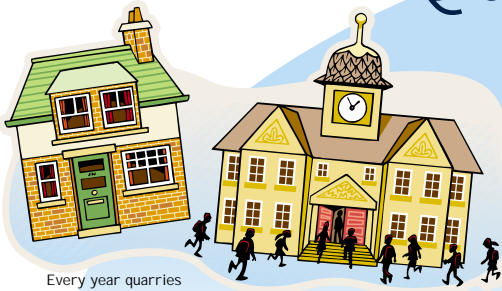


Quarrying and you



Every year quarries provide enough supplies to build new homes, hospitals, roads and even schools!



Hi it's me, Jack - I'm the quarry manager. I'm responsible for the whole team and for making sure that the quarry produces what our customers need.



I'm Rod - we couldn't do our job without the machinery that we use. I work with a team of people who operate the diggers and drive trucks.

My name's Dave - my job is to talk to people and to get permission for where we can quarry.



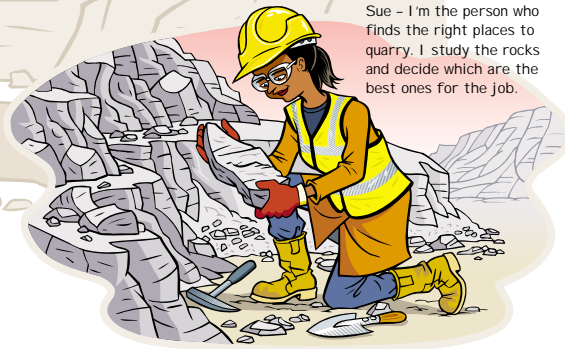
Hi, we're Gail and Jack - together we work with a team of people at your local quarry. Quarries are places where the rocks, for building are dug out of the ground. Take a look at what we all do.



Sue - I'm the person who finds the right places to quarry. I study the rocks and decide which are the best ones for the job.



Gail here - looking after the environment is very important. It's my job make sure that the land is looked after properly and is returned to nature or farming when we have finished quarrying.



Beware of loose rocks
Watch out - rocks could fall on you.



Do not swim
Lakes that look good to swim in may be much deeper and colder than you think.



Do not dig in sand piles
Heaps of sand may look like fun places to dig but can bury you if your 'cave' collapses.



Do not ride motorbikes
Quarries aren't safe places to ride bikes. If you had an accident - who would know that you were hurt?



Stay away from quicksand
Don't be tempted to wade into quicksand - you could easily become trapped.



Keep off cliff edges
You could fall off steep rock faces.

Hi kids, never be tempted to visit a quarry on your own or just with your friends. Remember, play safe and you'll stay safe. Quarries are places where people work not play. You can see that all my team wear the proper safety gear.

