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.