



Kids, get out your pencil and try your best with this crossword puzzle. Use the clues to fill in the puzzle. The answers to the questions are listed in the word bank at the bottom of the page.

## CLUES

### ACROSS

1. There are lots of ways to handle a problem or a conflict. \_\_\_\_\_ it is one way.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ the Crime Dog!
5. \_\_\_\_\_, sometimes called pot hurts your lungs, and is against the law for grownups and children.
6. Never touch a \_\_\_\_\_ even if you think it might be a toy.
8. Using \_\_\_\_\_ can start a habit that is hard to break.
10. Guns and knives are \_\_\_\_\_ that can hurt people.
13. Scruff is McGruff's \_\_\_\_\_.
16. If you feel scared, go to a McGruff \_\_\_\_\_, where you can get help.
19. Smoking \_\_\_\_\_ is bad for you and can cause lung disease.
21. Beer and wine are examples of \_\_\_\_\_.
22. Drinking alcohol is \_\_\_\_\_ for children.

### DOWN

1. If you find a gun...Stop! Don't \_\_\_\_\_! Get away! Tell a grownup you trust.
4. It is better to walk with \_\_\_\_\_ than to walk alone.
7. If you are in serious trouble, use the \_\_\_\_\_ and call "9-1-1".
9. \_\_\_\_\_ is McGruff's nephew.
11. A \_\_\_\_\_ is someone you and your folks do not know well.
12. It is very \_\_\_\_\_ to play with a real gun.
14. Sheriffs and \_\_\_\_\_ officers are both community helpers.
15. If you see a gun or drugs, tell a trusted \_\_\_\_\_.
17. When you go somewhere, you should know the \_\_\_\_\_ you are taking before you leave.
18. If a \_\_\_\_\_ bothers you, you can 1) walk away, 2) try to calmly talk it out, 3) stick with friends, or 4) tell a trusted adult.
20. When you sense trouble, try to find a \_\_\_\_\_ place to go.

### WORD BANK

Adult	Cigarettes	Gun	McGruff	Safe	Touch
Alcohol	Dangerous	House	Nephew	Scruff	Weapons
Avoiding	Drugs	Illegal	Path	Stranger	
Bully	Friends	Marijuana	Police	Telephone	

Answers: Across 2) AVOIDING 3) MCGRUFF 5) MARIJUANA 6) GUN 8) DRUGS 10) WEAPONS 13) NEPHEW 16) HOUSE 19) CIGARETTES 21) ALCOHOL 22) ILLEGAL  
Down 1) TOUCH 4) FRIENDS 7) TELEPHONE 9) SCRUFF 11) STRANGER 12) DANGEROUS 14) POLICE 15) ADULT 17) PATH 18) BULLY 20) SAFE