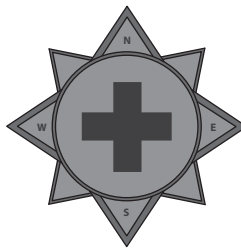


STRANGER DANGER

This task is all about keeping you safe. I'm sure you have been told not to talk to strangers, but do you know what a stranger is? It's someone you don't know, or don't know well. Bad strangers don't necessarily look bad, like in cartoons; they may look nice with kind faces and smiles. You can't tell who is nice and who is not. So we have to be careful around anyone we don't know well.

FLIP OVER FOR YOUR NEXT CHALLENGE



EARN THIS NUGGET

- Discuss with your parents some examples of "safe strangers."
- Practice shouting "You're not my mommy/daddy!" You may feel a little silly, but many kids have gotten out of scary situations because they screamed so loudly and were able to get help.
- Create a safe phrase, in case someone you don't know has to pick you up sometime.
- Over a two week period show your parents you understand this lesson by telling them what you might do in everyday situations. (Note to parents, you might even have a stranger approach your child to ensure they are ready.)

LEVEL A

PERIOD 2

TASK 1

- There are safe strangers. For example, the police are there to help you if you ever get lost. Ask your parents to point out other safe strangers.

- If a stranger ever comes up to you and tries to take you somewhere, don't go with them. Shout at the top of your lungs, "Not my mommy!" or "Not my daddy!"

- If your parents ever have to have someone that you don't know pick you up, agree on a secret phrase that only you and your parents will know and never tell anyone that phrase. If the person picking you up doesn't know the phrase, run and get to a safe place.

- Finally, never go anywhere without telling your parents where you are going, and go only to the place you say you are going to.

And that's as simple as it is.

