## Playmobil



- Playmobil was invented in the 1970s and the first three characters were a construction worker, a knight and a native American. Since then over three billion figures have been sold, with over four hundred different haircuts!
- The toys were designed to get the right balance between rigidity and flexibility, to make them robust enough to play with, but also to encourage children's imaginations.
- Have you got the right balance between being rigid and flexible?
- Are you strong when you need to be, and able to stick to your principles rather than being easily swayed by others?
- Are you open to new ideas and able to change your plans or opinions as appropriate?
- Do you have the wisdom to know when to be firm and when to give? Or friends you trust to give you good advice?

**'We are stubborn on vision. We are flexible on details.'** Jeff Bezos



