

Making a Christmas wish



(Ages 4-7)

1. What do people need to live? These are the things that everyone needs, like food, a home, safety, being healthy and family and friends.
2. What do you have? Do you have family, friends, food, a home, toys, birthday parties?
 - These are special things that other children might not have.
3. Read about some problems that other children living in the UK have:
 - Many children are so poor that they don't get enough food. They don't have enough clothes and some can't have birthday parties as they cost too much.
 - Some children do not have a safe home and people who look after them.
 - Some children have no home at all.
 - Some children spend almost all their time looking after someone in their family who is ill. They have no time to play.
 - Some children are disabled and need special help at school.
 - Some children are treated nastily because of where they or their families are from.

Barnardo's tries to make sure that all these children have the things that they need.

5. Think of a wish that you can make for other children to make their lives happier this Christmas. Write your wish in the space on the 'Big Bauble' activity envelope.

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