

Sort It Out!

GRADE 3 ACTIVITY | NEED or WANT ? | TAKE IT HOME



★ My name: _____ Class / Section: _____

1 Check NEED or WANT for each one (tick the box)

1 A loaf of bread	NEED ☐	WANT ☐	2 A new video game	NEED ☐	WANT ☐
3 A school uniform	NEED ☐	WANT ☐	4 A birthday cake	NEED ☐	WANT ☐
5 Drinking water	NEED ☐	WANT ☐	6 A fancy watch	NEED ☐	WANT ☐
7 A pair of shoes	NEED ☐	WANT ☐	8 Movie tickets	NEED ☐	WANT ☐
9 A doctor's visit	NEED ☐	WANT ☐	10 A new toy car	NEED ☐	WANT ☐

2 My Saving Goal

 I want to save for: _____

It costs: Rs. _____ I can save: Rs. _____ every week

So I will need _____ weeks. (cost ÷ weekly saving = weeks)

Remember Riya: Rs. 10 every week = Rs. 50 in 5 weeks!



3 My 3 Jars: if Grandma gives me Rs. 100, I will put...

SAVE JAR Rs. _____	SPEND JAR Rs. _____	SHARE JAR Rs. _____
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★ TAKE-HOME CHALLENGE (do it with your family this week)

Find ONE need and ONE want at home. Tell a grown-up WHY. Need: _____

Want: _____ Show your parents the back! Parent's initials: _____

Remember This!

TAKE-HOME SUMMARY | FOR KIDS AND PARENTS



★ For Kids: 5 things to remember

NEED

A need is something we MUST have: food, water, a home, clothes, school.

WANT

A want is nice to have, but we can live without it. Wants are okay after needs!

SAVE

Keep a little money aside every time, like Riya's Rs. 10 a week.

JARS

Split your money into 3 jars: SAVE, SPEND, SHARE.

THINK

Before you buy, ask yourself: is it a NEED or a WANT?

★ For Parents: a few gentle questions to talk about at home

YES NOT YET

1 Are we saving something regularly for our child's future, even a small amount? ☐ ☐

2 Does our child know the difference between a need and a want? Do we talk about it when we shop? ☐ ☐

3 Do we identify our own family's needs, wants and savings, and does our child see us doing it? ☐ ☐

4 Does our child get a fixed pocket money, so they can practise Save, Spend, Share? ☐ ☐

5 Have we set one saving goal together with our child (a book, a bicycle, a gift)? ☐ ☐

6 Are we starting early? Small amounts saved over many years do most of the work. ☐ ☐



TRY THIS WEEK

Let your child make ONE small buying choice (need or want?) and help them put a little into the Save jar. Celebrate the habit, not the amount.



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