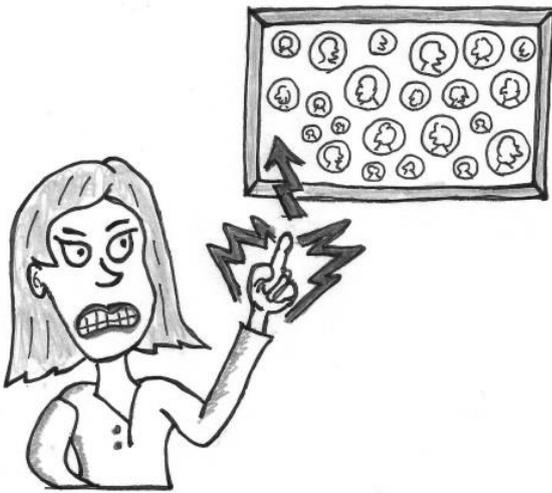


## Activities sheet 6: Catch a thief while you are eating a pizza

Let's do some funny activities related to the chapter " *Catch a thief while you are eating a pizza*" from the book "*Nico, the little detective*". The first activity should be done before reading the chapter of the book.

### Activity 1: Help Nico solve his case



At the *Pizzacuellos* restaurant, where our class is learning how to cook a pizza, a silver dollar disappears from a coin collection that hangs on the wall.

How can I find out who has taken the coin if our teacher Teresa has not been able to do it? If I don't find the thief they are going to punish the whole class, and everyone will put the blame on Berta because she took a few coins on another occasion.

***Imagine a solution to solve this case and write it down to help Nico.***

## Activity 2: Find the words that have been lost

Search for the following words in this word search puzzle: *pizza, thief, coin, town hall, mayor, clock, cook and hidden.*

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## Activity 3: Tell Nico your opinion

In this chapter Martina asks a councillor when the institute that is needed in Paracuellos will be functioning, and comments that she was at a demonstration with her parents to demand that it be built as soon as possible.

- Do you think it is good that we work to improve things, or should we let the politicians do their job since they have been elected to do it?
- Think of something that could be improved in your environment and how you could collaborate to do it
- Ask your family and friends what they think about whether we citizens should work to improve the things around us (education, health, environmental care, etc.) and ask them examples of things we could do.

### Activity 4: The challenge of Nico's questions

Nico challenges you to answer some questions related to this chapter of the book:

- What time is it when the children in Nico's class start their visit to the town hall in Paracuellos?
- What gift do they give the children at the town hall?
- What is the name of the pizza that Nico's friends choose to make? And what pizza would have Nico liked to have made instead?
- What story does Nico make up so that the coin thief discovers himself?
- What three things happen during the visit of the children to the restaurant that make Nico think that they will not dare to invite them again to prepare pizzas there?

### Activity 5: Solve Nico's problem

Would you know how to reverse the coin pyramid so that it points downwards by moving only 3 coins?



## Activity 6: Draw Nico's adventures

Draw the silver dollar that is stolen from the Pizzacuellos restaurant.



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