

What would YOU do?

Read the following case study to see what was done incorrectly, and how changes can make the garden a safer place.

Brian washed his hands with soap and water before going out to pick fruits and vegetables. He tied his shoelaces tightly, and went into the garden to pick the produce.

Brian saw some gardening tools outside of the garden, so he decided to use them on some of the produce items as he went around collecting fruits and vegetables. When finished with the tools, Brian set them down in the garden and went back to picking. After picking produce for some time, Brian heard the class puppy, Scrappy, barking at the gate of the garden. Feeling bad for Scrappy, Brian opened the gate to the garden to let Scrappy walk around the garden while he picked the fruits and vegetables.

When Brian finished picking the fruits and vegetables, he left the basket by the entrance to the garden and went inside to wash his hands with soap and water.

1. What did Brian do wrong?

2. What can YOU do to avoid these problems?