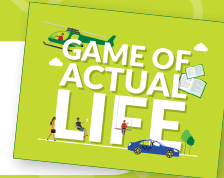




## House to Home

Sponsored by *Game of Actual Life*



**Overview:** A communication activity that works best in groups but can be adapted for one child.

**Time:** 5 - 15 minutes

**Equipment required:** Paper and pencils.

### Benefits:

- Helps children appreciate the home they live in.
- Helps show that whilst each house may be individual, they can be similar, too.
- Encourages positive and open discussion.

### “My home is”

1. Have all the children sat around in a circle, or sit opposite your child.
2. Play a game of ‘finish the sentence with the following prompts:
2. “My house can be described as...
3. “My favourite part of my house is... Because...”
4. “A semi-detached house is...”

### “My first house”

1. Invite the children to think about what they’d like the first house they’ll own to look like.
2. On a piece of paper, ask them to copy and complete the sentence “When I buy or rent my first house, I want it to be... Because...”
3. Finally, everybody can draw a picture of their ideal first home. Invite them to share this and explain why they’ve drawn it that way.