

# READY, SET, ACT!



**CSEPP**  
Coloring &  
Activity Book  
(Grades K-2)

**CHEMICAL STOCKPILE  
EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS PROGRAM (CSEPP)**



A ready public set  
to protect itself in  
an emergency

**R** Ready  
**S** Set  
**A** Act

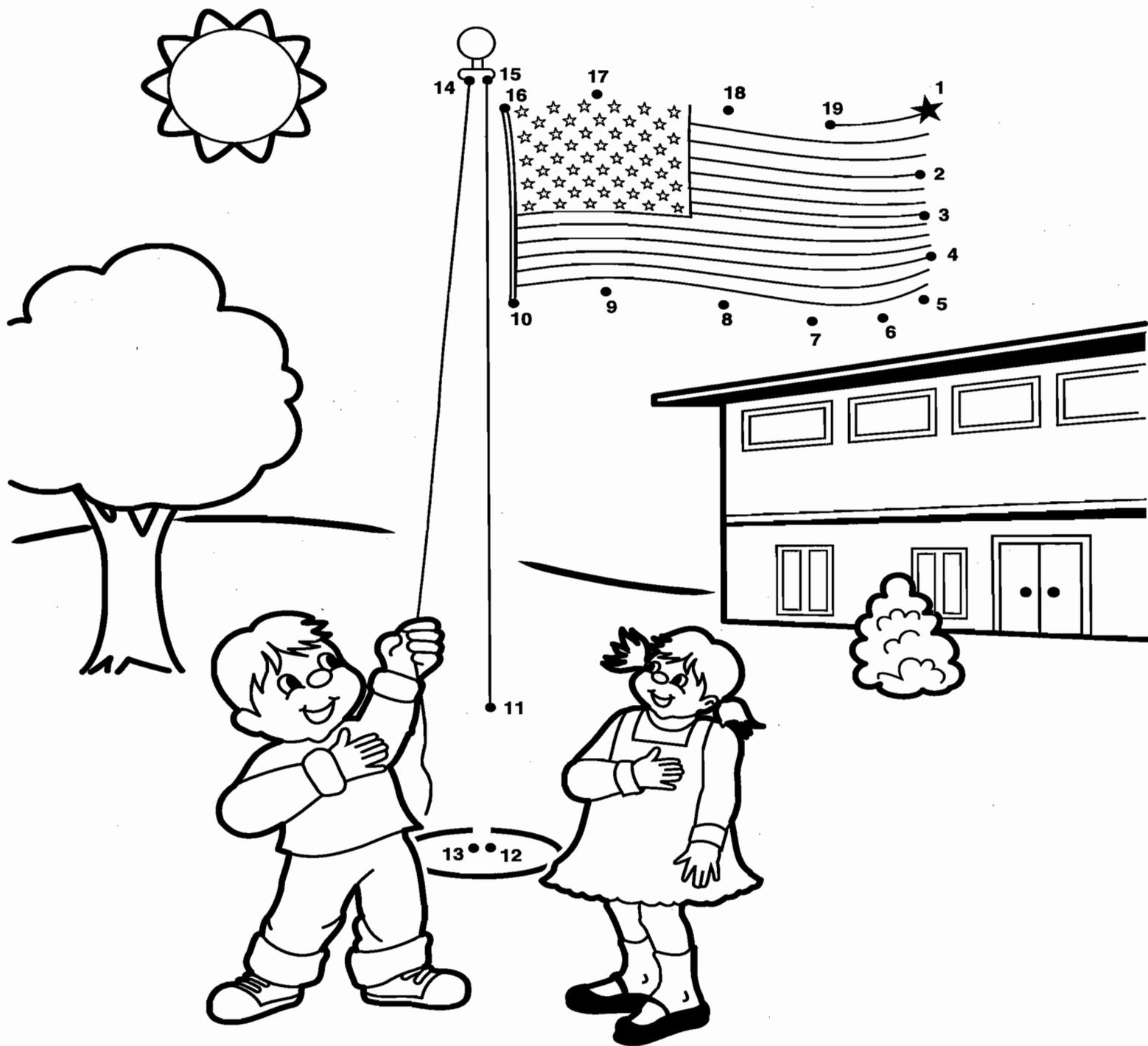
**Know what to do.**  
**Get it together.**  
**Do it!**

The Chemical Stockpile Emergency Preparedness Program



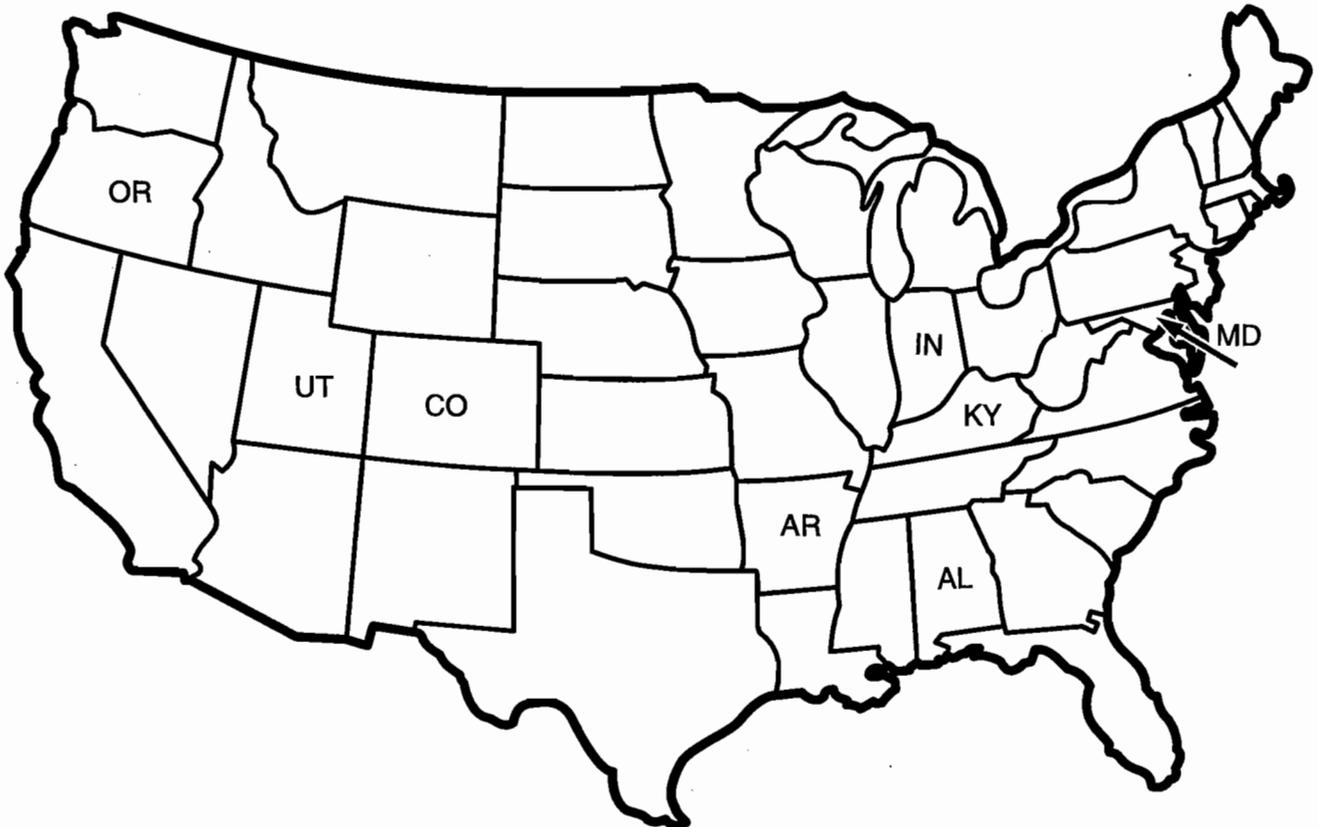
Prepared for the Chemical Stockpile Emergency Preparedness Program, the U.S. Army and FEMA  
by Argonne National Laboratory.

A long, long time ago, the United States fought with some other countries. We made chemical weapons to defend our  freedom.



*Connect the dots and color the picture.*

When the fighting ended, the United States put away the chemicals. They are kept in eight states.

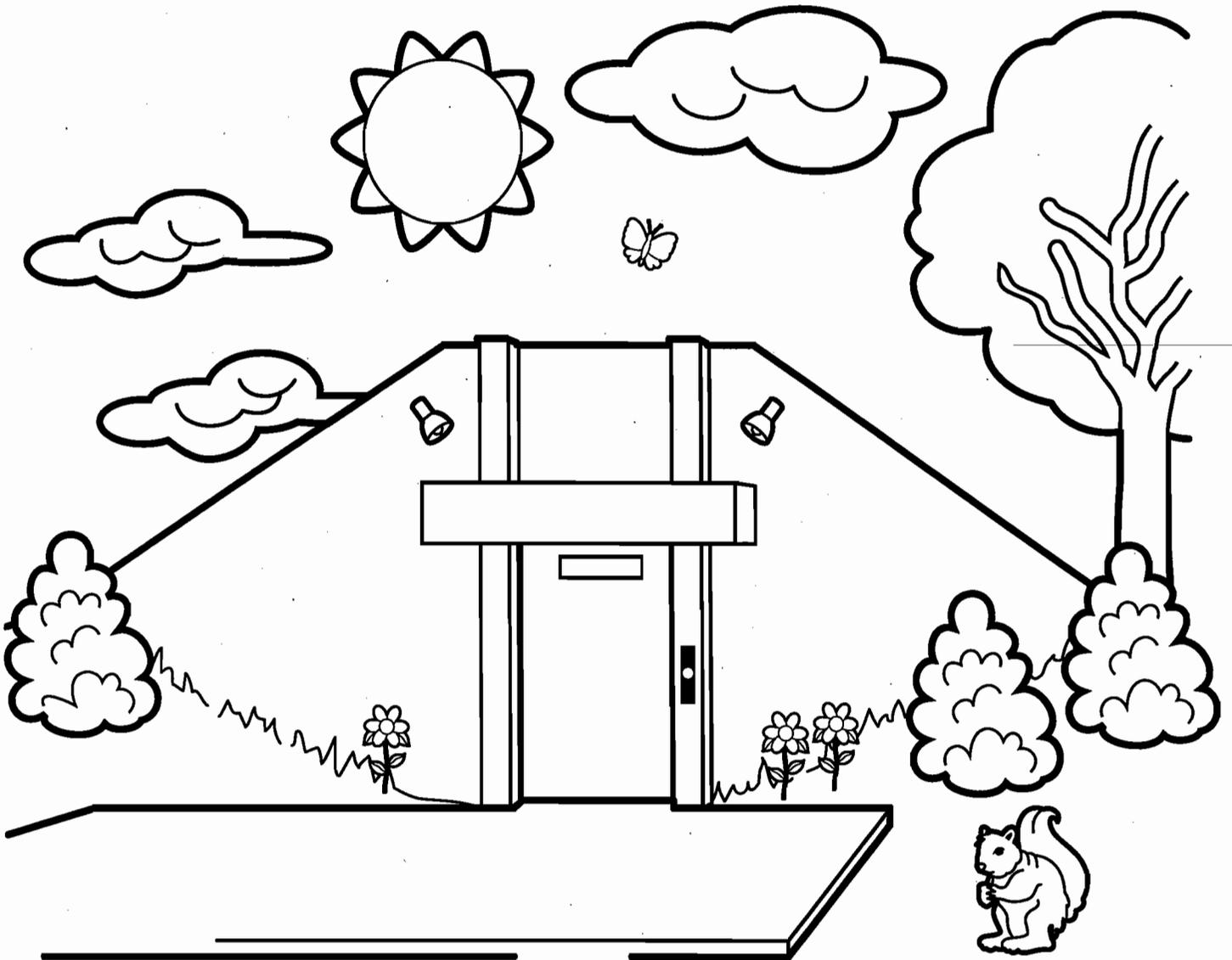


*Color the states that have letters on them.  
These are the states where we keep the chemicals.*

Alabama = AL  
Arkansas = AR  
Colorado = CO  
Indiana = IN

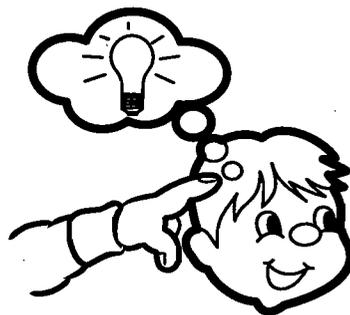
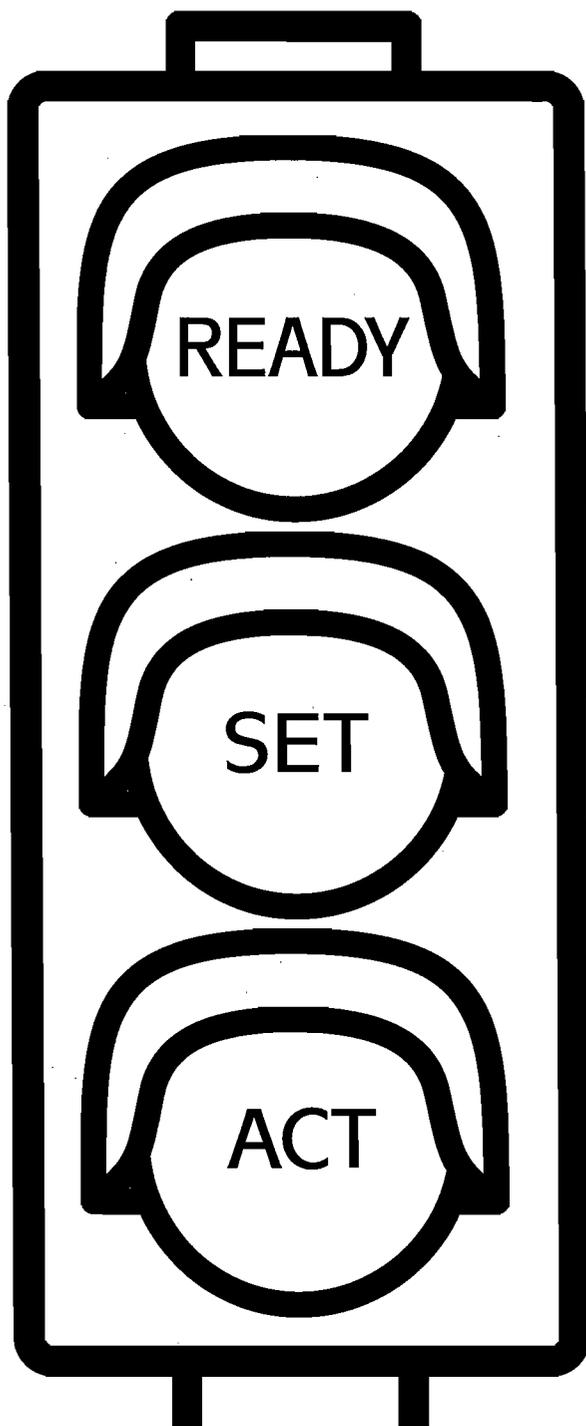
Kentucky = KY  
Maryland = MD  
Oregon = OR  
Utah = UT

We keep some chemicals in really big barrels.  
The chemical weapons are  locked in  
buildings called igloos. People make sure the  
chemicals aren't leaking.



*Color the picture of the igloo.*

If there is a chemical accident, you will be told how to be safe. But you can do some things now.



READY means "know."



SET means "get."

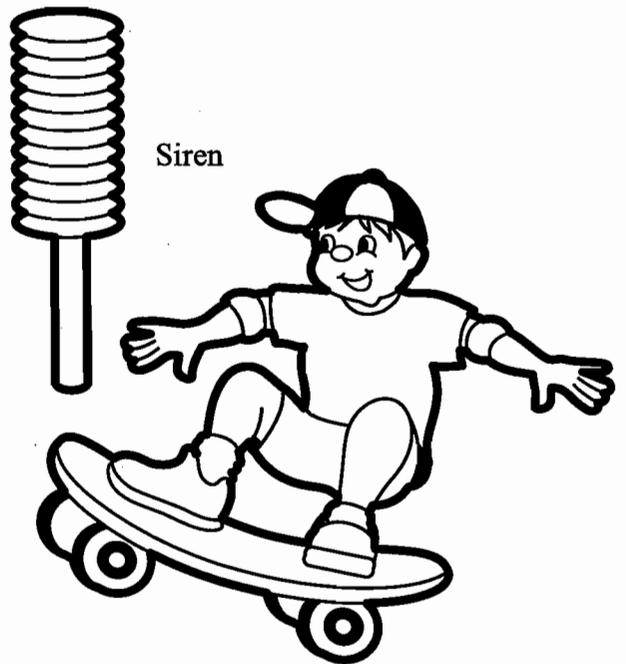


ACT means "do."

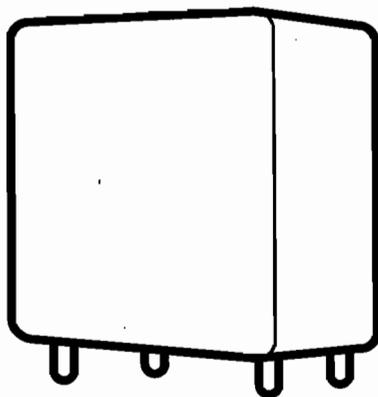
You need to be **READY**. **READY** means you know how you'll hear about a chemical accident. You could hear about it on a tone alert radio, sirens, TV or the radio.



Tone Alert Radio



Siren



TV and Radio



"This is an  
Emergency  
Alert System  
message..."

*Circle the tone alert radio, the siren, the radio and the TV. Color the pictures.*

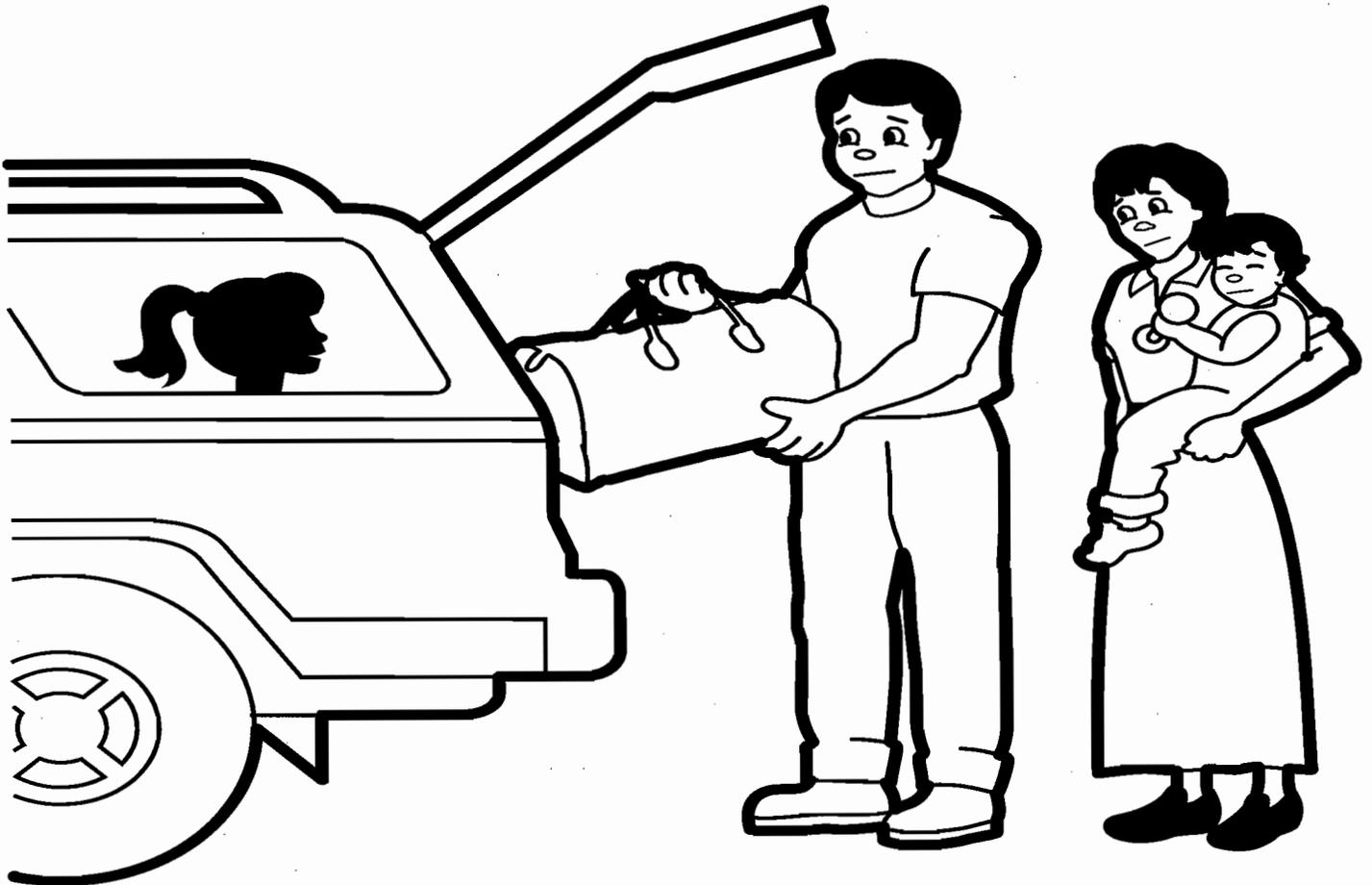
READY means your family knows what to do.

## SHELTER-IN-PLACE

You may need to shelter-in-place. That means go to a room with few  windows. Put plastic over the  windows and the  door. Seal with  duct tape. Don't use the  phone.

## EVACUATE

You may need to evacuate. That means leave where you are and go to a safe place.



*Color the picture.*

At school, teachers are **READY** to keep you safe. Be sure to listen to your teachers.



*Color the picture.*

READY means you know your zone.  
Emergency officials tell you what to do by  
zone. Learn the zones for  school and  
 home.



I go  
to school  
in Zone \_\_\_\_\_.

I live in  
Zone \_\_\_\_\_.



My address is \_\_\_\_\_.

My phone number is \_\_\_\_\_.

SET means your family gets together kits, lists and plans. Your family can make a Shelter-in-Place Kit now: Put these things in a box:

- |  |  |
|--|--|
|  Plastic sheeting |  Scissors |
|  Duct tape        |  Radio    |
|  Water            |  Snacks   |

Store the kit in your shelter-in-place room.



*Color the stars that have pictures of things to put in your Shelter-in-Place Kit.*

Your family can make an Evacuation Kit now.  
Keep it where your parents can find it.

Pack in a bag:

Quiet toys or  books

A change of  clothes for each person

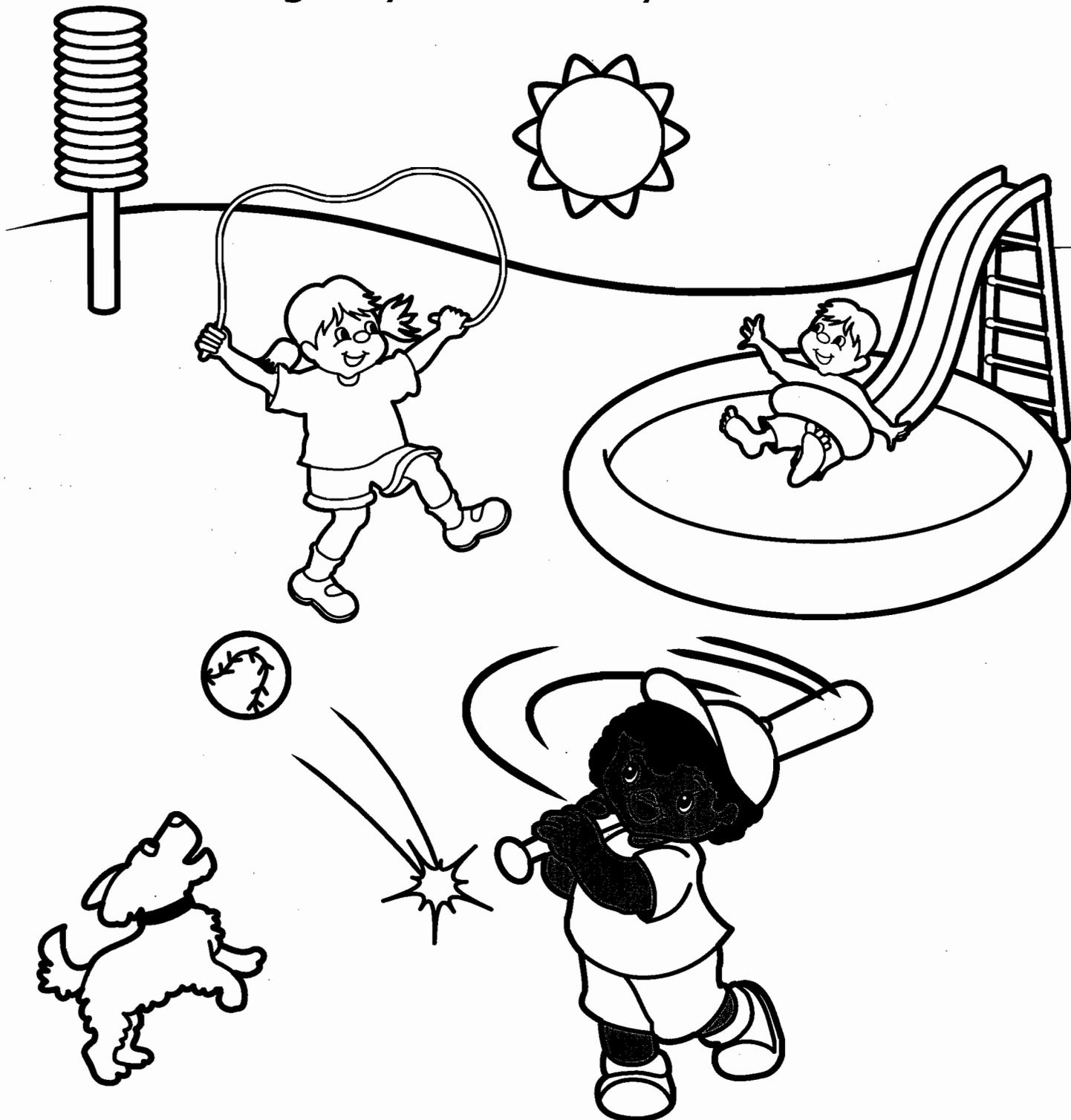
 Diapers and  baby food

Make a  phone list. Keep it near the  phone.

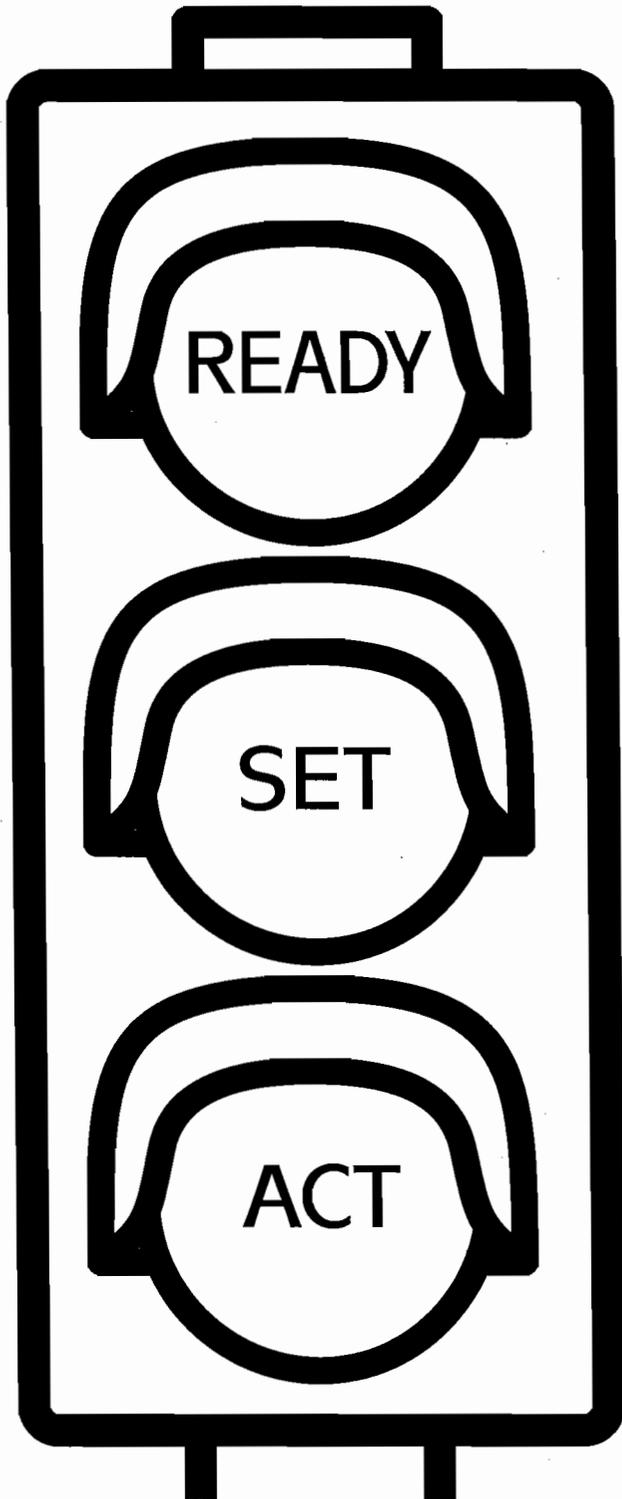
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<b>EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBERS</b>	
<i>Who/Where?</i>	<i>Phone Number</i>
 <b>SCHOOL</b>	_____ _____
 <b>MOM AT WORK</b>	_____ _____
 <b>DAD AT WORK</b>	_____ _____
 <b>MY DOCTOR</b>	_____ _____
 <b>OUT-OF-TOWN RELATIVE</b>	_____ _____

Now you are READY and SET! You are now safer at  school and  home because you know how to ACT in a chemical accident – do what emergency officials say to do.

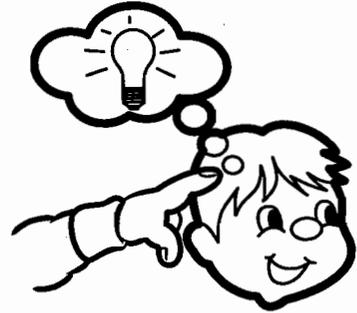


*Color the picture.*



**ACT = Do**

Do what emergency officials tell you to do!



**READY = Know**

- ◆ How you'll hear about an emergency.
- ◆ How to shelter-in-place and evacuate.
- ◆ Your zone.



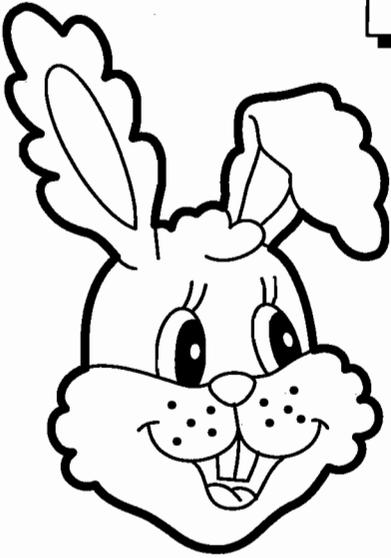
**SET = Get**

Help your parents get:

- ◆ A Shelter-in-place Kit.
- ◆ An Evacuation Kit.
- ◆ A telephone list.
- ◆ A plan.



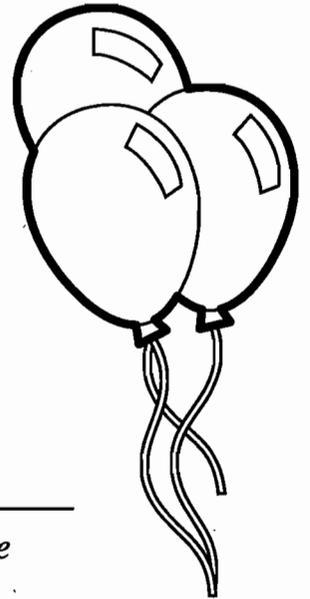
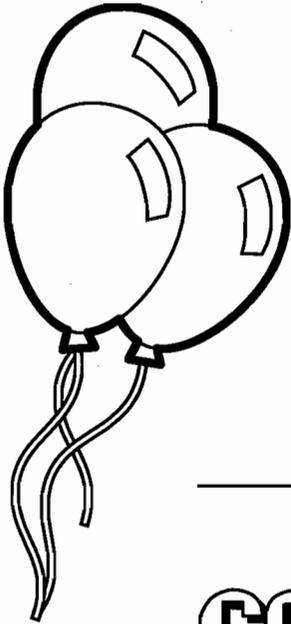
# READY, SET, ACT! Award



*Presented to:*

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for being **READY** (*know*),  
**SET** (*get*), and able to **ACT** (*do*)!



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*Signature*

*Date*

## CONGRATULATIONS!

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