Assessment Task: Needs; Wants in the Community

The needs of your community (Pair activity)

Work with a partner and do a survey of your own community.

a) Name five needs your community has. List them in order of priority in the table below. (Tip: clean running water is more important than sports facilities.)
b) State whether each of the five needs you and your partner listed is adequately satisfied in your community.
c) Give a reason for your findings in b). In other words, explain why you stated that a specific need is or is not adequately satisfied. Record factual information, for example, many shelters are informal settlements.

Copy the table below in your workbook and record your findings in the table. An example has been completed to assist you.

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## Teacher Assessment Rubric

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## Suggested Solutions

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<td>Every home has clean running water./Many or all homes do not have clean running water; there are only communal taps or no communal taps.</td>
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<td>Yes/No</td>
<td>All homes have flush toilets in proper working order and the community has a proper sewerage network./Many homes do not have flush toilets in proper working order; many toilets are pit latrines or bucket system toilets and the community does not have a proper sewerage network.</td>
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<td>Yes/No</td>
<td>The community has a community hall and a play park. The community has no recreational facilities or has only a poorly equipped community hall.</td>
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<td>Sports facilities</td>
<td>Yes/No</td>
<td>The community has adequate basic sports facilities, including soccer fields, as well as a variety of other sports facilities, including a soccer stadium, tennis courts and a swimming pool. The community has only very basic sports facilities or has no sports facilities.</td>
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