

Tools of the Trade

Ben, Cory, and Hannah—the kids featured in the exciting new *CLUB CSI: mystery series*—arrived at school Monday morning and heard some terrible news: Griffie, Ms. Mendoza’s class guinea pig, is missing. He’s not in his cage, and he’s nowhere to be found in the classroom. As members of the school’s CLUB CSI, it’s their job to find out what happened and—hopefully—to recover Griffie. Here’s how *you* can help!

With your team, become crime scene investigators (CSIs) and carefully examine the “crime scene” in the picture on this page and on your classroom wall poster. In the space below, list the clues that might help you figure out what happened. We’ve listed the first clue to help you get started.



- Griffie's cage door is standing open and Griffie is gone.
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What forensic techniques do you think you could use as you examine these clues?

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Take the next steps in solving this mystery! Download Activity 2, *Whose Hair Is It?*, at www.ymiclassroom.com/csi.html.

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