



# Needs Vs Wants

## Case Study Activity 1

### Section 1:

### Seán

Seán attends secondary school which is 5km away from his home. He is planning on buying a new bicycle for his daily commute to school. He has researched a couple of options and is deciding between a full suspension mountain bike worth €799 for off track cycling or a Raleigh road bike for everyday efficient cycling worth €390. He enjoys playing computer games and buys a new game each month but his gaming console recently became damaged and needs to be replaced. He goes to the cinema twice a month and enjoys popcorn and icecream as a treat. Seán trains twice a week with his local tennis club. His tennis racket strings are worn and loose and he has to get them repaired before the next match. Seán needs to make a decision on which bicycle to choose as this may affect his ability to enjoy his hobbies.

### Think-Pair-Share

Discuss Seán's needs and wants and fill in the Venn diagram below.

Wants

Both

Needs

