

Untold Stories for a safer better future; a colouring activity for 4 to 7 year olds.

Stories of genocide are not suitable for very young children but the messages of hope which grow from Holocaust Memorial Day on 27 January are for everyone. Genocide grows when it is taught that we should hate those who are different. On HMD it is good to remind people of all ages, that we should work together to create a safer, fairer world where no one faces hatred and discrimination.

Young children can play their part on HMD by colouring these posters and decorating their classrooms with **Untold Stories** of hope. **Talk** with children about the importance of working together and treating everyone kindly.

When the children have coloured the posters **display** the work on classroom walls and in windows or **peg** them onto ribbons strung across the room or hung from the ceiling.

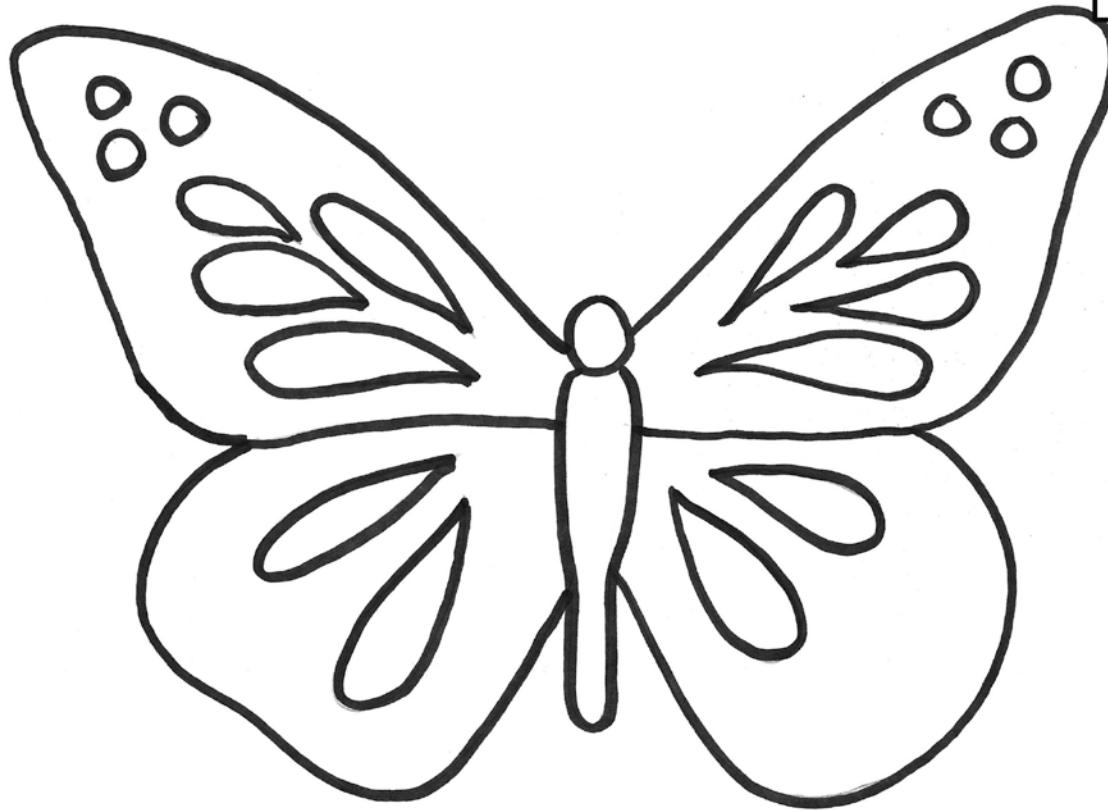
Create your own **Untold Stories** which celebrate the joy of working and playing together.

The pictures were inspired by a famous poem *The Butterfly*
<http://www.hmd.org.uk/resources/poetry/the-butterfly-pavel-friedmann>

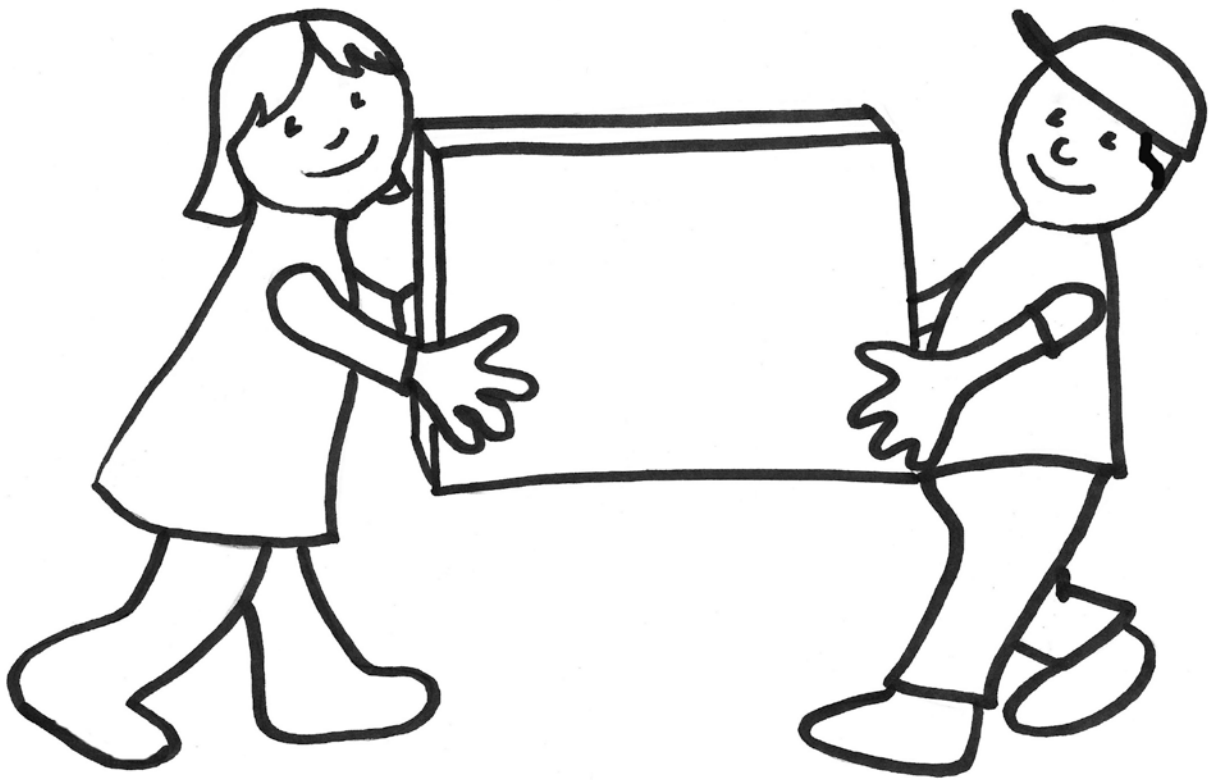
In your posters the butterflies represent freedom and hope.



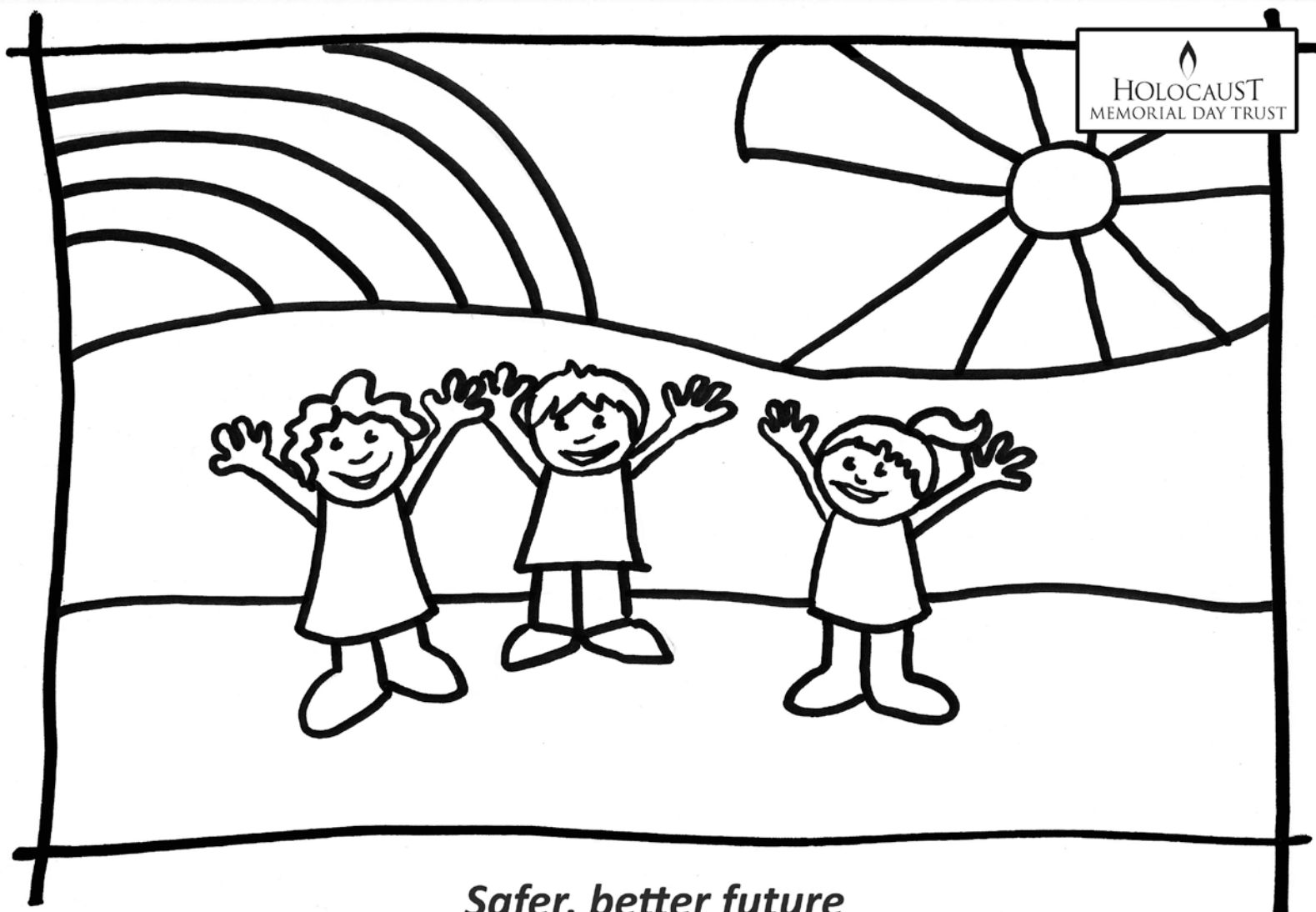
Remember the past



I never saw another butterfly



Work together



Safer, better future