

Name _____ ANSWER KEY _____

Needs and Wants: Worksheet #1

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☛ *Humans need water, air, food, and shelter.*



BIG IDEA:

1. ➤ A **need** is something people must have to stay alive.
2. ➤ A **want** is something people would like to have, but it is not necessary to stay alive.

A. Directions: Write the word that **best** completes each statement.

1. A _____ **want** _____ is something you'd like to have, but not required to stay alive.
2. A _____ **need** _____ is something you must have to stay alive.

BIG IDEA:

1. ➤ Examples of human **needs**: food, water, and shelter.
2. ➤ Examples of human **wants**: toys, candy, name-brand jeans, or powerboat.

B. Directions: Write the word that **best** completes each statement.

1. Toys, candy, name brand clothing, or fancy cars are all examples of human _____ **wants** _____.
2. Food, water, shelter, and air (oxygen) are all examples of human _____ **needs** _____.



➤ **Think Ahead:** What are two things you want but do not need? *(Possible answers include: book, candy, jewelry, video game, etc.)* _____