



Clue 1

Shanti, the playground monitor, tasks the group to clean up the mess: 'OK, Eddie...I want you to pick up the bottles. Tal, you're on scattered wrappers. Lottie and Junior - recyclables.'

Do you think Shanti is the mess maker?

Clue 2

Lottie and Eddie walk up to the playground rubbish bin... 'Don't look at us,' they say. 'We didn't do it.'

Do you think Eddie or Lottie are the mess makers?

Clue 3

Lachie questions if the mess around the bin could be more than meets the eye: 'How do we even know it's rubbish? Maybe it's an alien lifeform that wants us to think it's rubbish!'

Do you think Alien life forms are the mess makers?

Clue 4

Shanti asks Decks, 'Where were you this morning?' 'At home making music', Decks replies.

Do you think Decks is the mess maker?

Clue 5

Tal speculates who might be responsible for the mess: 'Maybe some kids from out of town, who think it's okay to throw trash on the ground!'

Do you think kids from out of town are the mess makers?

Clue 6

Eddie seeks help from Orrie, explaining to them, 'We have a magpie problem in the playground.'

Do you think a magpie could be the mess maker?

Clue 7

When the group creates a layer of sand around the bin to pick up the track marks of the mess maker, they find no footprints at all. 'Maybe the culprits don't have feet?' says Lottie.

How might the mess maker reach the bin without making tracks?

Clue 8

Final Hint!
The mess maker owns a pair of glasses.

Who do you think is the mess maker?