




## FIRST LEVEL FIRE SAFETY: PEOPLE WHO HELP US

Below is a screen shot of the first activity, People Who Help Us

**People who help us**  
Match the equipment to the correct emergency service worker.

		
1. I climb this	1. Used to restrain people	1. I might carry this
2. It protects me	2. A mode of transport	2. Used to dress wounds
3. Used to fight flames	3. Suspects are held here	3. Can ease pain

Word Bank: Bandages, handcuffs, Ladder, Medicine, Stretcher, Hose, Cell, Horse, Helmet

Buttons: instructions, discussion

Annotations:

- Will take you back to home page (points to Close activity button)
- Word Bank (points to the word list)
- Takes you back to the Instructions (points to instructions button)
- Sentences to be completed (points to the sentences in the activity)
- Takes you on to discussion points (points to discussion button)

This activity is designed to allow children to consider different members of the emergency services and their roles. Children should complete the sentences by clicking on the equipment and dragging it to the correct sentence. If the answer is correct the word will slot into place, if it is incorrect it will fall back the work bank.

It would be useful if staff highlighted various equipment and discussed the importance of each item.

Below are some suggestions:

**Ladder** - To reach buildings that are very tall for example, tenements/ high rise flats. Allows fire fighters to rescue people out of windows, if they are trapped. Emphasise to children that should they ever find themselves trapped in a room to go to the window and shout 'Fire' as loudly as they can and the fire fighters will rescue them. They should never hide from a Fire Fighter.

**Hose** - This is very important as it helps Fire Fighters to put out fires. Fire is very dangerous and it takes a lot of water to put it out. The hose allows fire fighters to get water to the fire quickly.

**Helmet** - To protect fire fighters from injury when they enter buildings that are on fire. Fire-fighters need special equipment to protect them because fire is very dangerous.