

# Change a rule or law

Rules and laws tell us what we can and cannot do. Choose a rule or law that you think needs to change.

It could be a home or school rule. It could be a rule of a game or sport. It could be a law that everyone has to follow. The change should make the rule or law better.

Write to convince a reader why this rule or law should be changed.

- **Start with an introduction.**  
An introduction lets a reader know what you are going to write about.
- **Write your opinion on the topic.**  
Give reasons for your opinion.  
Explain your reasons.
- **Finish with a conclusion.**  
A conclusion sums up your reasons so that a reader is convinced of your opinion.

## Remember to:

- plan your writing
- use paragraphs to organise your ideas
- write in sentences
- choose your words carefully to convince a reader of your opinion
- pay attention to your spelling and punctuation
- check and edit your writing so it is clear.