

## The Value and Order of Things. And Mine.



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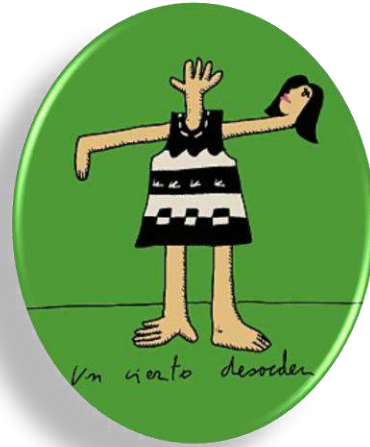
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1 Take a look at this room. How does it look?  
What feelings does it cause you to experience?



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How about this one?....Which one would you prefer for yourself?



Look at this office. Do you think that it's a good work space?  
Would it be easy for you to find something there?

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How about this one? ... Which of the two would you choose?



## 2 Do a short activity with your classmates:

You will see a series of images: a shoe, a cup, a lamp, a faucet, a bed, an umbrella, a telephone, a fireplace, and a scarf.

Break into groups and divide the images among yourselves. On a sheet of paper, looking at the drawing, complete the following sentence:

THIS IS USED FOR...

Then, randomly re-distribute the images and the sheets of paper.

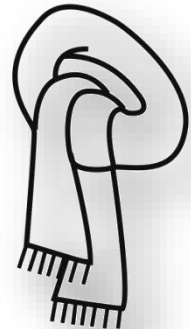
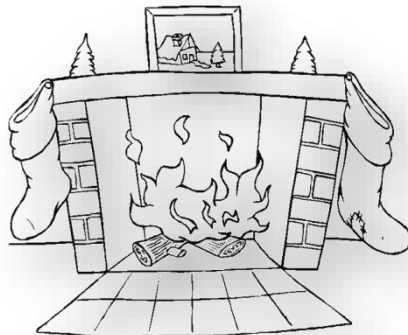
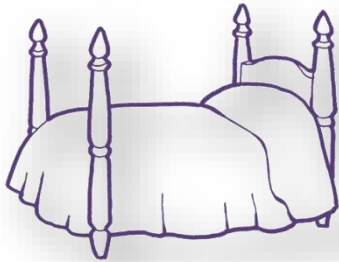
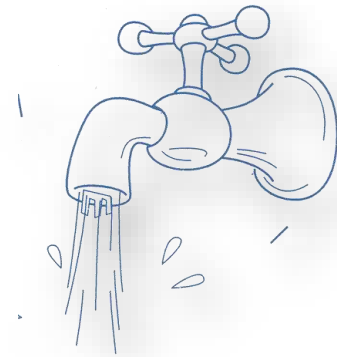
Show the drawing and read the utility that it randomly got matched up with out loud.

What was the result?

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3 Take a moment to reflect and think about the value of things, and about their usefulness.



What happens when we don't use things for what they're meant to be used for?

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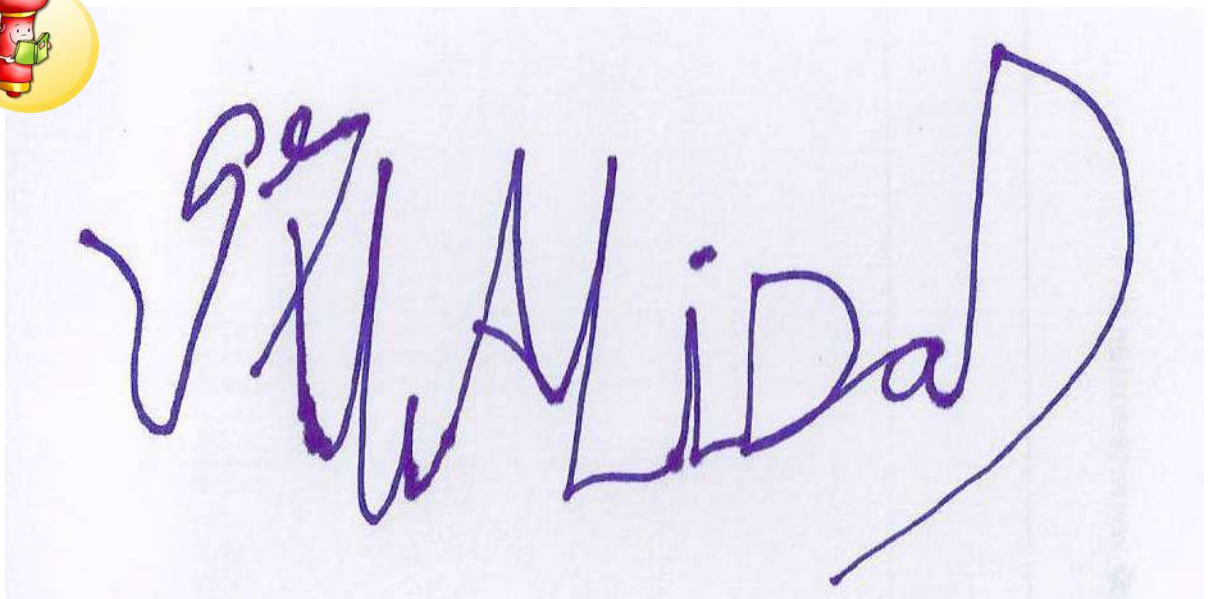
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Share your conclusions with your classmates:

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4 Observe the word below. Can you clearly make out what it says?



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How about now? Can you see it more clearly?



SEXUALIDAD

In the sessions to come we're going to take a deeper look at the value of sexuality, and try to recognize everything that prevents you from integrating your sexuality and what can help you to do so.

We ask for your collaboration, and request that between now and the next session you can pay attention to information, images, news stories, TV shows, movies, advertisements, etc. that reflect society's vision of SEXUALITY.



I am not called to chaos, but to order.

Things have a purpose and persons are called to an end. Affections and sexuality also have an end, and I, as a person, am called to live out my affectivity and sexuality in order to reach this end.

If things are not used well:

They **BREAK** or can cause **HARM**.

The same thing happens with my affections and my sexuality: if they are not ordered, they can hurt me and tear me apart.

Sexuality would lose its value, and affections would be disordered. We are going to discover how to order them toward their end and acknowledge their profound meaning.