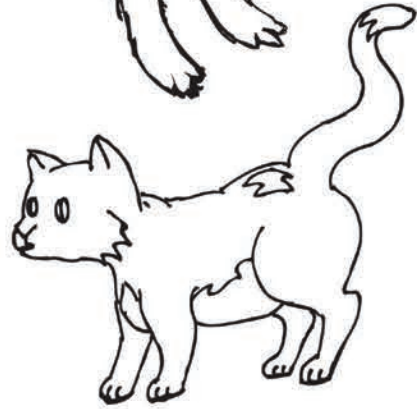


Sometimes court is scary or confusing. Tell your judge or
lawyer how you feel. They WANT to know!

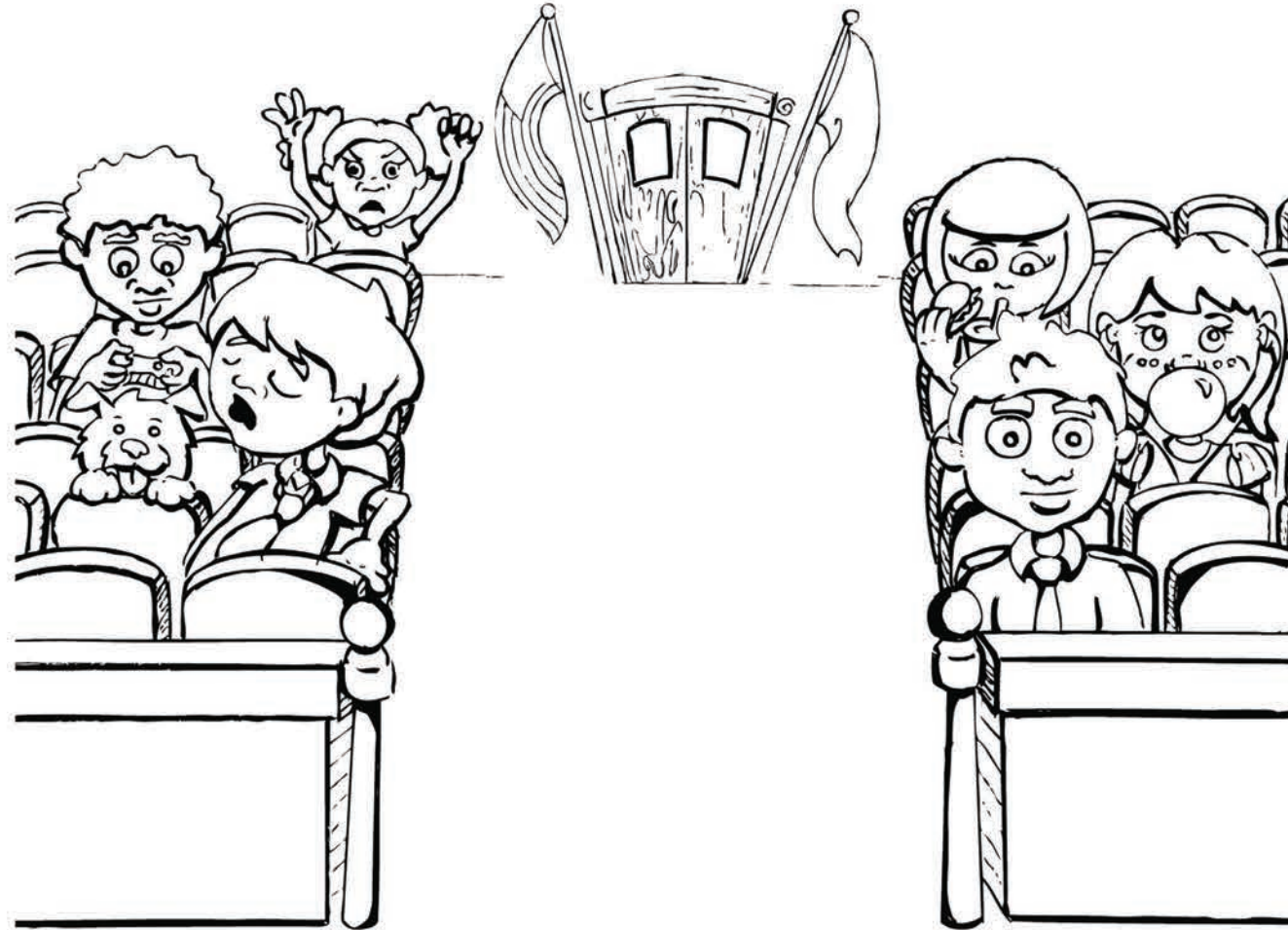


If I have a problem, I can call _____.
Their number is _____.

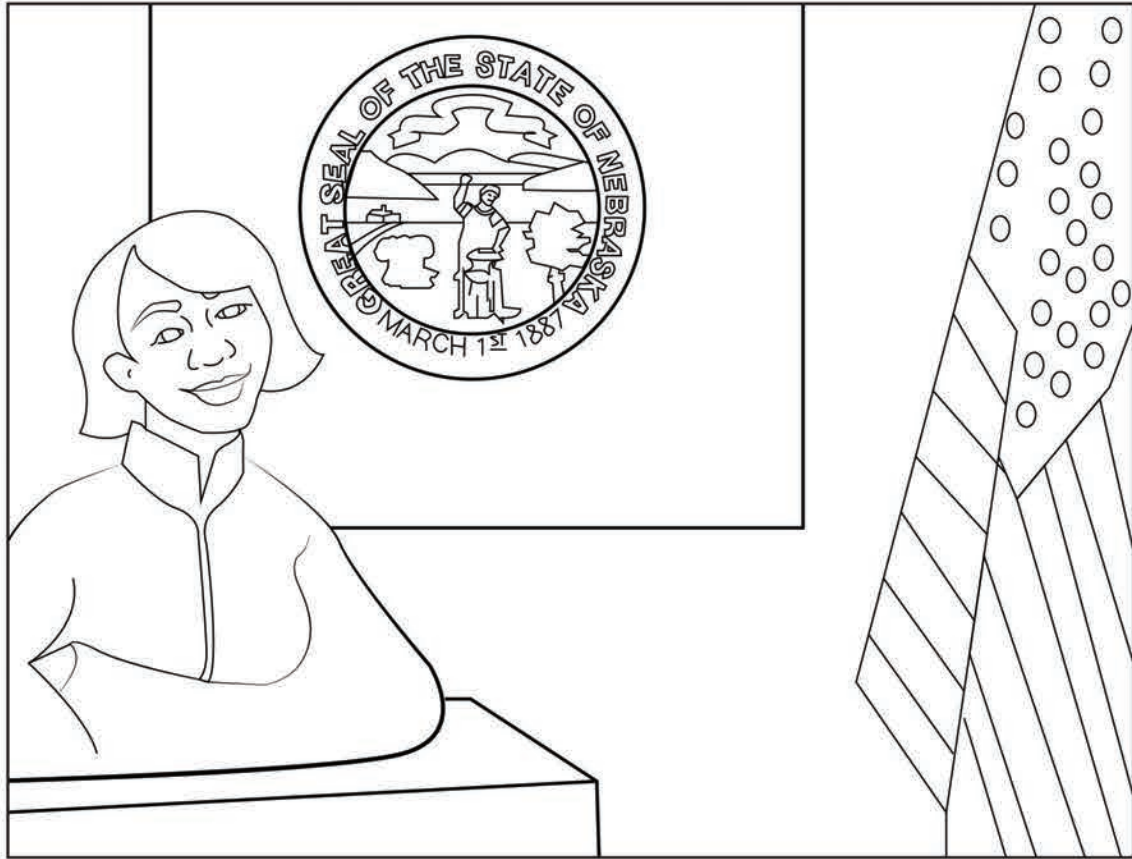
Do you have pets? Where do they live? Can you match these pets with where they live?



Court rooms have special rules like calling the judge "your honor." Circle the things in this courtroom that aren't following the rules.

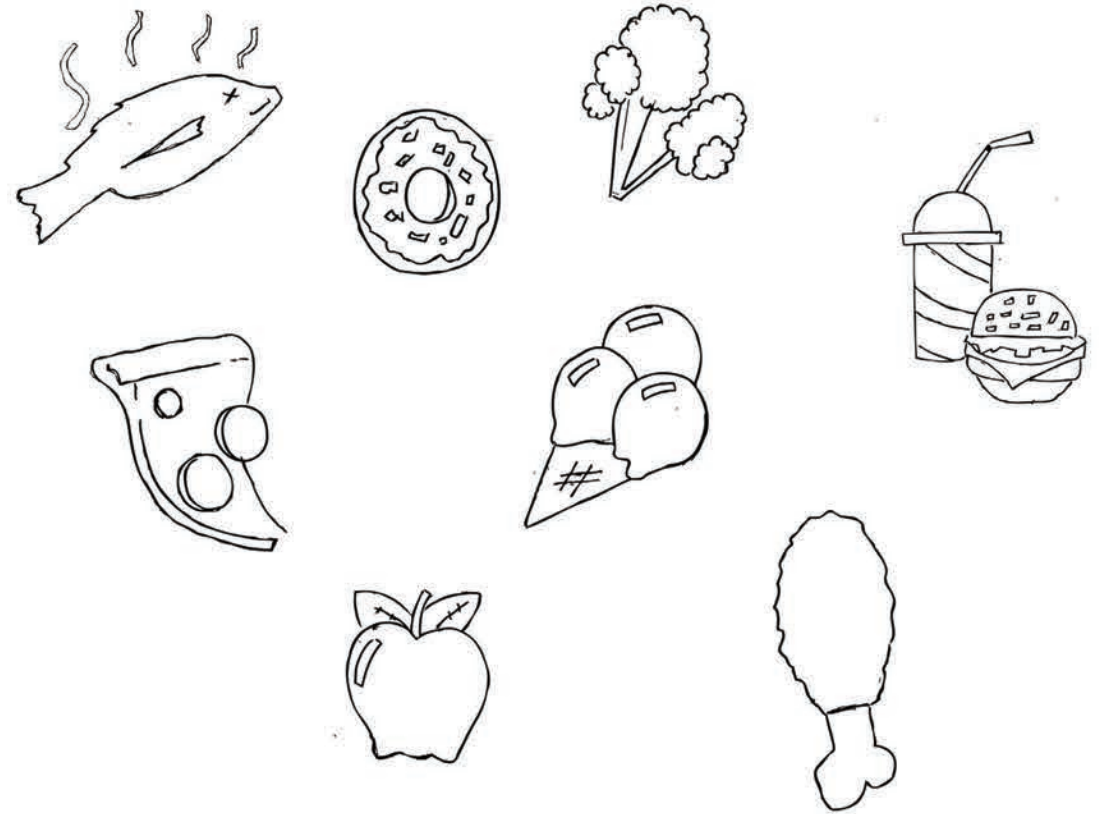


The judge is the person who decides if you have a safe home. They listen to everyone. That's why it's good to tell them the truth.



Do you think it is hard to tell the truth? Why?

It's important to tell your foster parents how you feel. Circle what you like to eat. You can tell your foster parents!

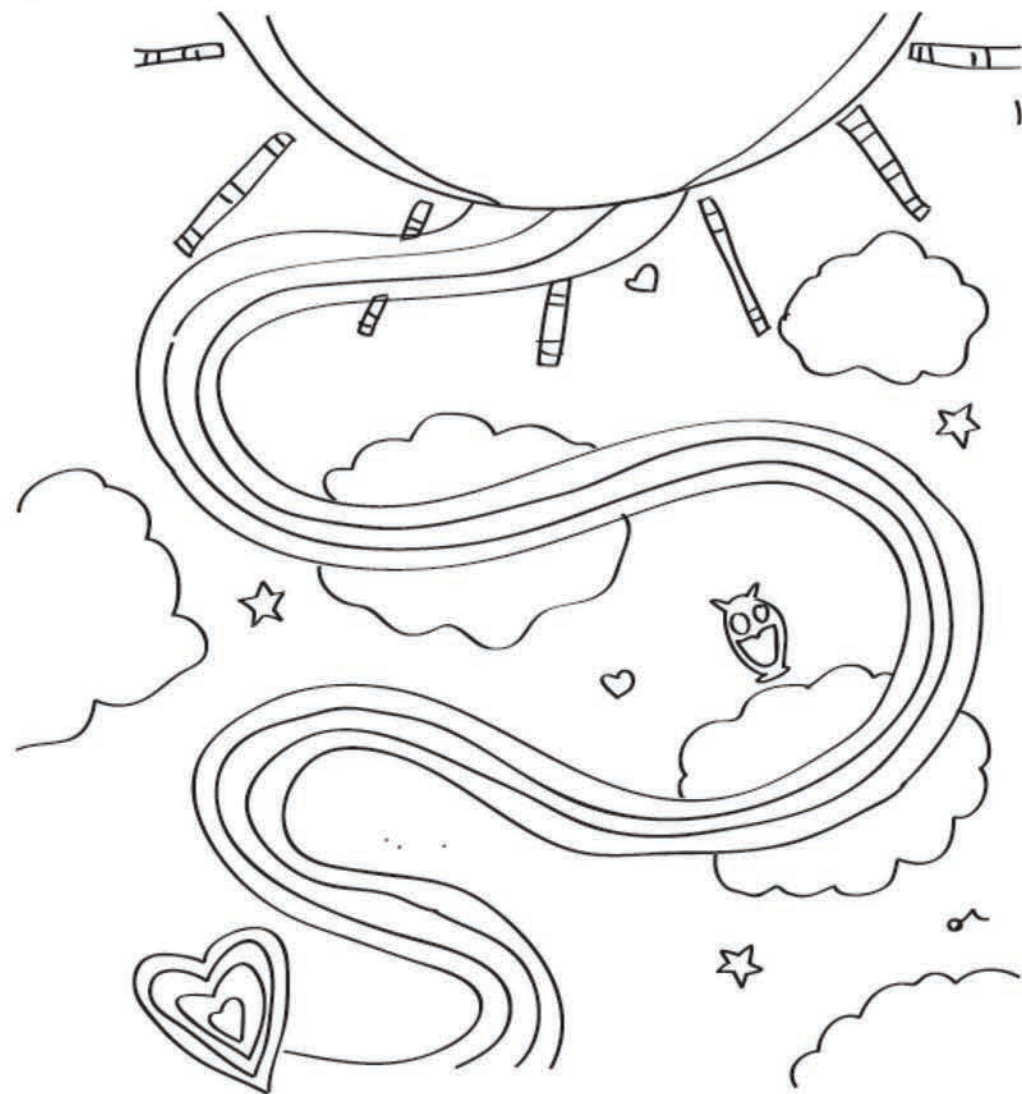


Draw some other things you like.

If your parents or other family members can't give you a safe home, sometimes you can live with a foster family. It is ok if you feel a little shy or scared with a new foster family.



Your lawyer is called your GAL. They can help explain court to you. You can ask them questions. Your parents will have a lawyer to help them too.



My GAL's name is _____.

My GAL's number is _____.

