



**One day at school, my teacher was telling us how to play a new game, but I was looking at my crayons instead of listening**



**When it was time to play, I didn't know the rules because I wasn't listening carefully**



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**Being a good listener means paying attention to what someone is saying**



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**When I listen, I use my eyes to look at the person who is speaking**



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**I also use my ears to hear their words**



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**I keep my body calm and still so I can focus on what they are saying**



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**If I don't understand, I can wait for a pause and then ask, 'Can you say that again?'**



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**Being a good listener also means waiting for my turn to talk without interrupting**



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**When I listen, I show that I care about what the other person is saying**



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**If I get distracted, I can take a deep breath and focus again on the person speaking**



**Sometimes, it's hard to listen if I feel excited or tired. I can tell myself, 'I will listen first, then I can play or rest**



**When I listen carefully, I can learn new things, follow directions, and join in activities**



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**Being a good listener also helps me understand my friends' feelings and ideas**



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**If I listen and remember what someone says, I can help them feel important**



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**Now, I know that being a good listener helps me learn, have fun, and be a great friend**



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**I will practice using my eyes, ears, and calm body to be a good listener every day**



## Vocabulary

- Listen

A: Paying attention to what someone is saying

B: Talking while others are speaking

- Focus

A: Thinking about lots of different things at once

B: Thinking carefully about one thing

- Interrupt

A: Talking while someone else is speaking

B: Waiting patiently to talk

- Directions

A: A map to get somewhere

B: Instructions that tell you what to do

- Conversation

A: Talking and sharing ideas with someone

B: Sitting quietly without speaking



## Spellings

A: Fokus

B: Focus

A: Teecher

B: Teacher

A: Crayon

B: Kraon

A: Listen

B: Liston

A: Hear

B: Heere

A: Pawse

B: Pause

A: Understand

B: Undarstand

A: Follow

B: Folow



## Comprehension

- What does being a good listener mean?  
A: Paying attention to the person speaking  
B: Talking at the same time as someone else

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- What should you do if you don't understand what someone says?  
A: Wait and ask politely, 'Can you say that again?'  
B: Stop listening and walk away

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- How can you show that you are listening?  
A: Play with a toy while they talk  
B: Look at the person and stay calm

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- Why is it important to wait for your turn to talk?  
A: It helps you finish talking first  
B: It shows you respect the other person

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- What should you do if you get distracted while listening?  
A: Take a deep breath and focus again  
B: Stop paying attention completely



## Open-Ended Questions

- What can you do to show someone that you are listening?

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- How does it feel when someone listens carefully to you?

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- What can you say if you don't understand what someone is telling you?

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- How can you practice being a good listener at school or at home?



## Creative Activity

- **Listening Poster**

Help the child create a poster with tips for being a good listener, like "Use your eyes, ears, and calm body"

- **Story Listening**

Read a short story aloud and ask the child to retell it to practice listening carefully



## Role-Play Activity

- **Scenario 1**

Pretend the child is in class and the teacher is giving instructions. Practice sitting calmly and asking, "Can you say that again?" if needed

- **Scenario 2**

Act out a conversation where the child waits for their turn to speak while a friend is talking

- **Scenario 3**

Pretend the child gets distracted during a story. Practice taking a deep breath and looking back at the person speaking