

4 Hurting yourself

Complete the following dialogues with the phrases below:

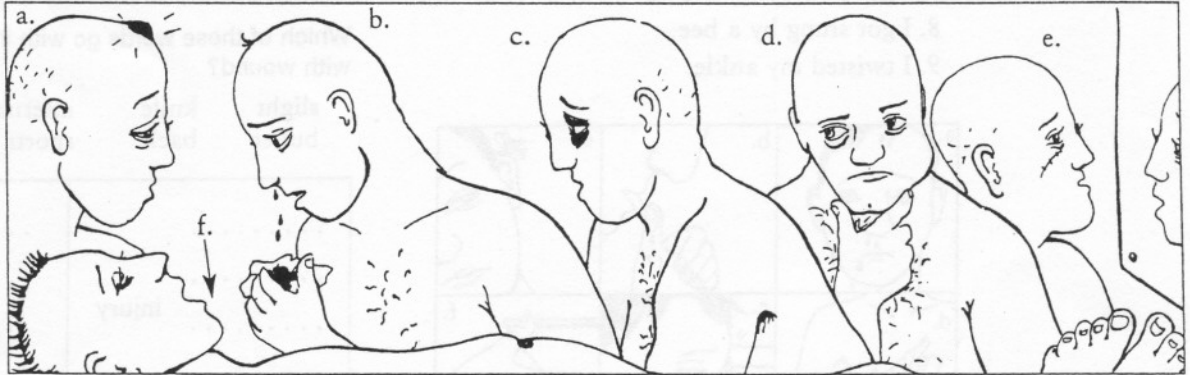
- a. burnt myself
- b. cut myself
- c. scratched myself
- d. injured myself

1. You've got blood on your face.
> I know, I've just shaving.
2. What have you done to your hand?
> I taking something out of the oven last night. I don't think it's too serious.
3. Have you ever been horse-riding?
> Yes, once, but I fell off and quite badly. I've never done it since.
4. What's the matter?
> I've just myself on that rose bush.

5 It's badly bruised

Match the phrases with the pictures:

1. He's unconscious.
2. It's bleeding.
3. It's bruised.
4. It's swollen.
5. He's got a black eye.
6. He's got a bad scar under his eye.



Add your own words and expressions

6 It was agony

Complete the sentences using these words:

- agony blood black
- pain scratch blisters

- a. She's in a lot of
- b. I'm and blue all over.
- c. There was everywhere.
- d. My feet are covered in
- e. It's just a
- f. It was absolute!

Now use the language above to complete the following sentences:

1. I ran in the London Marathon on Sunday. I'm in agony. My !
2. Don't worry. I'll get you a plaster.
3. I think we'd better call an ambulance. She's
4. My brother cut the top off his finger with a kitchen knife last night.
5. I shut my fingers in the car door this morning. I was in
6. I played rugby again yesterday. It was VERY physical. this morning.

Have you ever broken a bone, been knocked unconscious, cut yourself badly, or had a black eye?