

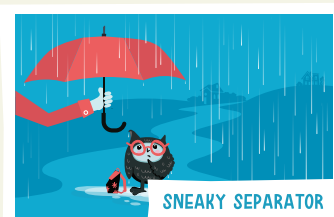


A man who seems nice offers to walk you home from school in the rain. He grabs your hand and wants to take you on a “less rainy” route.

It's a
KNOW
GO

Is this a GO or a Know GO?

- You don't know him, and he could be trying to take you to an unsafe place.
- It isn't safe to go any place with someone you don't know—it could be a trick.
- Adults do not have the right to grab your hand and take you somewhere without your permission or your parents permission.



- *What should you do if he says he knows your parents?*
- *What are some things you can do to protect yourself in this situation?*



Need to KNOW: Be aware of tricks used to separate you or sneak you away from your safe route home.



As you are walking home, a stranger yells out your name and asks if you would like to stop by and play a game before going home.

It's a
KNOW
GO

Is this a GO or a Know GO?

- Just because they know your name, that does not mean that they are a safe person.
- They seem like they are using your name as a way to trick you into coming to their house.
- We need to be aware of people who try to use lies—like they know us—when we are certain they aren't someone we or our parents know.



- *What do you say to someone who yells out your name?*
- *What are some things other ways that a person could find out what your name is?*



Need to KNOW: It's safer not to carry items or wear clothes that have your name on them.



While in the bathroom, you hear some sounds from in a stall where two people have separated themselves by hiding behind a closed door.

It's a
**KNOW
GO**

Is this a GO or a Know GO?

- Students should not separate in an unsafe way—someone could be in danger.
- A bathroom stall is only meant for one person at a time.
- Someone could be feeling uncomfortable or weird and may need your help to get away from the sneaky separator.



SNEAKY SEPARATOR

- *What should you do if you hear or see something that doesn't feel right or feels like a sneaky separator situation?*
- *What is the difference between being a "nark" and being helpful to make sure everyone is safe?*



Need to KNOW: Sneaky separators often use places like bathroom stalls or closets to separate and trick others.



You run into your substitute teacher at the store after school. When your mom is in another aisle, he asks you to come to his car for a minute.

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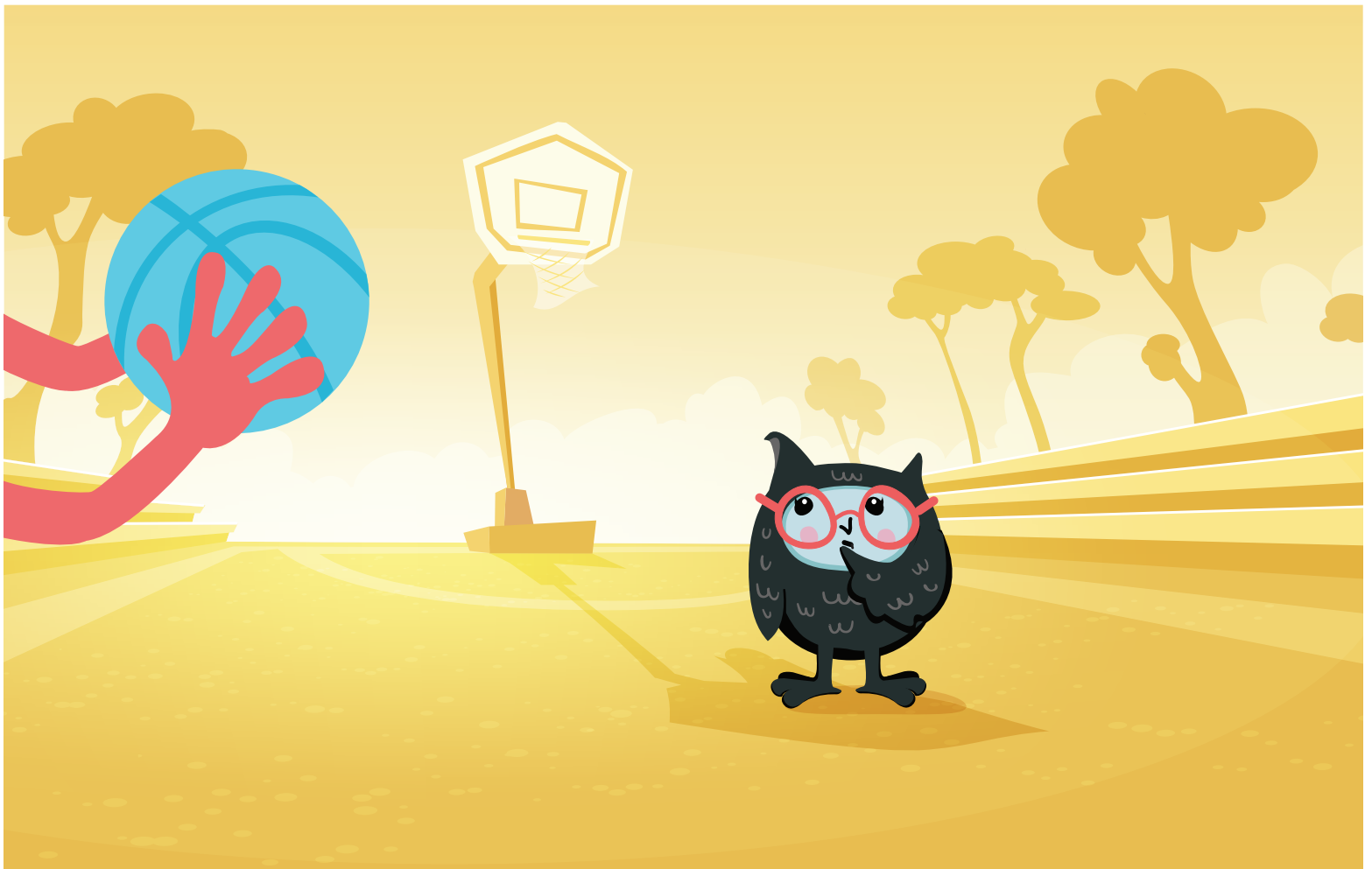
- Just because he's from school, does not make it ok for him to ask you to his car.
- Separating from your parents in public can be unsafe, and even dangerous.
- Your parents/guardians would not know where you will be—and did not give permission



- *What if he says he will do something bad—like give you detention—if you don't go with him?*
- *When is it ok to NOT listen to an adult leader, coach, staff or teacher?*



Need to KNOW: Even if you know a person from school, it is never ok to leave with someone without permission.

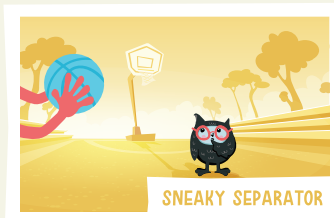


A boy who seemed athletic offers to help you improve your game with some fancy pro tips. He'll show you if you follow him under the bleachers.

It's a
KNOW
GO

Is this a GO or a Know GO?

- Going under the bleachers is unsafe—it could be a trick.
- It isn't safe to go anywhere with someone you don't know—even if they offer to help.
- If someone is trying to help you, they don't need to separate you from others.



SNEAKY SEPARATOR

- What could you say or do in this situation if the boy teases you when you say It's a KnowGO?
- What are some things you can do to protect yourself in this situation?



Need to KNOW: Be aware of tricks used to separate you or take you away from otherwise safe public places.



In after school tutoring, your tutor closes the door and rubs your back and constantly touches you for no reason during tutoring time.

It's a
**KNOW
GO**

Is this a GO or a KnowGO?

- Classroom doors should be open when you are alone with any school staff.
- The tutor is being sneaky and separating you from others.
- School staff should not rub, massage or touch you.
- The Teacher's Aide's job is to help you with homework—not to massage you



SNEAKY SEPARATOR

- *What could you do when the tutor starts closing the door?*
- *What are some things you can do to protect yourself in this situation?*



Need to KNOW: All touches—even touches on your back—can be a “KnowGO” if it isn't the right person, time, or place.



Since your ride home is running late, the principal offers to wait with you.

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Is this a GO or a Know GO?

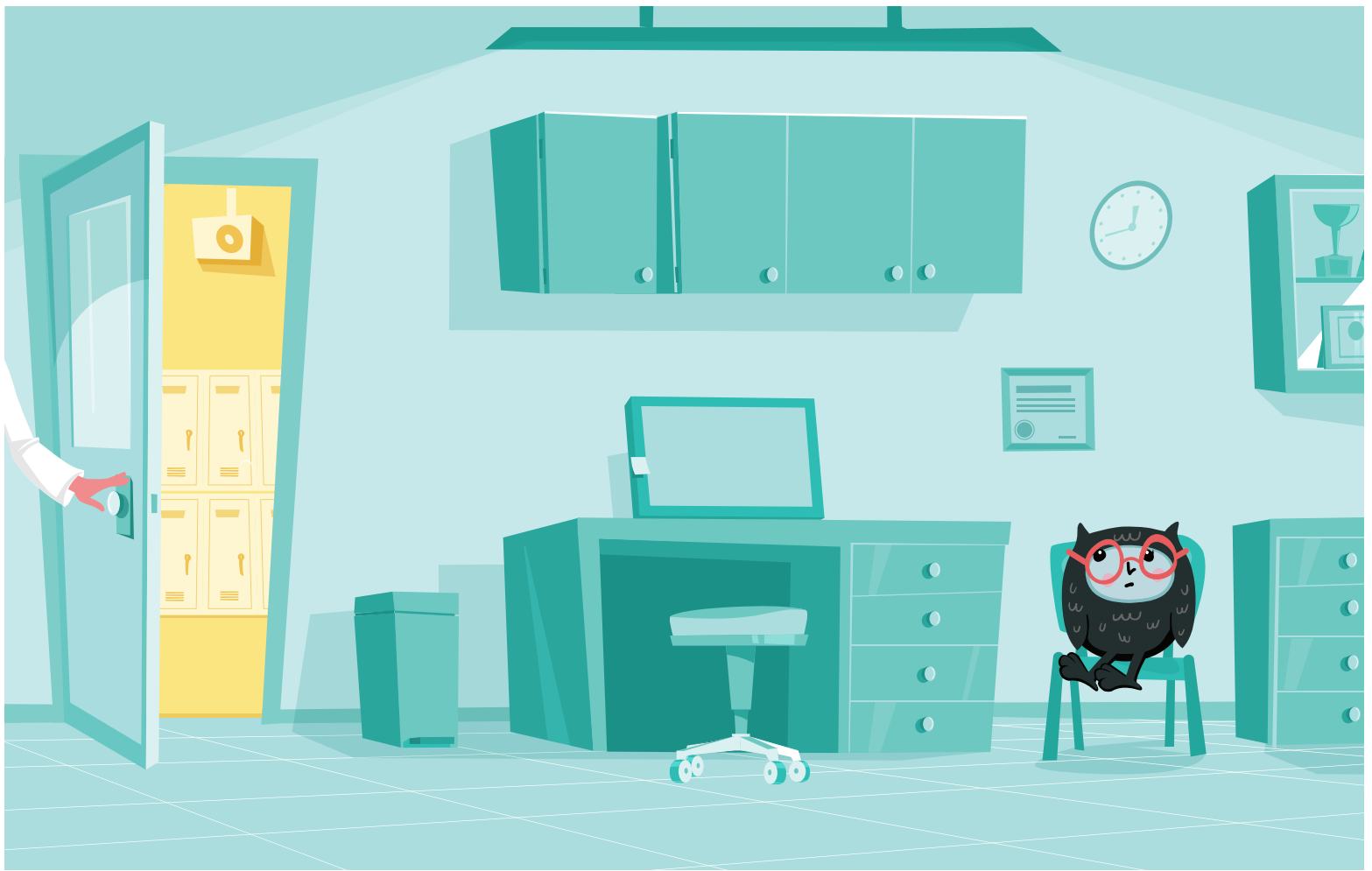
- It is ok because he/she is helping me, which is part of their job.
- I feel comfortable and do not have scary feelings about the principal.
- They are not trying—nor have they ever—touched me in an uncomfortable way



- Should you first contact your parent or guardian to let them know you are waiting with an adult?
- In this situation, who might be another safe adult to wait with for your ride?



Need to KNOW: Adults who you trust can keep you safe.



The school counselor invites you to her office to give you some helpful study tips.

*It's a
GO*

Is this a GO or a Know GO?

- My teacher & parent/guardian knows that I'm meeting with the counselor.
- The counselor's office isn't a secret hiding place to secretly separate you from others.
- The counselor doesn't touch me or make me feel uncomfortable or unsafe.



- *Is it ever ok to be behind closed doors with an adult at school?*
- *What are some situations with an adult that you would feel safe with the door closed?*



Need to KNOW: If others know where I am, and I am feeling comfortable and safe, then it's ok for the door to be closed.