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To be a better Muslim
To be a constructive part of the society,
and make their personality positive.

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AlSadaqa Club – Activity Book

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Foreword - for parents

Assalam o Alykum

(Be peace upon you)

This Activity Book, designed for/by AlSadaqa Club, is intended to teach kids about *sadaqa* and activities related to *sadaqa*. It is for children ages 5-13 or kindergarten through 6th grade. The games and activities in it are fun yet valuable in learning this great concept.

You and your children are encouraged to work on the activities provided in this book together. By doing so, you can help your children gain a better understanding about *sadaqa*, and help them become better Muslims. With your help, we can all teach them to become a constructive part of the society and make their personalities a positive and a helping one.

Activity books of this type abound in the market. However, we have made this one related to *sadaqa* and basic Islamic values. Taking the time to educate our children will help ensure that they have been taught correct *sadaqa* values.

As a parent, or teacher, you can encourage children to follow and practice these small but big, valuable and life-lasting *sadaqa*-related activities to make them better Muslims and good persons. You are already doing this by spending quality time with your children.

We sincerely hope this book will be an invaluable addition in helping you achieve this goal.

We appreciate your cooperation in AlSadaqa Club, and in helping children “*To Be a Better Me.*”

Answer Key

The answer key is at the end of the book.

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What is Sadaqa?

Holy Quran

By no means shall you attain to righteousness until you spend (benevolently) out of what you love; and whatever thing you spend, Allah surely knows it. (3:92)

Hadith

It is related following Abu Zhar that the Messenger of Allah, upon whom be peace, said: "Sadaqah is prescribed for each descendant of Adam every day the sun rises." It was asked: "O Messenger of Allah, upon whom be peace, from what do we give sadaqah every day?" He said: "The doors of goodness are many--the tasbih [to say 'Subhaan-Allah'], the tamhid [to say 'Alhamdu lillah'], the tahlil [to say 'La-ilaha-illallah], enjoining good, forbidding evil, removing harm from the road, listening to the deaf, leading the blind, guiding one to the object of his need, hurrying with the strength of one's legs to one in sorrow who is asking for help, and supporting the feeble with the strength of one's arms--all of these are sadaqah prescribed for you." This is related by Ibn Hibban in his Sahih. Al-Bukhari related it in a shortened form and added in his report: "Your smile for your brother is sadaqah. Your removal of stones, thorns, or bones from the paths of people is sadaqah. Your guidance of a person who is lost is sadaqah."

Fiqh-us-Sunnah, Volume:3 Number: 98

Complete the Following:

SUBHAN- _____ ! Glory to Allah!

AL-HUMDU- _____ ! Praise to Allah!

ALLAHU _____ ! Allah is the Greatest!

Prophet Muhammad (SM) said that if you don't have anything to give for charity just say these words:

Subhan Allah

Al-humdu-lillah

Allahu Akbar

That will be equal to a *sadaqa*.

Write the correct word in each blank:

- Every deed is sadaqa.
- Sadaqa comes from the word, which means truthfulness or being honest.
- is an easy way of doing sadaqa anytime, anywhere, and with anyone.
- One of the best sadaqa is giving to someone who is thirsty.
- Planting a tree is a
- Taking care of and is a sadaqa.
- Saying good is a sadaqa.
- Giving someone good is also a sadaqa.
- Hurting your friend's is *not* sadaqa.
- Allah loves people who do sadaqa the time.

Word key:

Good, sadaqa, smile, water, sadaqa, plants, animals, word, advice, feelings, all.

Write the following words in alphabetical order:

Love, plants, smile, food, thirsty, Assalam o Alykum, advice, help, cleanliness, parents, bird, deen, Islam, sick, honest, Sharing, respect, kindness, Quran, obedience

1.	11.
2.	12.
3.	13.
4.	14.
5.	15.
6.	16.
7.	17.
8.	18.
9.	19.
10.	20.

Draw a picture by choosing one of the following types of sadaqa:

- Planting a tree.
- Cleaning up the room.
- Sharing a toy or anything else with someone.
- Calling a relative.

Draw a picture

Which of the following are positive or negative traits? Write 'P' for positive and 'N' for negative:

- a) Being Polite
- b) Back biting
- c) Forgiveness
- d) Kindness
- e) Patient
- f) Bullying
- g) Keeping a promise
- h) Being humble
- i) Being Angry
- j) Respect
- k) Lying

Choose one of the above which you see frequently and write it here:

Write the meaning of the term that you have chosen:

BETTER ME TREE...



Color a leaf
when you
follow a rule

Name:

As I color the leaves of this tree, inshaAllah I will grow up to be a better me,
Spring 2010 will make this tree blossom, and everyone will say "you are awesome!"
May Allah help me with following the rules and manners, so that this tree and I can grow together!

Write one hadith in Arabic or English related to sadaqa:

Are following actions sadaqa(S) or not sadaqa(NS)? Please write S/NS to indicate your answer:

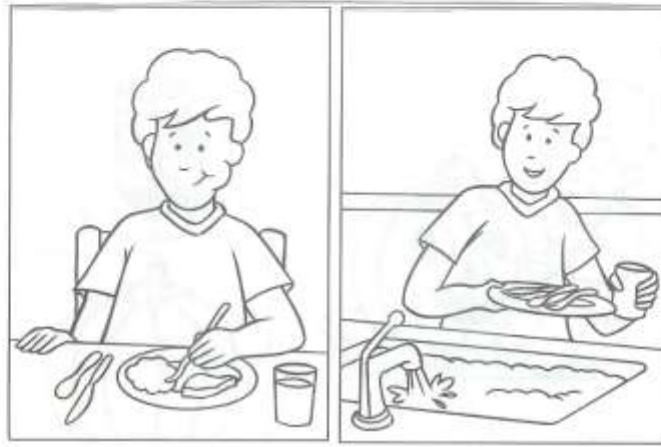
- My class my teacher needed some help but I did not want to get up from my chair.
- I try not to argue even when I am right in a quarrel.
- I gave my friend my eraser to use.
- It's ok to go late to school every day.
- Two of my classmates were fighting and I just watched them standing across the room.
- I try not to waste the glue or other material when doing arts and crafts activity.
- I like to open my mother's bag to see if she has any candy for me.
- I help my mother by doing chores around the house.
- I gave my parents a big smile and say 'salam' in the morning.
- I like to chase and scare the squirrels.
- We should say nice thing to our friends.

This sadaqa story is mixed up. Put the sentences in the right order by putting the correct number in front of them:

1. I brought some water from my water bottle.
2. She started to cry.
3. One day I was playing in the park with some of my friends.
4. Some friends stayed with her on the bench.
5. I ran and told her mother so she could come and help her.
6. We were playing on the slides when my friend tripped and injured her knee.
7. Her mother used the water to clean and gave her some to drink.
8. My friend and I helped her get up, and also helped her sit on the bench.
9. My mother and I brought the first-aid box and gave her a Band-Aid.
10. Alhumdulilah she was all better and happy when she went home.

Which picture is showing that someone is doing sadaqa?

Putting away dishes after eating food or leaving your toys on the floor after playing?



What should we do? Choose the correct answer in the following scenarios:

- a) I see a sign "DO NOT ENTER" on a door in a school:
1. I should open it only once to see what is inside.
 2. I should follow the rules and not open it.
- b) There is a note on the fish tank in the hospital which says, "Please do not tap on the glass":
1. Shall I tap on it anyways?
 2. I should follow what is written.
- c) My friend and I were cycling and she fell down:
1. Shall I stop and ask her if she is ok?
 2. I should keep on enjoying my cycling.
- d) My grandmother had not been feeling well for a few days:
1. Shall I call her to ask about her health and make dua for her?
 2. It's only my parents' job to call and ask her how she is feeling.

Matching Games:

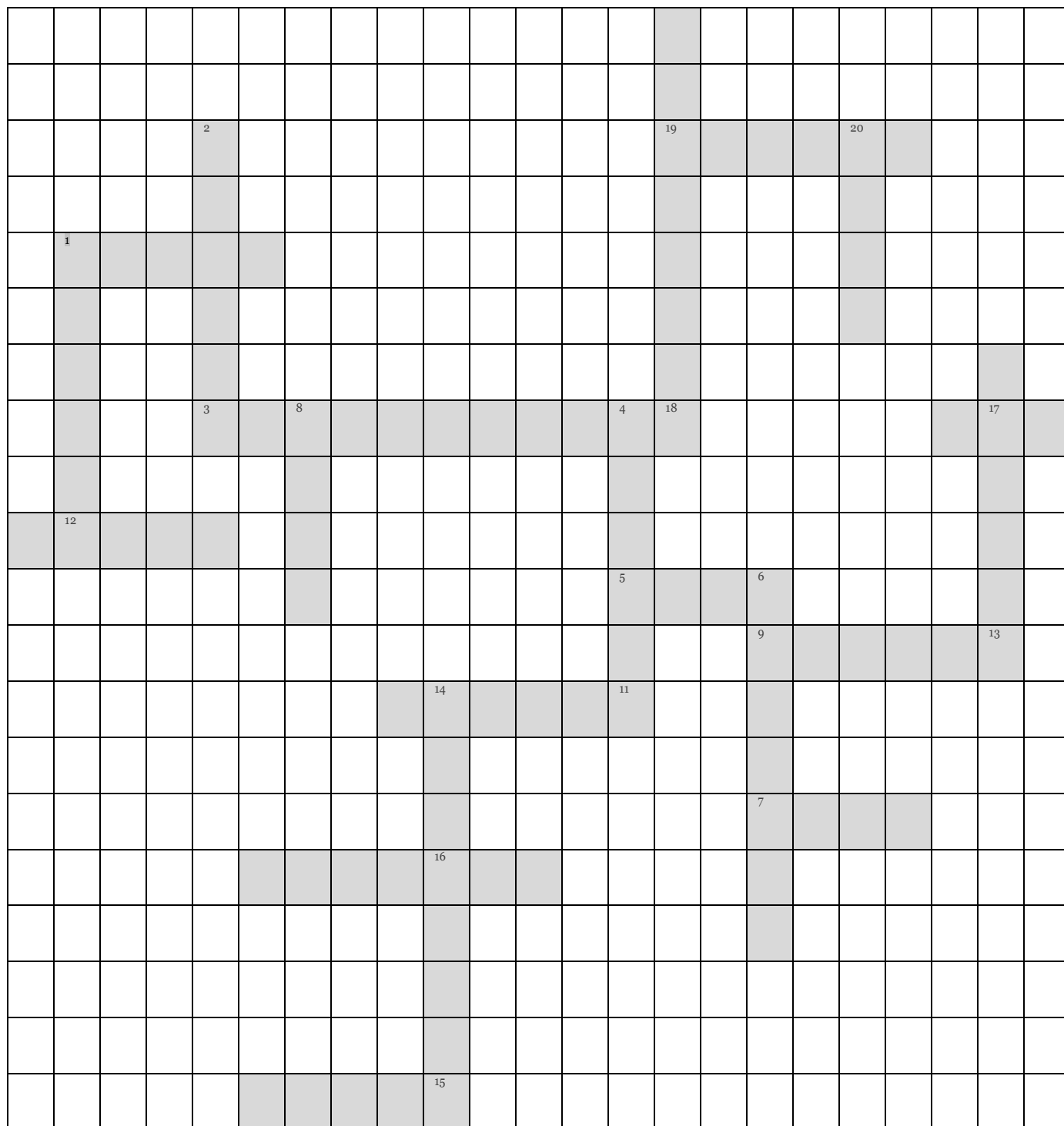
Use the following items for doing the following Sadaqa:

Rock	For somebody who cannot hear properly
Bird Food	Put away if little children are around
Seeds	I should give to hungry people
Food/Fruit/Soup	Remove it from the cycling path
Coins/Money	Grow a plant
Pencil	Feed the birds by using a bird house etc.
Old Shoes	Friend who forgot to bring her pencil
Flowers	Poor children who need shoes
Loud and Clear voice	Keep it away if others are really scared of it
Scary Mask	Visiting sick
Choking Small Toy	Poor people who need money

Crossword Puzzle:

Fill out the grey blocks using the clues given to you:

Key: (L=Left; R=Right; T=Top; B=Bottom)



Crossword puzzle clues:

1. face expression that people like (L to R)
2. What should we do with rules? (T to B)
3. When we watch TV for a very long time, what are we doing? (L to R)
4. one of your parents (T to B)
5. another word for assist (L to R)
6. We all have them-closest relatives (T to B)
7. Everything should be done in this way (L to R)
8. Opposite of hard or loud (T to B)
9. when somebody needs your opinion in solving their problem (L to R)
10. every good deed is _____ (T to B)
11. One of your parent (R to L)
12. Thirsty person needs it (L to R)
13. When somebody is nice and 'down to earth' (B to T)
14. Style of dealing or temperament (T to B)
15. This should be done while working or playing with others (R to L)
16. what we should do if someone does a mistake (L to R)
17. Arabic word for prayer (L to R)
18. ability to wait or bear difficulty without complaining.(T to B)
19. Try not to lose it quickly- it's a sadaqa to control it. (L to R)
20. opposite of difficult- we should try to make things like this for others.(T to B)

Jumbled words:

Please write the following words correctly- they are all related to dealing with others:

1. ecnpeita
2. erahs
3. eviogrf
4. repmet
5. egrau
6. escru
7. nuf ekam
8. kcots gnihgual
9. neisgat
10. ignitamidtni
11. ninetsilg
12. gniiawt
13. snrut gnikat

Fun with Magic Words:

Write the following magic words in as many different languages as you can (you can use computer or parent's help):

LANGUAGE		
English	Please	Thank you

Do you know any other magic words? Please share.

Crosswords Puzzle:

M	N	F	I	G	H	T	F	L
A	B	C	D	E	F	G	E	I
J	U	D	G	E	M	R	E	K
C	L	E	A	R	R	U	L	E
R	L	M	W	A	I	T	N	Y
M	Y	Z	U	K	T	G	K	D
N	O	Q	U	E	U	E	U	V

Find the following words from the block above:

- bully
- judge
- clear
- wait
- quarrel
- fight
- rule
- feel
- queue
- like

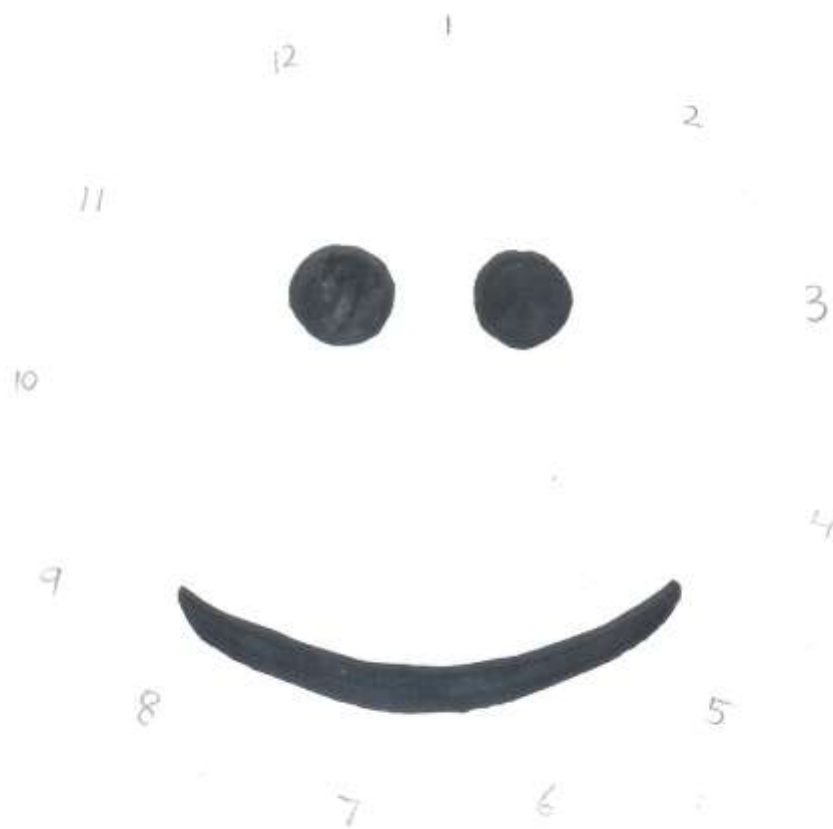
Write a story about a Sadaqa you did.

Write the translations of the following Quranic Verses:

- The verse number is given in the bracket.
- You can write it in; Arabic from Quran with translation or just the translation.
- You can seek help from your parents if you want.

a-(3:92)**b-(34:39)****c-(2:3)**

Smile is Charity; smile as much as you can to do this sadaqa. Make a smiley face by connecting dots and color it.



What is wrong with this picture?



Give yourself a sticker when you finish one page.

Draw a line to mach a Hadith with its translation.

كُلُّ مَعْرُوفٍ صَدَقَةٌ (بخاری) spread Peace between you

أَفْشُوا السَّلَامَ بَيْنَكُمْ (مشقة) who does not thank people does not thank Allah.

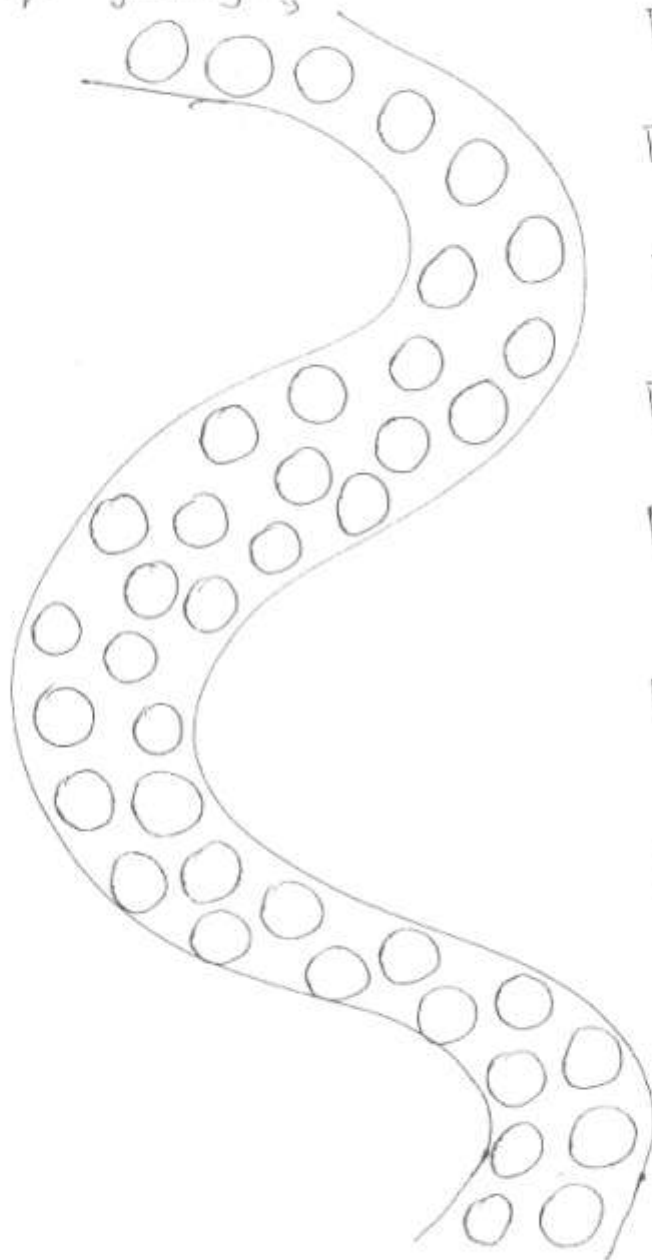
الطَّهْرُ شَطْرُ الْإِيمَانِ (مسلم) Every good deed is Sadaqa.

صَاحِبٌ لَا يَشْكُرُ النَّاسَ لَا يَشْكُرُ اللَّهَ Indeed God is beautiful, and loves beauty.

إِنَّ اللَّهَ حَمِيلٌ يُحِبُّ الْبِحَانَ (مسلم) Cleanliness is half of faith.

تَبَادَلُوا الْحَبْلَ وَالْحَبْلَ تَبَادَلُوا الْحَبْلَ Exchange your love each other for the sake of Allah, and Exchange presents.

Lets start our
Sadaqa journey →



Key:

Color the pebbles

Red: if you smile
at someone
(or be kind)

Blue: when you
clear the path

Orange: when you
help your parent

Green: when you
call your relative

Yellow: when you
visit or call
somebody sick

Purple: when you
help a poor or
handicapped

Pink: when you
solve somebody's
problem or
stopped a fight

Grey: if you
do any other
good deed
(not listed
above)

ALHUMDULILLAH!

Answer Key:

P.6) Subhan Allah, Al-humdu-lillah, Allahu Akbar

P.7) Good, sadaqa, smile, water, sadaqa, plants, animals, word, advice, feelings, all.

P.8) Assalam o Alykum, advice, bird, cleanliness, deen, food, honest, help, Islam, kindness, Love, obedience, plants, , parents, Quran, , respect, smile, Sharing, Sick, thirsty.

P.11) a.p, b.n, c.p, d.p, e.p, f.n, g.p, h.p, i.n, j.p, k.n .

P.14) 1.NS, 2.S, 3.S, 4. NS, 5. NS, 6.S, 7.NS, 8.S, 9. S, 10. NS, 11. S

P.15)1-3, 2-6, 3-2, 4-8, 5-4, 6-5, 7-1, 8-7, 9-9, 10-10

P. 16) which picture is showing that someone is doing sadaqa?
Putting away dishes after eating food.

P.17) a-2, b-2, c-1, d-3.

P.18) Matching Game:

rock, remove it from the cycling path. Bird food, Feed to birds by using bird house etc. seeds, grow a plant. Food/fruit/soup, I should give to hungry people. Coins/Money, Poor people who need money. Pencil, Friend who forgot to bring her /his pencil. Old shoes, poor children who need shoes. Flowers, visiting sick. Loud and clear voice, for somebody who cannot hear properly. Scary mask, keep it away if others are really scared of it. Chocking small toy, put away if little children are around.

P.21) Jumbled words. 1. Patience,2. Share,3. Forgive,4. Temper, 5. Argue, 6. Curse, 7. Make fun, 8.laughing stock,9. Teasing,9. Intimidating,10. Listening,11. Waiting,12. Taking turns

P.27) Sequence of the picture is not rite.

■ The End