

When to Call **9-1-1**

CHILDREN'S EDUCATIONAL COLORING & ACTIVITY BOOK



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St. Tammany Parish
Communications District
In An Emergency Dial 911

Save a Life • Stop a Crime • Report a Fire

When to Call 9-1-1



This book belongs to

I'm the 9-1-1 Bee.

**And here's the buzz
on what to do in case of an emergency!**

You call 9-1-1



You can call 9-1-1 from any telephone.

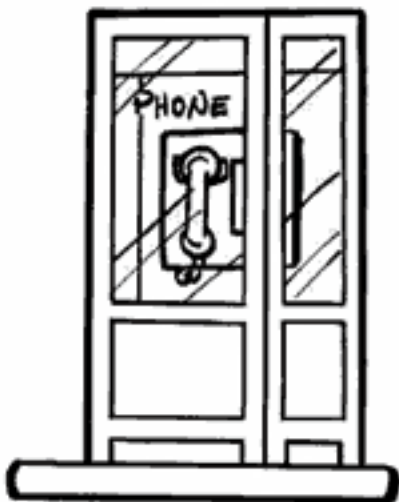
Landline phones
that plug into the wall



Cordless phones



Pay phones



Cell phones



When should you call 9-1-1?



- **When there is a real need for help!**
- **If there is a crime and you need the police.**
- **If there is a fire and you need firefighters.**
- **If someone is sick or hurt and you need an ambulance.**

How to call 9-1-1?



- **Stay calm.**
- **Make sure you know the exact location and address of the emergency.**
- **Pick up the receiver or turn on the phone and wait for the dial tone.**
- **Dial or press "9", then "1" and then "1" again.**
- **Wait for the ring and the 9-1-1 dispatcher will answer.**

Remember!

When the 9-1-1 dispatcher answers:



- **Speak clearly.**
- **Give as much information as possible about the emergency.**
- **Listen to the questions and answer each question carefully.**
- **Don't nod your head. Answer "yes" or "no" out loud**
- **Don't hang up until the dispatcher tells you it is OK to do so.**
- **Follow all instructions that the dispatcher gives you.**



**The dispatcher will send the fireman, policeman,
sheriff or ambulance to help you!**

9-1-1 is for emergencies only!



Never call 9-1-1 as a joke or a prank!

Take it from me – the 9-1-1 Bee!

I hope you never have an emergency,
but it's important to know how to call 9-1-1!



Do you know when to call 9-1-1?

Put a check mark ✓
next to the correct answers.



___ My dog is limping.

___ My friend dared me to call.

___ My neighbor's house is on fire.

___ My dad is having a hard time breathing.

___ I saw someone breaking into a neighbor's house.

___ Some kids are beating up an elderly person.

___ My friend falls out of a tree and is hurt badly.

___ I see a stranger lurking around my house.

___ My cat got into a fight with another cat.

Did you know why 9-1-1 was created?



**Thank goodness, emergencies don't happen very often.
But when they do, people want to get help fast.
No one wants to spend time looking up a phone number.
That's why 9-1-1 was created - to make it easy to call for help.**

Remember the **9-1-1** Rules!

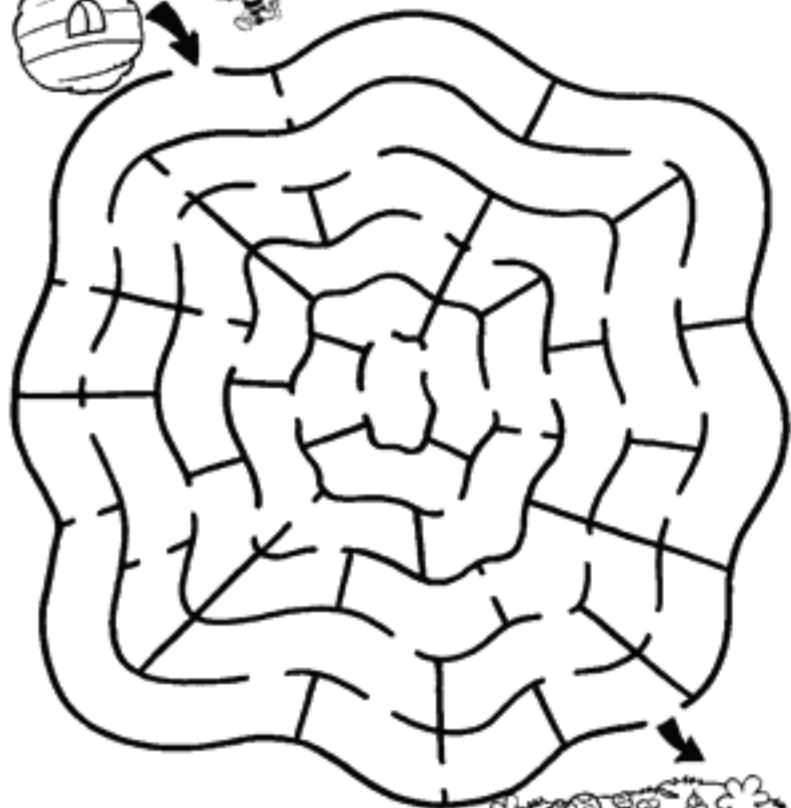


Fill in the missing word.

- 1. Call 9-1-1 when there is an _____.**
- 2. Remember to stay _____.**
- 3. A _____ answers the 9-1-1 call.**
- 4. A fireman, policeman, sheriff or an _____ will be sent to help you.**
- 5. Never call 9-1-1 as a _____.**

A-MAZING

Help 9-1-1 Bee find his way
from the hive to the garden.





The words
are all mixed up.

Can you unscramble
the words?

HINT: The word begins with the letter in black

1. **nd**areg

2. **l**ocpie

3. **r**fie

4. **f**irfseh

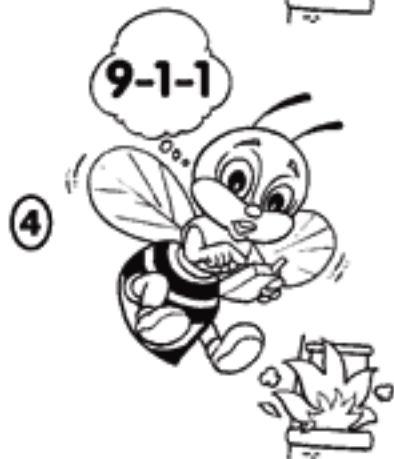
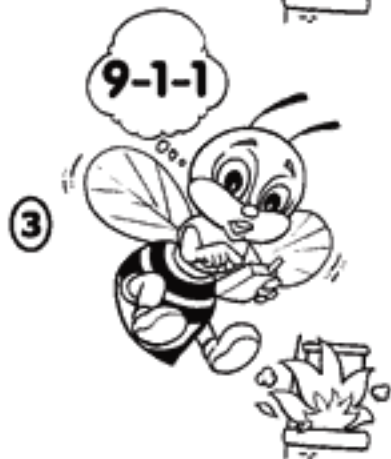
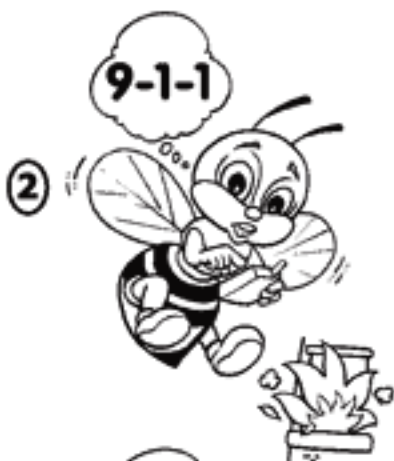
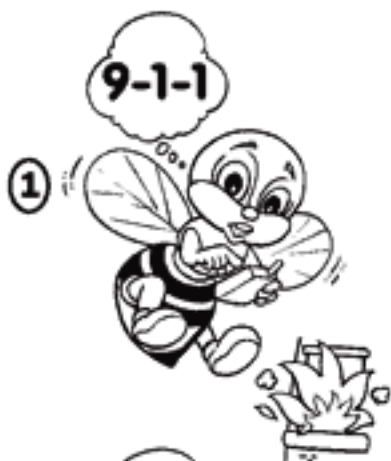
5. **o**henp

6. **z**bzu

7. **p**ehl

8. **a**dli

WHICH ONE IS DIFFERENT?



9-1-1 Bee's Funnies

QUESTIONS:

1. How are a doorbell and a bumblebee alike?
2. What did the cat say to the elephant?
3. How does an ant keep its hair in place?
4. What would you get if you crossed a chicken with a bicycle?
5. What happened when the dog went to the flea circus?
6. What happens when it rains cats and dogs?
7. Why do firemen wear red suspenders.



ANSWERS:

1. They're both buzzers. 2. Meow. 3. It uses bug spray. 4. A hen-speed bike.
5. He stole the show! 6. You have to watch out for poodles! 7. To keep their pants up.

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*I promise to learn how to call 9-1-1
and to know what a real emergency is.*

Sign your name here



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