FAIRWINDS

Money-Smart Kid Guide



What is money?

Money helps us buy things.

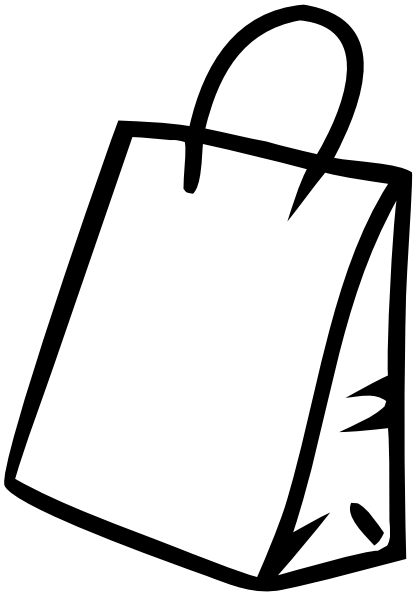


Sometimes we save it.





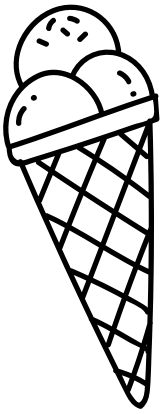
Sometimes we spend it.



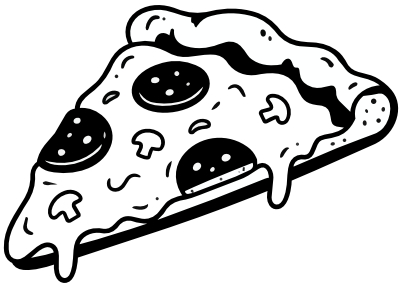
Both are important.

Let's play!

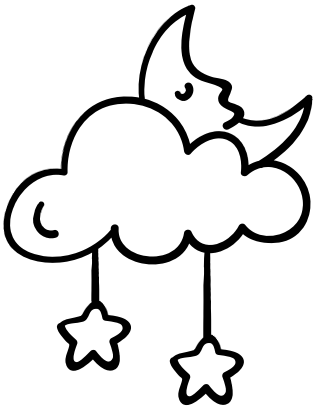
Circle all the things money can buy.



Ice Cream



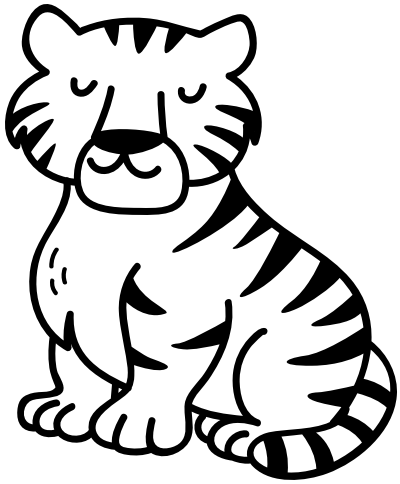
Pizza



Moon

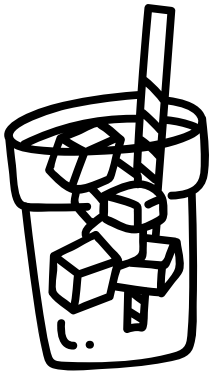


Shoes

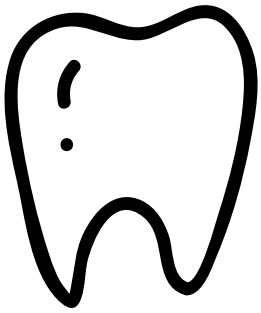


Tiger

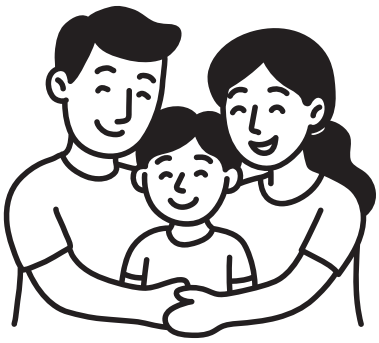
Where can money come from?



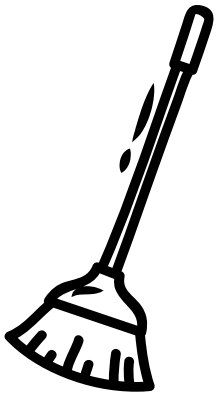
Selling lemonade



Losing a tooth



Helping family



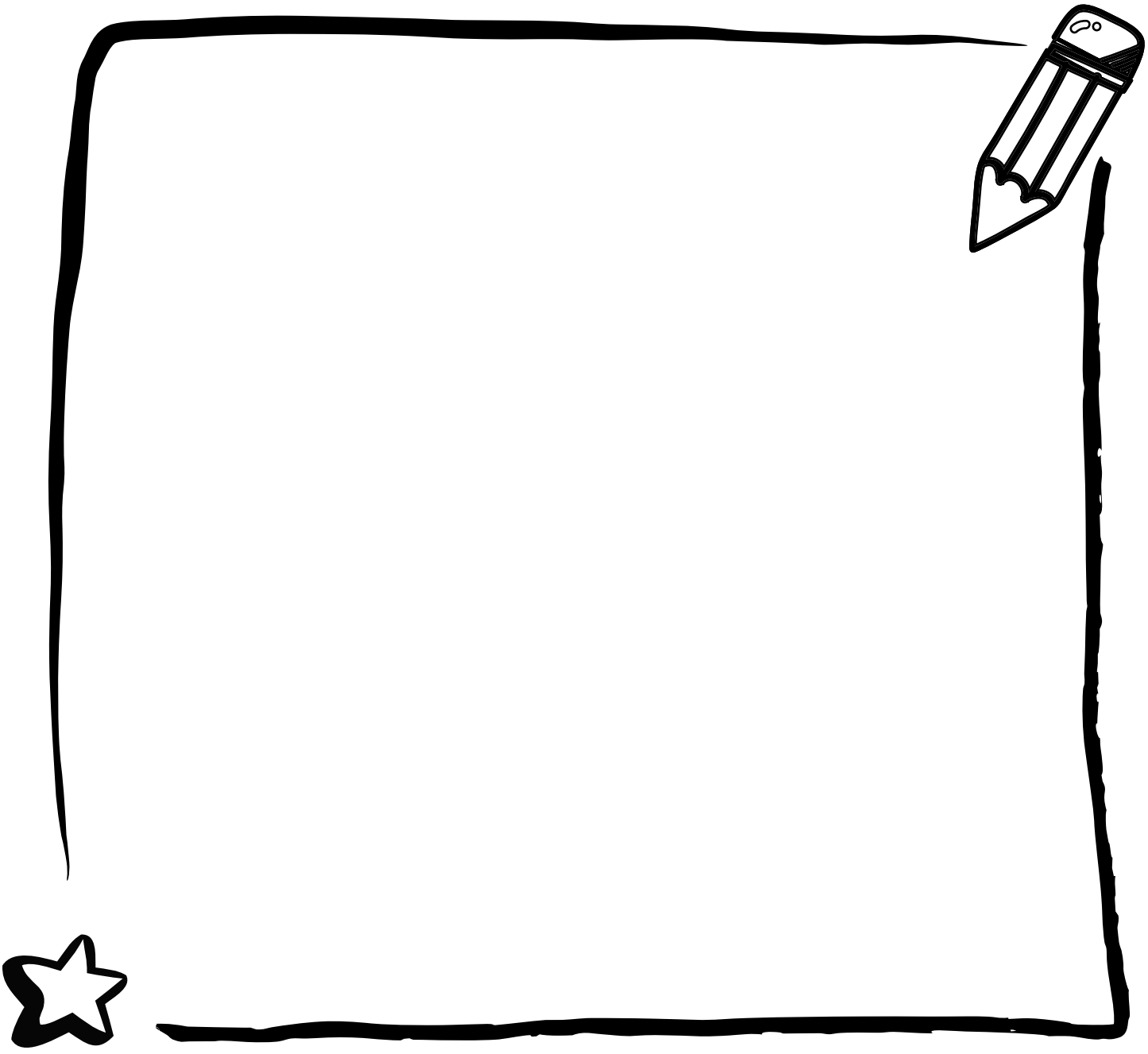
Chores



Birthday gifts

Let's draw!

Draw a way you've earned money.



Let's coin hunt!

Match the coin with the right name and the right amount.

Penny ------- $.01 ---------- 

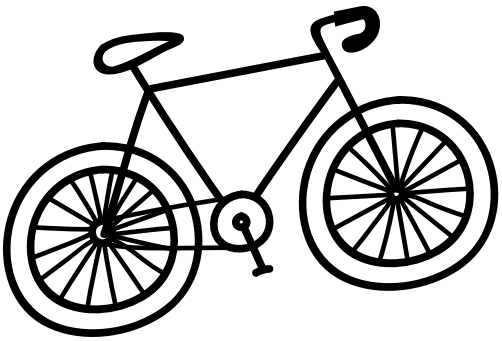
Nickel $.10 

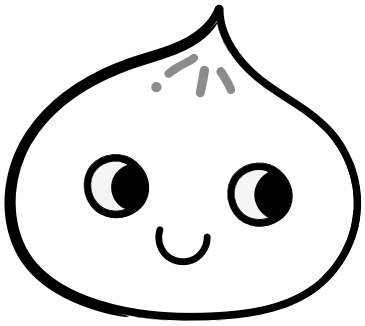
Quarter $.05 

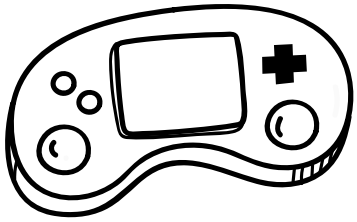
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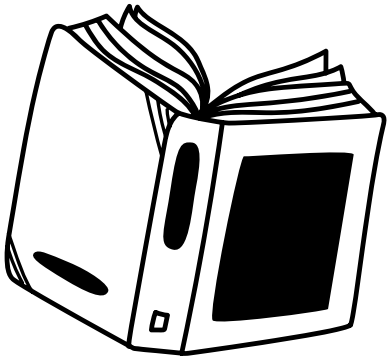
Little Coins. BIG Dreams

Little by little, your savings can grow into something BIG.





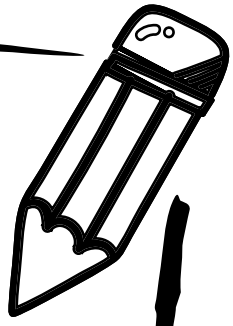






Let's draw!

Draw some things you want to save for.



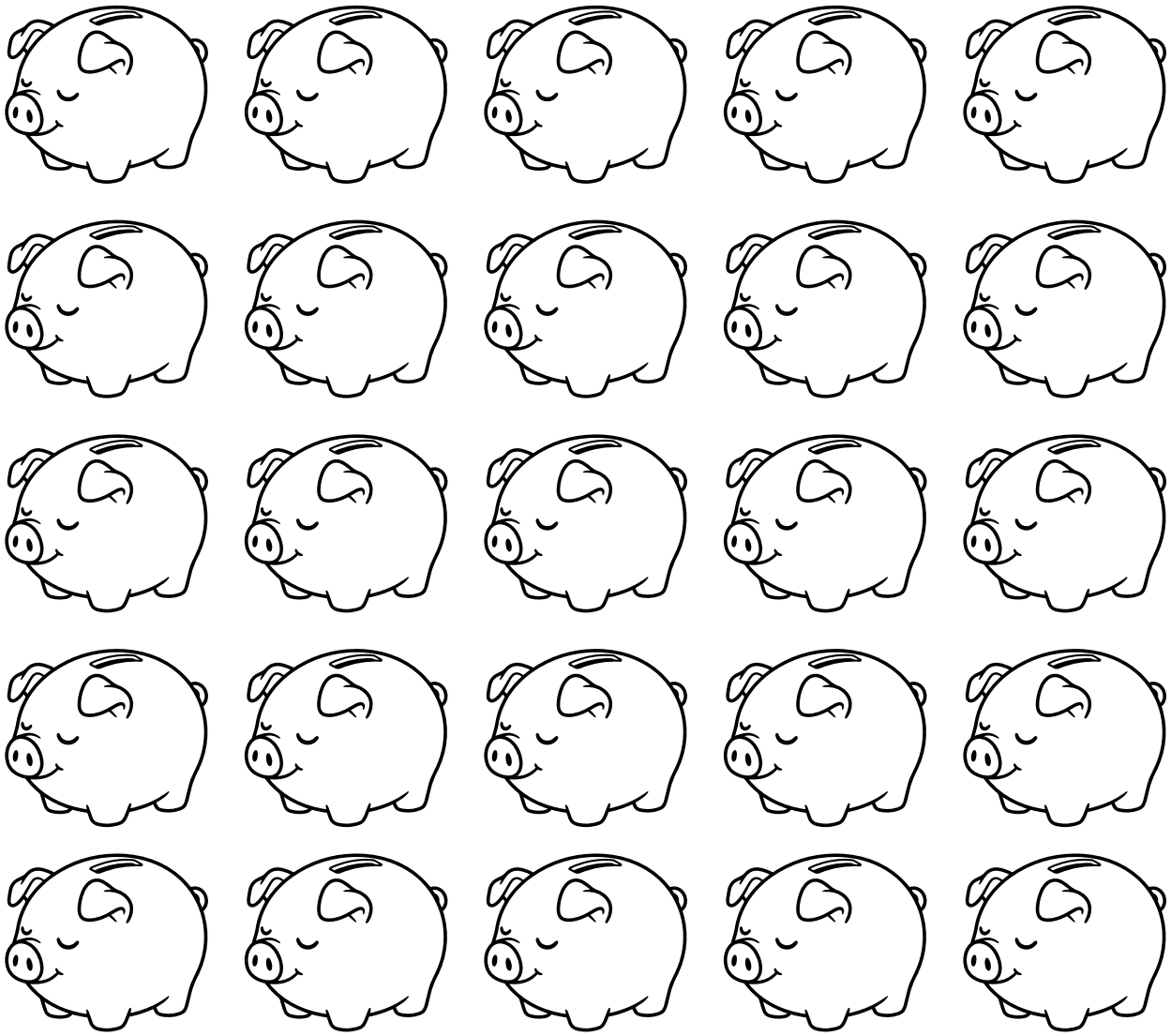
Write Your Name

☆ My BIG Goal Tracker ☆

I'm saving for:

It costs:

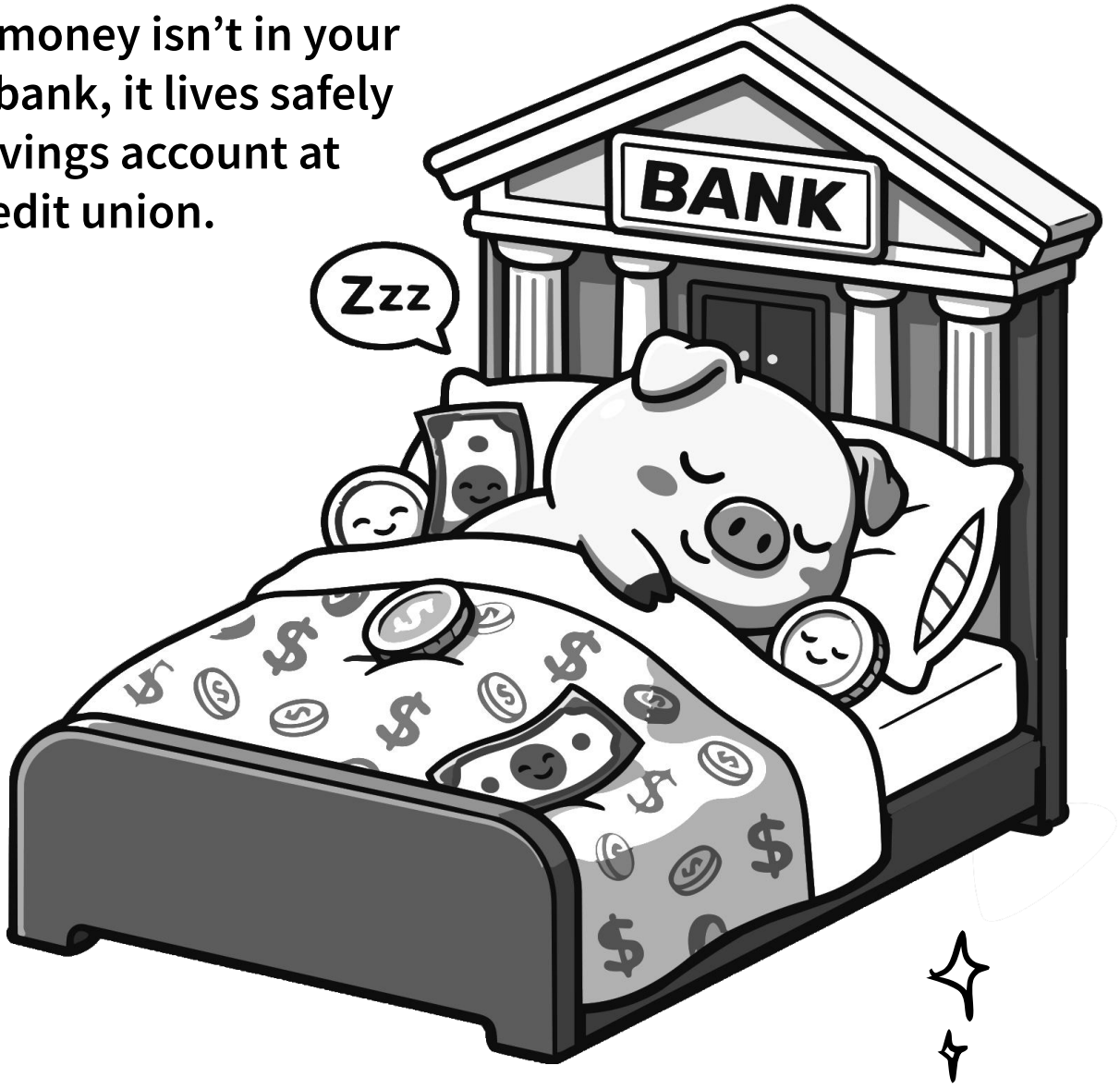
Color in a circle every time you add to savings.



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Where does my money sleep?

When money isn't in your piggy bank, it lives safely in a savings account at the credit union.



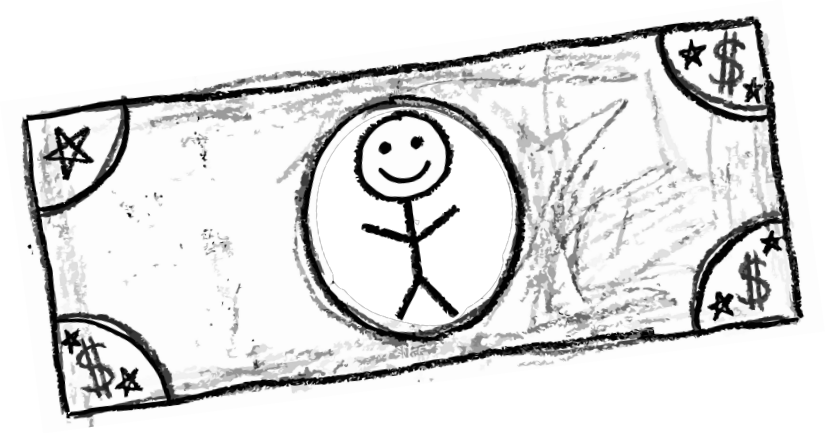
Think of it like a home for your money while it waits for your next big goal.

Design your dream dollar!

What would money look like if you ran things?

Who would be on your dollar bill?

How much would it be worth?



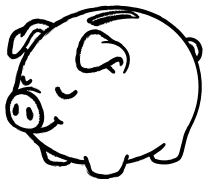
Show us below!

If I had $100...

Draw your ideas below!



I would spend some.



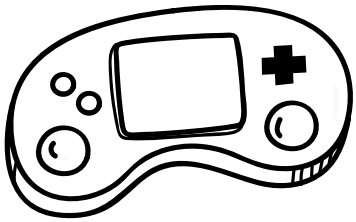
I would save some.



I would share some.

Buy What You Need. Save For What You Want.

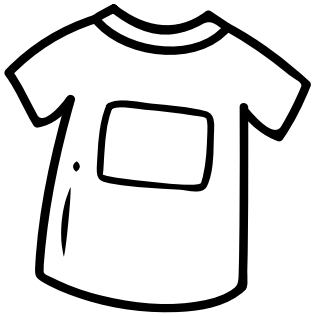
Work with your grown-up and circle the things you NEED.



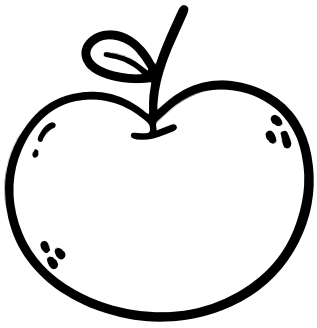
Video Game



Teddy Bear



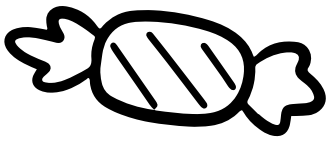
Shirt



Apple



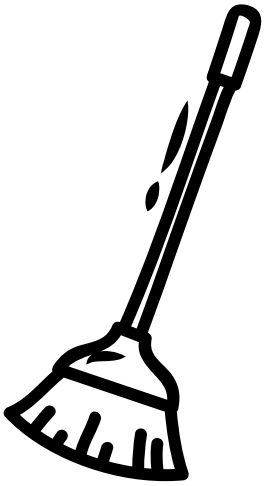
House



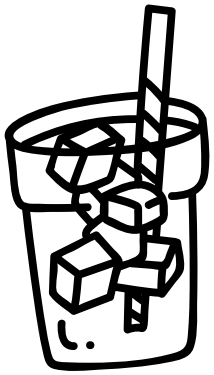
Candy

Need More Savings?

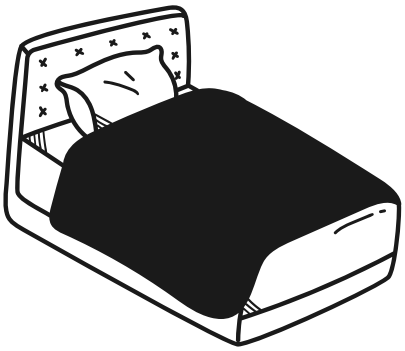
Ask your grown-up if you can:



Help with chores



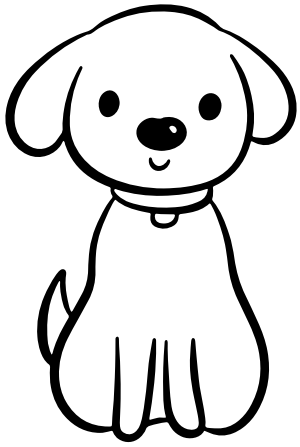
Have a lemonade stand



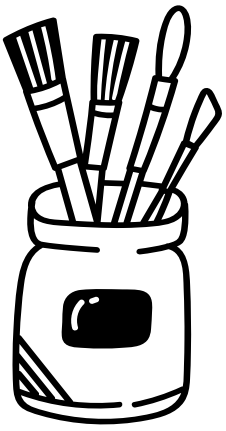
Clean your room



Help in the yard



Walk the dog



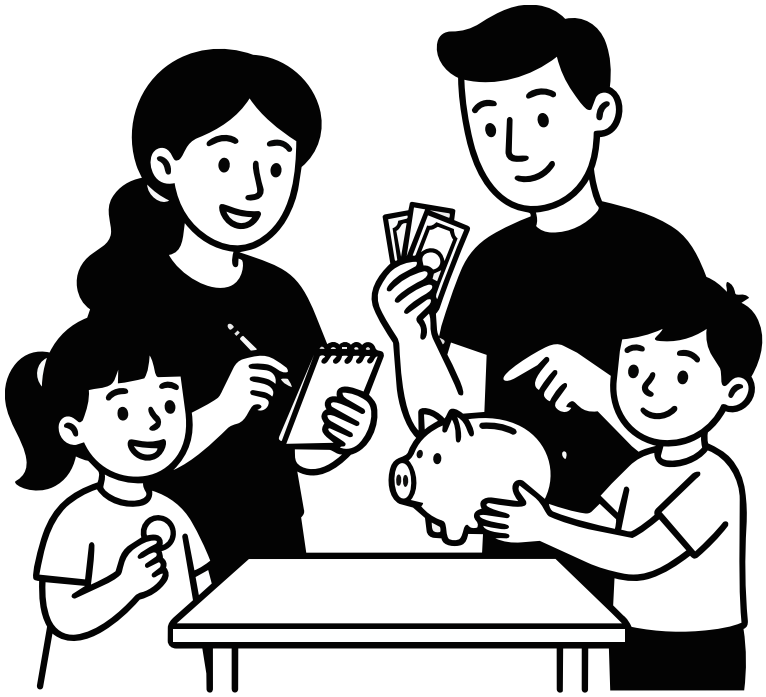
Make something cool to sell

Want something BIG?

The best part about savings, is finally reaching your goal. Talk to your grown-up about a savings plan and starting your adventure today!



For Your Grown Ups



Raising a money-smart kid starts with you.

The lessons they learn in this book can shape how they save, spend, and give generously for years to come. As they work through it, celebrate their progress, talk about choices, and continue to be their biggest cheerleader.

Keep the money-smart momentum going with our *Money-Smart Parents' Guide*.