Imperatives

1. Read and tick.
Read the class rules on the whiteboard. Tick ✓ the rules you have in your class.

- Try your hardest in class. ___
- Enjoy your work. ___
- Close the window if you’re cold. ___
- Put your hand up to ask a question. ___
- Don’t shout out! ___
- Don’t hit other children! ___
- Don’t chew gum! ___
- Don’t do your homework in class! ___

We can use imperatives in English to give orders.

2. Read and draw.
Read the sentences and draw pictures.

- Put on your shoes!
- Don’t throw your food!
- Don’t watch TV until 11pm!
- Take off your coat!
3. What's the order?
Put the words in the correct order.

a. salt Pass me please the ________________ Pass me the salt please.
b. door please Answer the ____________________
c. lunch Don’t your forget ____________________
d. English Speak please in ____________________
e. Wait please for me ____________________
f. nicely sister with Play your ____________________
g. your speak Don’t mouth full with ____________________

4. Write about it!
What are the rules in your class? Write them on the whiteboard below!

www.britishcouncil.org/learnenglishkids
© The British Council, 2012 The United Kingdom's international organisation for educational opportunities and cultural relations. We are registered in England as a charity.