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This activity is all about direct speech (when somebody is actually speaking).

There are 4 rules to remember:

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- 1. Use a comma (or? or! if appropriate) to separate off what is said from who says it.
- 2. Put speech marks (" ") around round the direct speech.
- 3. Begin a new paragraph for each new speaker.
- 4. Begin direct speech with a capital letter.

Have a look at the comic strip above - give each character a name and think about what might be going on.

When you are ready, in your home learning book, write out what each character says in pictures 1, 2, 3 and 4. Make sure you use the 4 rules about direct speech above.

You could use sub-headings to help show which picture your characters are talking in, so Picture 1; Picture 2, etc......