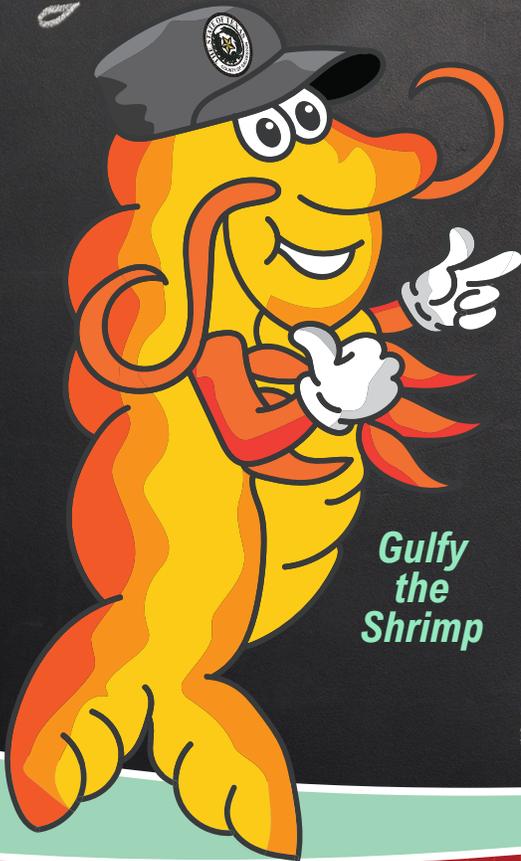


GALVESTON COUNTY OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

DISASTER GUIDE

Kid's



Preparedness Saves Lives

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BUILD A KIT
STAY INFORMED



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MAKE A PLAN

CREATE A PLAN TO GET READY FOR EMERGENCIES

WHAT WILL YOU DO IF...

YOU MUST EVACUATE?

THE POWER GOES OUT?

YOUR HOME IS ON FIRE?

IF YOU NEED HELP,
WHO CAN YOU CALL?

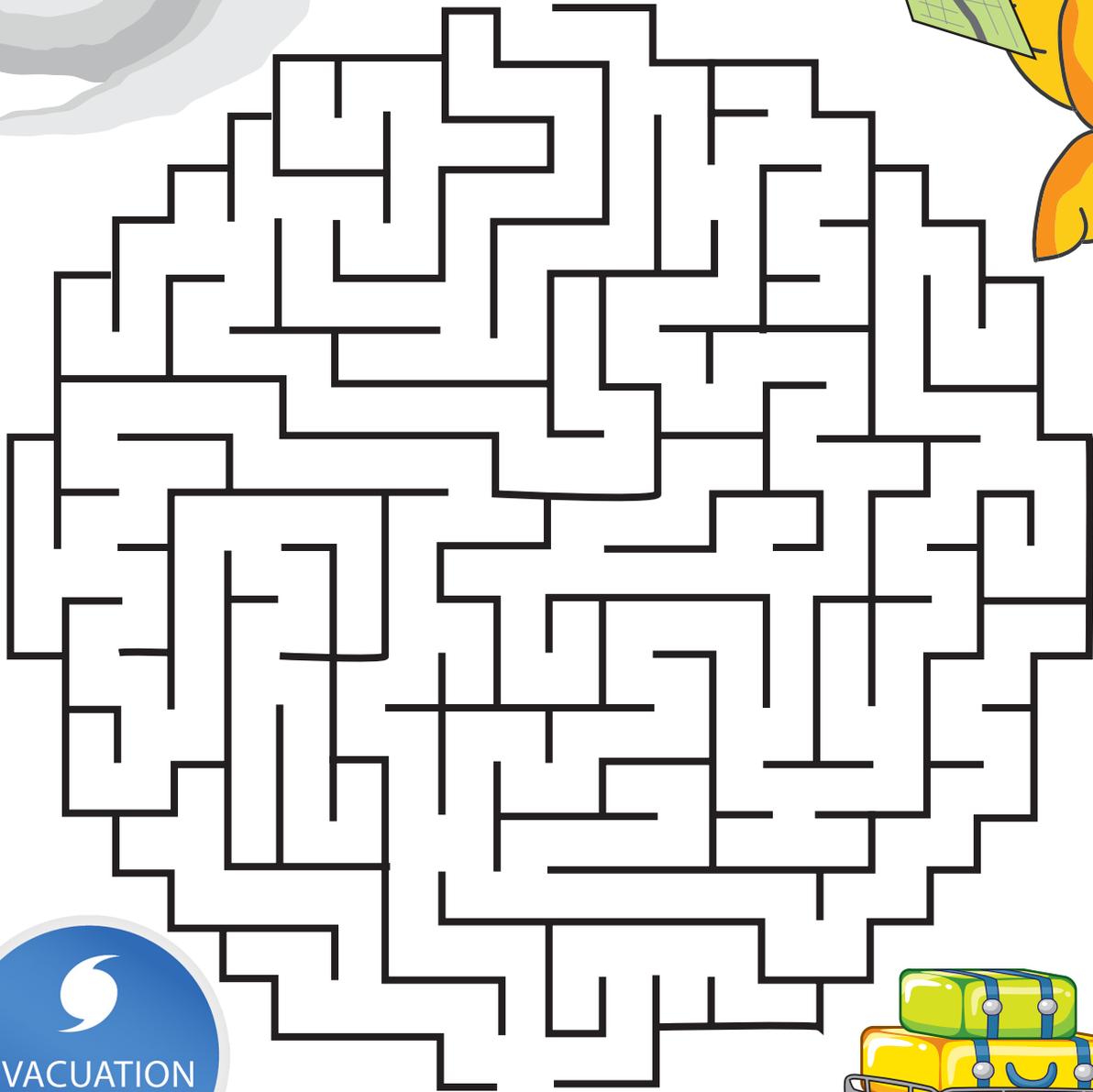
Choose someone nearby and someone far away to call for help in a disaster.



*Your family may need to evacuate in a hurricane.
Be a hero and help Gulfy draw a map to safety.*



START



FINISH



BUILD A KIT

Circle what you need to go in your Emergency Kit.



HUMANS NEED ONE GALLON OF WATER EACH DAY.
Calculate how much water to store for emergencies.

1. CIRCLE THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE IN YOUR HOME.



2. FIGURE OUT HOW MANY GALLONS OF WATER YOU WILL NEED BY MULTIPLYING THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE OF YOUR HOME BY 7 DAYS.

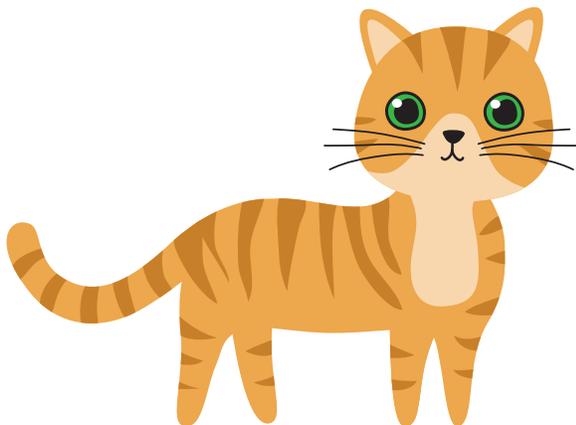
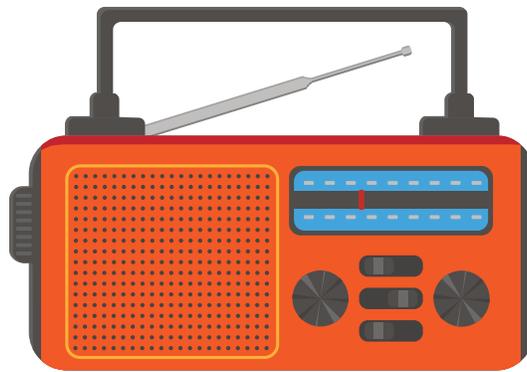
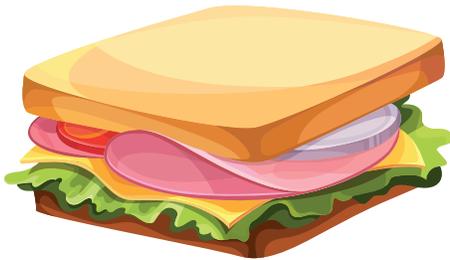
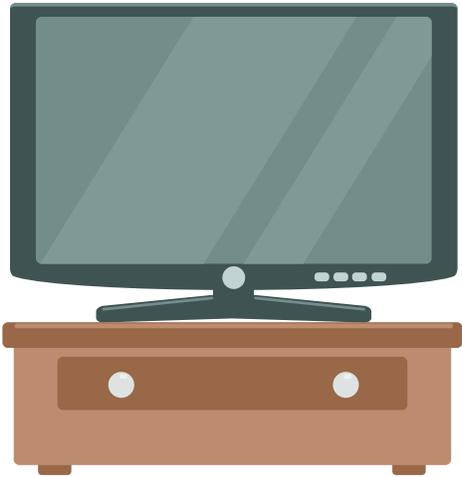
7 DAYS X _____ PEOPLE = _____ GALLONS

3. DRAW THE AMOUNT OF WATER YOU NEED.



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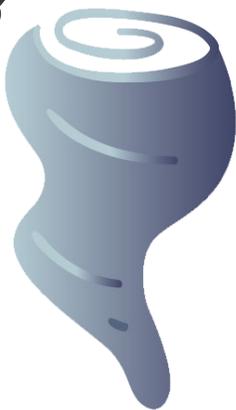
Circle items you would use to Stay Informed



NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE



*Can you help Gulfy
unscramble the weather?*



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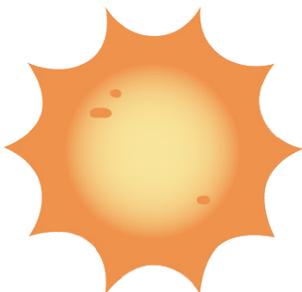


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SUMMER SAFETY

Match the safety tip to the right picture.

Never play in hot cars.



Swim with an adult nearby.



Use sun screen and drink lots of water.



Wear a life jacket in boats and on docks.



RIP CURRENTS

Rip currents are strong channels of water moving quickly away from shore.



MYTH: A strong swimmer can out swim a rip current.

FACT: Rip currents can be faster than an Olympic swimmer.

MYTH: It's always fastest to swim where the waves are smaller.

FACT: A break in the waves can actually indicate a rip current.



RAISE
your hands
& cry for help

RIDE
the current:
relax & float

SWIM TO THE SIDE
out of the
current

CHEMICALS

Chemicals are used to make many important things we use every day. Know how to stay safe around chemicals at home.



**NEVER
PLAY WITH
CHEMICALS**



**USE
CLEANERS WITH
AN ADULT**



**KEEP
CHEMICALS AWAY
FROM BABIES**



**DO NOT PLAY
WITH DISH OR
LAUNDRY PODS**



**DRAW A PICTURE OF YOU AND
YOUR FAMILY INSIDE A HOUSE.**

WORD SEARCH

Help Gulfy Get Ready!



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