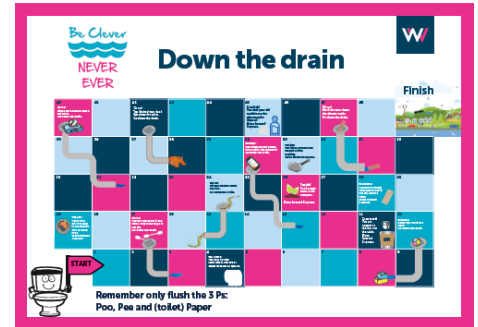


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Learn what should not go down the toilet and drain in this interactive and entertaining lesson. The session includes a story, games and animation.

## Resources

- *After the Drain* book
- *Don't Flush It* animation
- Down the drain maze
- Down the Drain board game
- Dice & counters



## Outline (60 minutes)

### 1. Introduction (10 minutes)

- Ask the students how do they use water?
- Ask where does water go after you use it?
- Ask what should go down the toilet and drain? (Explain drain: kitchen sink, shower, washing machine)
- What impact does it have on the environment?

### 2. Read the book - *After the Drain* (10 minutes)

### 3. Play the *Don't Flush It* animation (15 minutes)

- Before you play it, ask the students to see if they can find things that shouldn't go down the drain.
- In pairs, ask students to recall all the items that went down the drain.  
**Answers:** nappy, baby wipes, fish, teeth, phone, toy car, underpants, cotton buds, makeup wipes.

### 4. Activity - Down the Drain maze (5 minutes)

Ask the children to help the plumber unblock the pipes by drawing through the items that shouldn't go down the drain.

### 5. Activity - Down the Drain board game (15 minutes)

Play the board game in groups of 4-6 students to learn what should and shouldn't go down the drain.

