

Post War Homes *activity sheet*



Activity 1 **Different homes**

Next time you are outside have a look at the different sorts of homes you see. Draw pictures of some different homes and see if you can find pictures in old magazines too. You might find some unusual examples, such as people that live on a boat or in a barn or even in a castle.

Think about what would be good and what not so good about living in each home. Talk to friends and family who live in different homes to you about what they like about where they live. Maybe they would like more windows in their house or would like a garden, or perhaps they would like to see less traffic on their street.

Write under each of the pictures what would make it a better home.

Activity 2 **Listed buildings**

Which building do you know that you think should be listed?

Remember listed buildings are ones that are historically important or are very unusual buildings for the time they were built. The building you chose could be beautiful or striking, or maybe it is a special building for the people who live around it. Perhaps it is old and needs restoring.

Draw a picture of your building and send a picture of it to The Building Exploratory or email it to mail@buildingexploratory.org.uk and we will put it on this website, in the kids pics forum.

