Safety First: Stay Away & Notify Parents
Call “911” to report spills

2013 Hazmat Preparedness Coloring Book

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Parents: After your child has completed all of the coloring pages complete visit www.kyem.ky.gov/hazmat/honorary or complete and mail this coupon to the address above and we will send your child a personalized:

Honorary KYEM Hazmat Safety Crew certificate:

Child’s name: _____

Child’s Age: _____

Parent’s name: _____

Street / apt: _____ / _____

City: _____

State / Zip: _____ / _____

Email: _____

Family Emergency Contact List

For Emergency Services : DIAL 911

Fill out this sheet and discuss it with every member of your family. Update this sheet when necessary.

Emergency Numbers

Poison Control Center: **800 - 222 - 1222**

Hospital Name: _____ Phone#: ___ - ___ - ____

Doctor's Name: _____ Phone#: ___ - ___ - ____

Health Insurance Company's Name: _____

Policy #: _____ Phone#: ___ - ___ - ____

Home/Rental Insurance: ___ - ___ - ____ Landlord's Name: Phone: ___ - ___ - ____

Pharmacy: ___ - ___ - ____ Water Company: ___ - ___ - ____

Electric Company: ___ - ___ - ____ Gas Company: ___ - ___ - ____

Family Contact Numbers

Mother's Name: _____ Work #: ___ - ___ - ____ Cell#: ___ - ___ - ____

Father's Name: _____ Work #: ___ - ___ - ____ Cell#: ___ - ___ - ____

Child's Name: _____ Age: _____ School #: ___ - ___ - ____ Cell#: ___ - ___ - ____

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Emergency Contact #1: _____ Relationship: _____ Phone #: ___ - ___ - ____

Emergency Contact #2: _____ Relationship: _____ Phone #: ___ - ___ - ____

Out-Of-State Emergency Contact: Name: _____ Phone #: ___ - ___ - ____

Relationship: _____ Email: _____

Pet Name(s): _____ _____ _____ _____

Veterinarian's Name: _____ Phone#: ___ - ___ - ____

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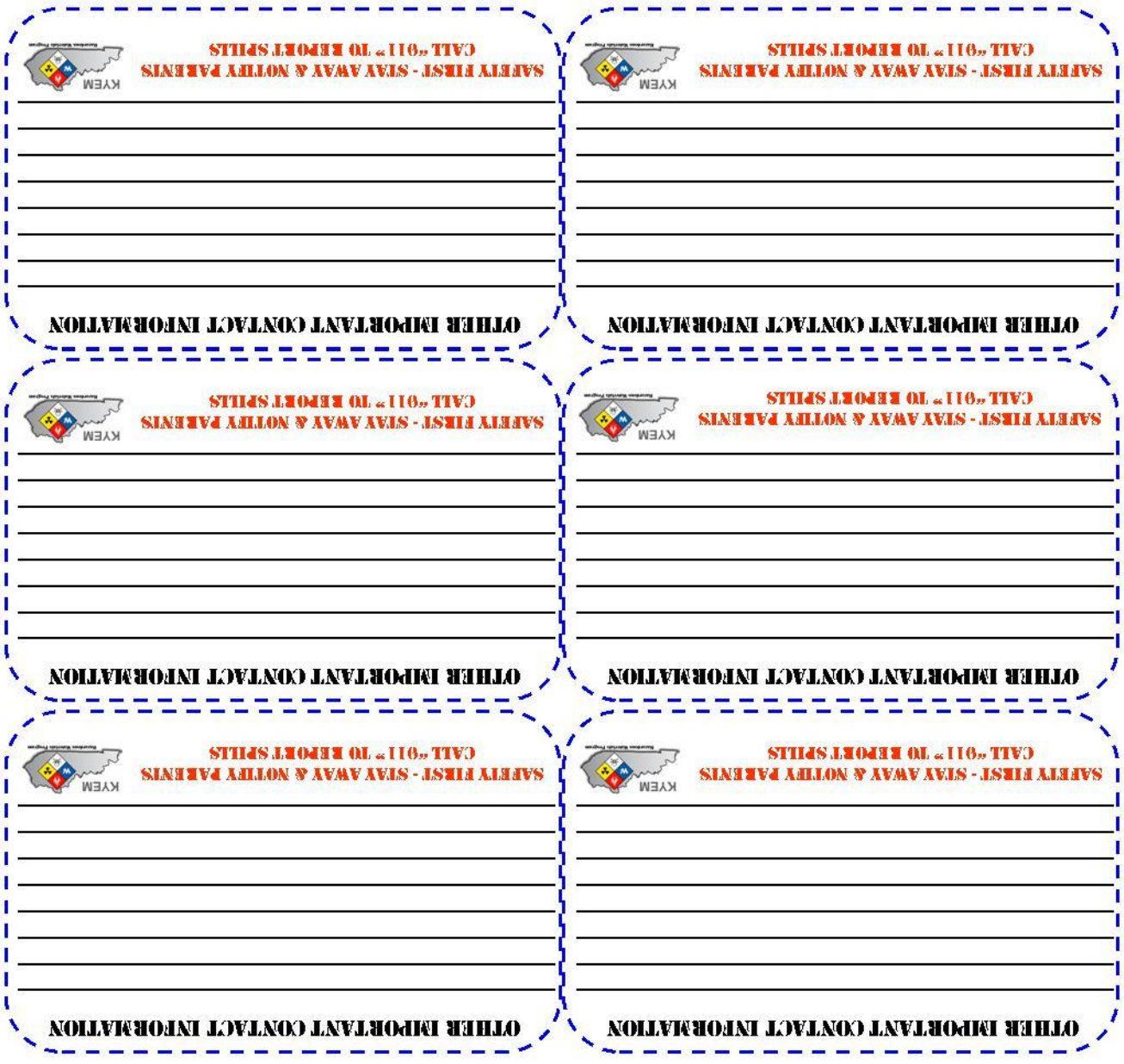


HAZMAT and Preparedness Websites for Children:

http://www.epa.gov/kidshometour/
http://www.ready.gov/kids
http://phmsa.dot.gov/public/kids-teachers
http://www.usfa.fema.gov/kids/flash.shtm

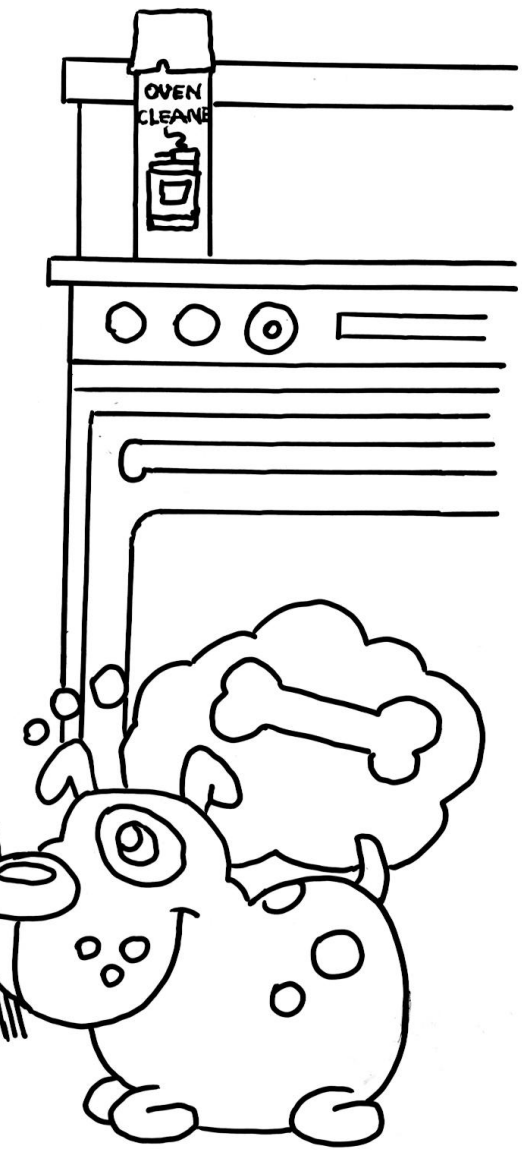
For Parents and Teachers:

http://www.ready.gov/parents-teachers
http://www.ready.gov/
http://www.epa.gov/
http://phmsa.dot.gov/public/kids-teachers
http://www.usfa.fema.gov/citizens/home_fire_prev/hazmat.shtm

For quick reference in an emergency, The National Poison Control phone number (1-800-222-1222) should be written down near all of the phones in your house. Do you think you can memorize it?

Stay away from containers with these “signal” words: POISON, DANGER, WARNING, & CAUTION. They contain hazardous materials, also called Hazmat, and can be very harmful to you if handled improperly.

COLOR THE HAZMAT CONTAINERS GREEN



Learn more about hazardous materials found in the kitchen:
www.kyem.ky.gov/HAZMAT/kitchen

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Phone #: ____ - ____ - _____

Out-of-town Contact Name: _____
Phone #: ____ - ____ - _____

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Complete and cut out: EVERY member of the family should carry a “Family Communication Plan Card” with them at all times.

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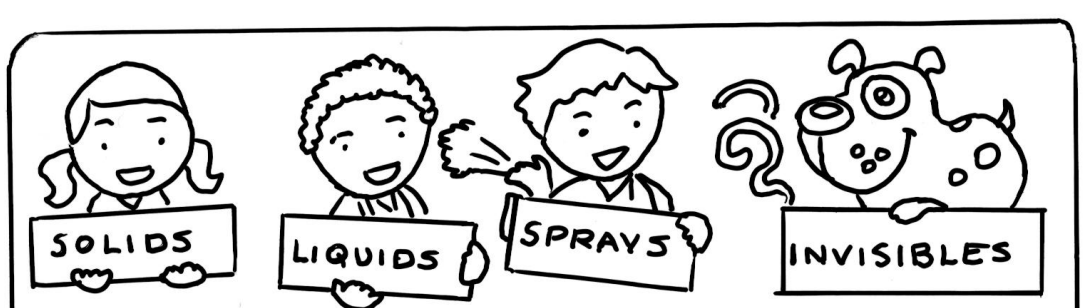
DID YOU KNOW: the average garage or shed includes 3-10 gallons of hazardous waste; some common hazardous materials include items used to care for your garden, automobile, pool, and home.

Never let one of your parents use a grill in the garage or start a car without first opening the garage door and closing doors to your home. Both of these produce carbon monoxide fumes that can build up quickly and spread throughout your home.



List each of the hazardous materials you see in the picture under the correct heading above: solid, liquid, spray, invisible.

Learn more about hazardous materials found in the Garage:
www.kyem.ky.gov/HAZMAT/garage

Carbon Monoxide (CO) is a colorless, odorless, tasteless gas that can be very dangerous even in low concentrations. Do your parents have a CO detector on every floor of your home?

Radon is the leading cause of lung cancer among non-smokers in the U.S. Testing is simple & inexpensive. Do you have a radon tester in your basement?

Color the HazMat containers **yellow**.

Learn more about airborne hazards found in the home:
www.kyem.ky.gov/HAZMAT/Airborne

Congratulations!

You are now an honorary member of the:
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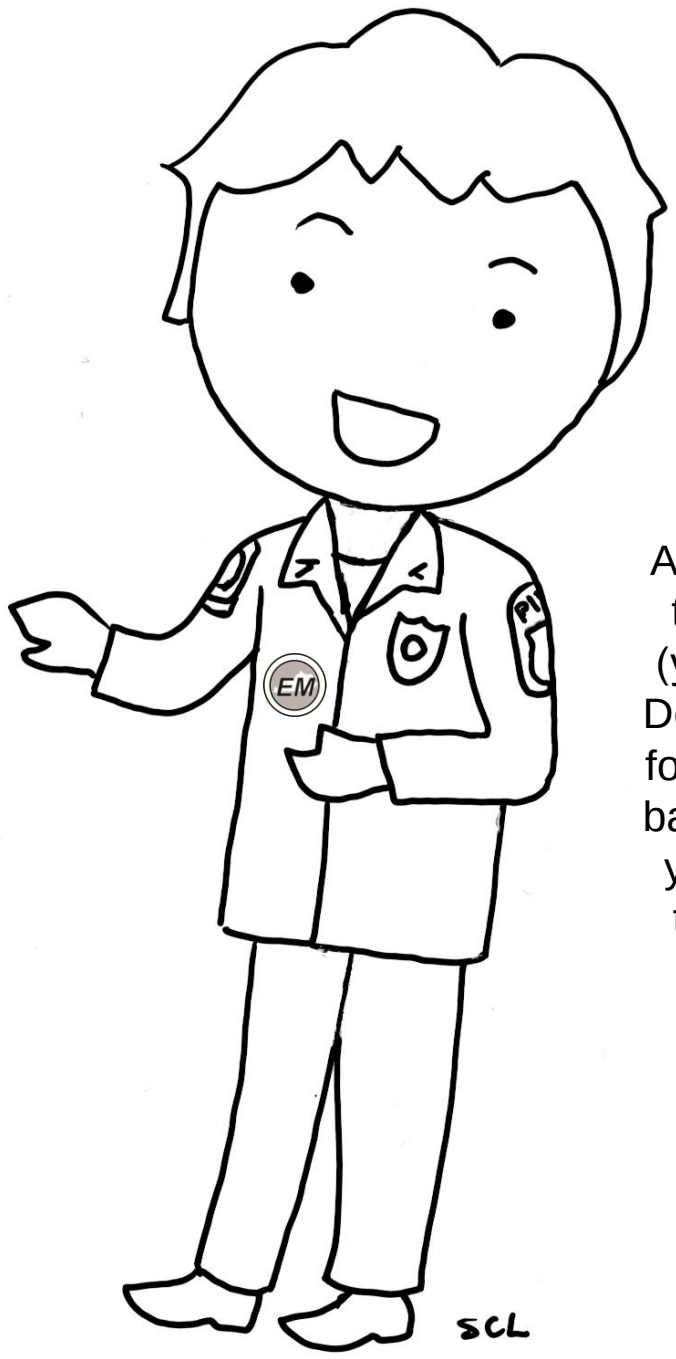
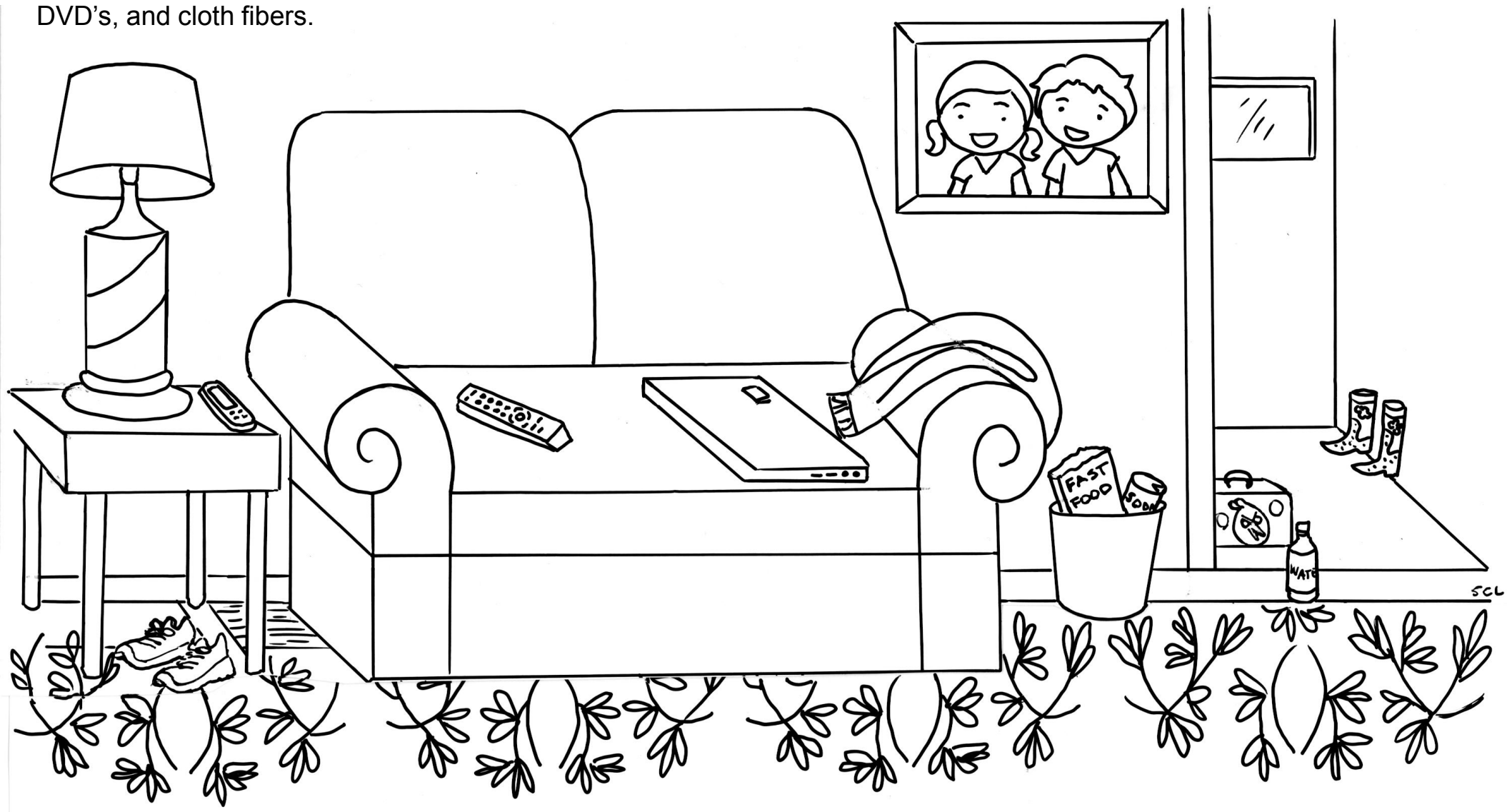


After you have colored all of the pages in this calendar (you don't have to wait until December) have your parent follow the instructions on the back cover and we will make you a honorary member of the KYEM Hazmat Safety Crew and send you a personalized certificate.

Ready to be an Honorary member of the KYEM Hazmat Safety Crew?
Get your certificate here: www.kyem.ky.gov/HAZMAT/honorary

We often think of “hazardous material” as always a bad thing. But, many of the products we encounter in our daily life are very useful and make our lives better. How many can you identify in this picture? Here are just a few: plastic bottles, CD’s and DVD’s, and cloth fibers.

HELPING THE PLANET: Recycling and reusing everyday household products that contain hazardous materials can save money and reduce the need for generating more hazardous substances.

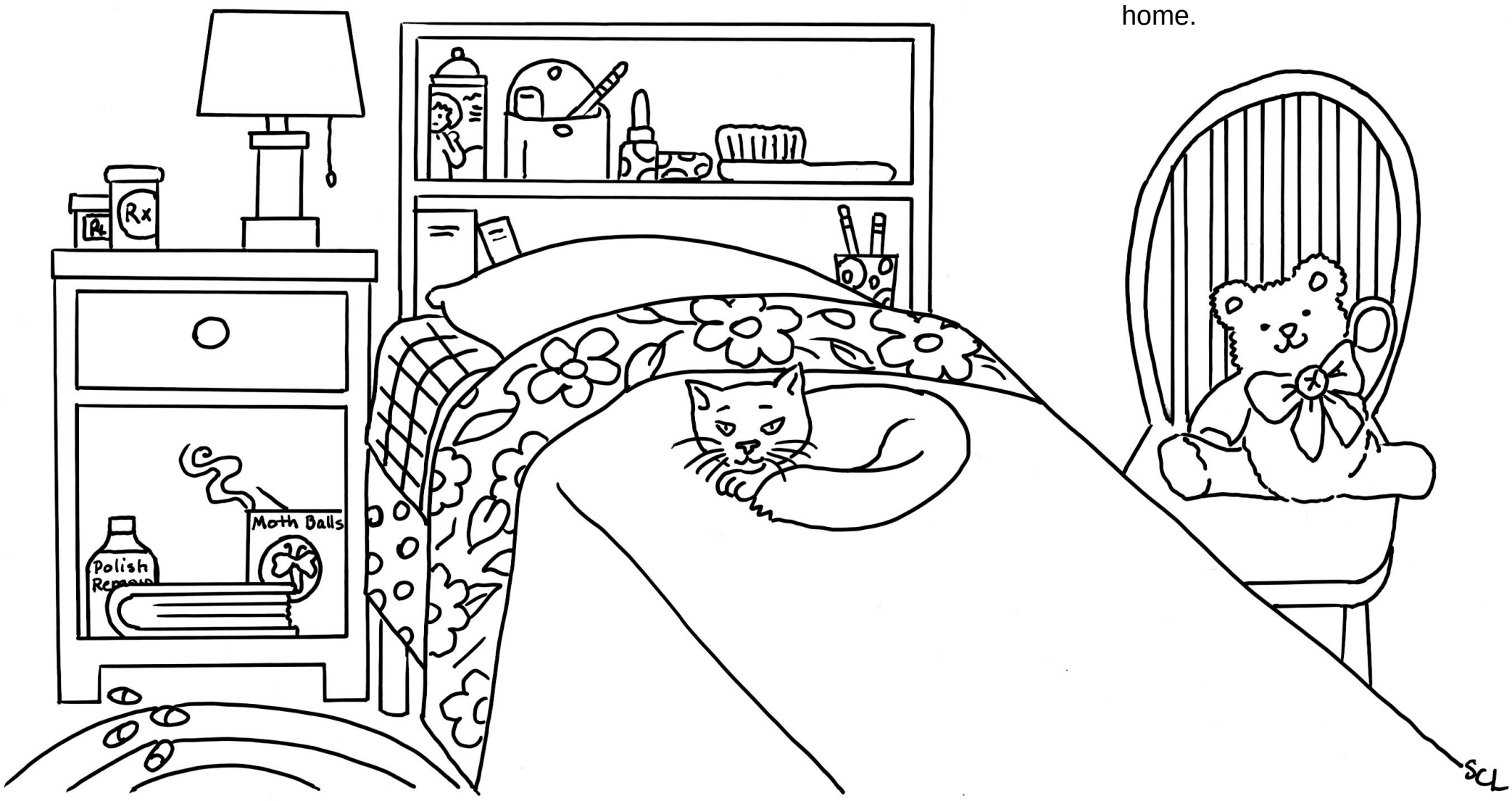


Learn more about the benefits & management of hazardous materials:
www.kyem.ky.gov/HAZMAT/benefitsandmanagement

Mothballs can be lethal if ingested, containers should be sealed tight to prevent against accidental ingestion by children and pets.

Also, tell your parents, vapors given off by mothballs are flammable and should be stored in a well ventilated area and away from heat or flame sources.

Never take pills without your parents permission and supervision! Accidental poisoning by children is the most common hazardous materials emergency in the home.



Learn more about hazardous materials found in the bedroom:
www.kyem.ky.gov/HAZMAT/bedroom

DID YOU KNOW: many of the cleaning products you find in the bathroom can be harmful; they can explode or create toxic gases when mixed.

Many of the medicines made for people, like Tylenol, can be poisonous to pets. If you think your pet is sick ask mom or dad to take them to the veterinarian.

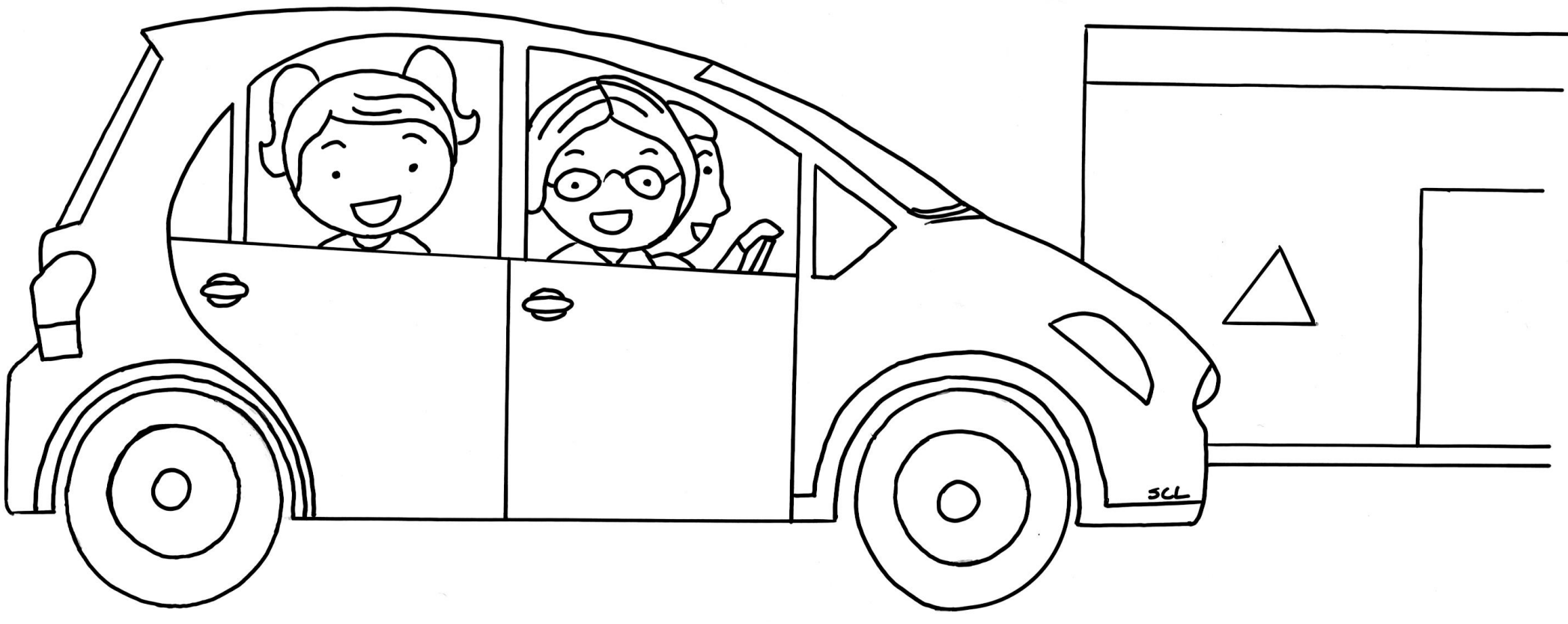
Learn more about hazardous materials found in the bathroom:
www.kyem.ky.gov/HAZMAT/bathroom

Evacuation is the act of leaving where you are to go to a safe place. Emergency officials may ask residents to evacuate in the event of a Hazardous Materials incident.

Does your **family** have an "Emergency Survival Kit" ?

Do you?

Act immediately if instructed to evacuate. Listen carefully to Emergency Alert System (EAS) messages on radio stations. Officials will indicate what areas to evacuate, which way to go, and when it is safe to return.



Learn more about evacuation & emergency kits:
www.kyem.ky.gov/HAZMAT/evacuation

"Shelter-in-place" (SIP) means to take immediate shelter where you are, usually for just a few hours, because a chemical or radiological contaminant has been released into the environment.

The best room to **SIP** in is one with as few windows and doors as possible. Turn off the A/C. Use duct tape and plastic sheeting to seal all doors and windows. Tape over any vents and seal electrical outlets and other openings. Listen to the radio for further instructions.

Learn about more "Shelter - In - Place":
www.kyem.ky.gov/HAZMAT/SIP

When assessing our home for hazardous material safety storage is a high priority. Appropriate care and safety are also required when considering how to properly dispose of hazardous materials and their containers.

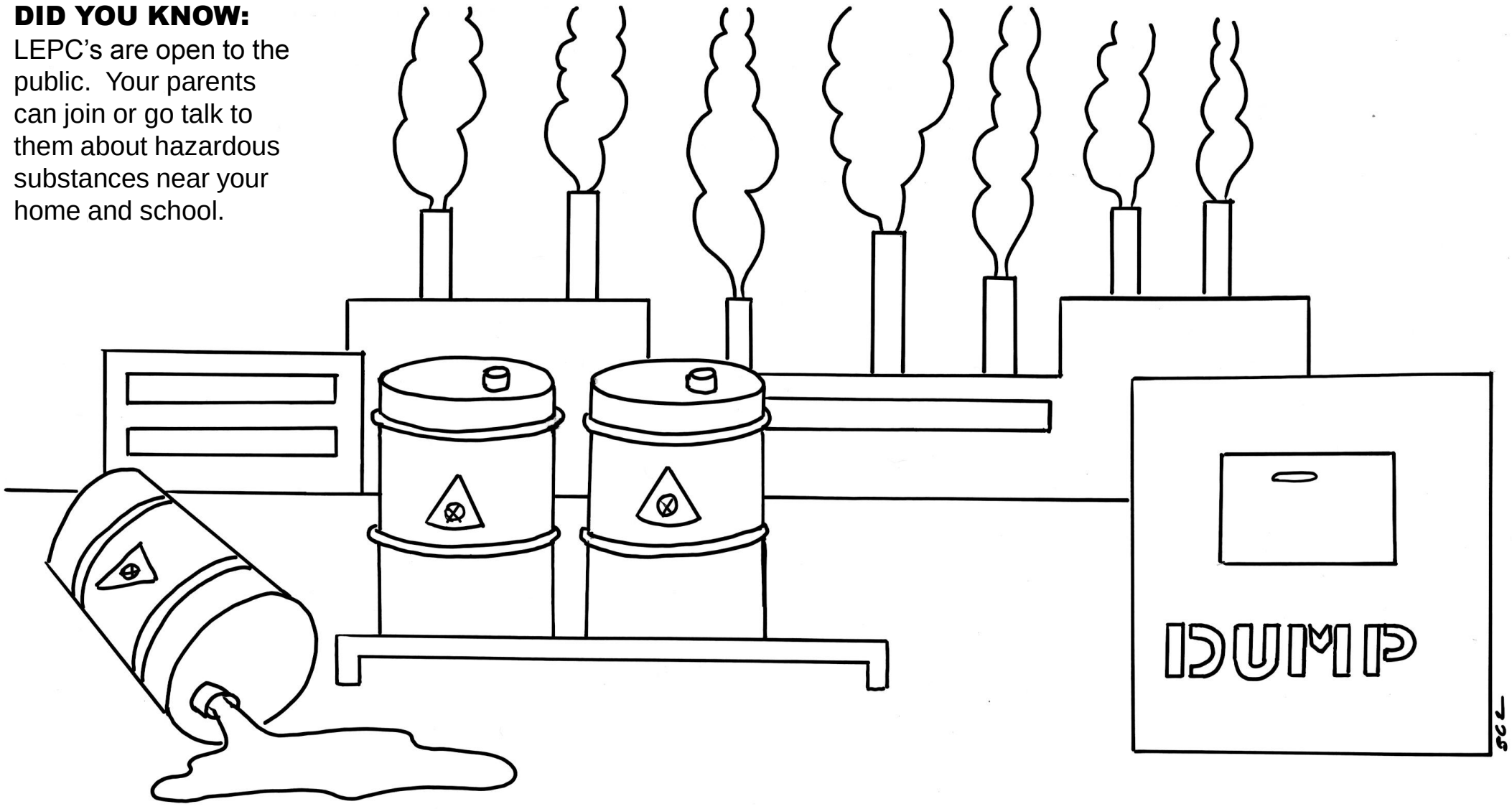
If your video game console or cartridge/disc no longer works, find a location to recycle it This way, toxic elements will be removed responsibly and metals and plastics can be reprocessed into new electronic products.

Learn more about Storage & Disposal of Hazmat materials:
www.kyem.ky.gov/HAZMAT/StorageandDisposal

What is an LEPC?

Local Emergency Planning Committees (LEPC) are groups of people who share the mission of protecting the health and safety of their community (including you and your family) from all types of incidents and disasters.

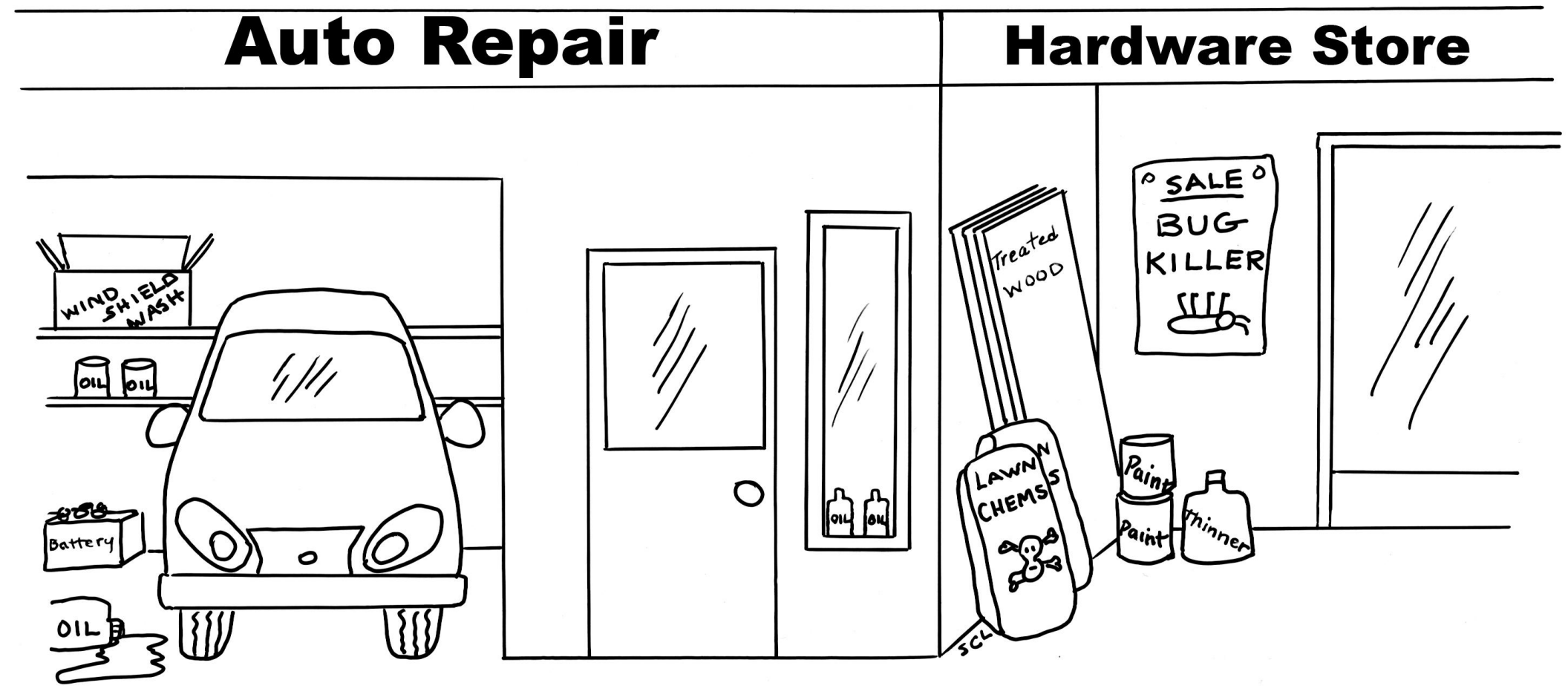
DID YOU KNOW:
LEPC's are open to the public. Your parents can join or go talk to them about hazardous substances near your home and school.



Learn more about hazardous materials found in your community:
www.kyem.ky.gov/HAZMAT/LEPC

DID YOU KNOW: Animals can be attracted to antifreeze used in the radiator of your parents cars and trucks because of its sweet smell. Antifreeze is very poisonous to humans and animals. If you see a bright green or yellow liquid on the ground keep your pets away from the puddle and let an adult know about it.

Paints give off fumes which can give you a headache and irritate your eyes, nose and throat. Always open the windows and doors fully in a room that is being painted. Put a box fan in the window directing the air and fumes out of doors while painting and for about 48 hours thereafter.



Learn more about recognizing hazardous materials in your community:
www.kyem.ky.gov/HAZMAT/recognition