OBSERVATIONS & INFERENCES: FOOTPRINT EXERCISE

We will do this together as a class. If you are here already and the rest of us aren't, just work ahead on the next assignment until we catch up!

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NOTES: MAKING OBSERVATIONS

Read the document on our webpage about observation and inferences.

| Observation | Inference |
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| What is an observation? | What is an inference? |
| Give an example: | |
| | Give three examples of inferences: |
| Describe the 2 types of observations: (1) Qualitative | 1. |
| Qualitative example(s): | 2. |
| (2) Quantitative | |
| Quantitative examples(s): | 3. |

WORKSHEET: OBSERVATION AND INFERENCE PRACTICE

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- 1. Refer to each of the scenarios/pictures and list any observations.
- 2. Once you have listed your observations, try to come up with some *inferences* based on those observations.
 - A. After Sue walked out of her house she heard a siren and smelled smoke.

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B. Timothy notices that after Mr. Smith gave Jessica her quiz, she said, "I cannot believe this" and a few tears ran down her face.

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D. Jill was playing with her baby sister and notices that she stopped making noises. After looking