



One day, I was excited to tell my friend about my favorite game, but they were talking about their weekend. I started talking at the same time, and my friend looked confused



My teacher explained that conversations are like playing a game. Everyone takes turns to speak, just like taking turns when playing



When I take turns in a conversation, I listen carefully when the other person is talking



If I want to say something, I can wait until they finish before I start speaking



When it's my turn, I can share my thoughts or ask a question about what they said



If I'm not sure when it's my turn, I can wait for a pause and then speak



Sometimes, I might feel excited and want to talk right away, but I can remind myself to wait



It's also important to notice when the other person wants to share more and let them continue talking



Taking turns shows that I care about what the other person is saying



If someone interrupts me, I can calmly say, 'Please wait, I'm not finished yet'



If I accidentally interrupt someone, I can say, 'I'm sorry, please continue,' and let them finish



When we take turns, conversations feel fun and fair for everyone



I can practice taking turns at home with my family by talking about my day and asking about theirs



I can also practice with my friends by asking them questions and listening to their answers



When I take turns in conversations, I make others feel respected and included



Now I know that taking turns in conversations helps me make friends and have great talks with everyone!



Vocabulary

- Conversation

A: Talking and sharing ideas with someone

B: Sitting quietly without speaking

- Turn

A: Waiting for your time to speak or do something

B: Talking whenever you want

- Listen

A: Talking over someone

B: Paying attention to what someone is saying

- Interrupt

A: Talking while someone else is speaking

B: Waiting patiently for your turn

- Respect

A: Treating others with care and kindness

B: Ignoring their feelings



Spellings

A: Excited

B: Exciited

A: Confuse

B: Cunfuse

A: Turrn

B: Turn

A: Finish

B: Fineesh

A: Miself

B: Myself

A: Parson

B: Person

A: Interrupt

B: Interupt

A: Kontinue

B: Continue



Comprehension

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- What does it mean to take turns in a conversation?
A: Waiting for the other person to finish talking before speaking
B: Talking whenever you want
- What should you do if you feel excited and want to talk right away?
A: Start talking over them
B: Wait until the other person finishes speaking
- What can you say if someone interrupts you?
A: "Stop talking forever!"
B: "Please wait, I'm not finished yet"
- How can you show you're listening in a conversation?
A: Look at the person, nod, and wait for your turn
B: Look away and talk about something else
- Why is it important to take turns in conversations?
A: It makes conversations fun and fair for everyone
B: It helps you talk more than others



Open-Ended Questions

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- How do you feel when someone listens to you and waits for their turn to talk?
- What can you do if you accidentally interrupt someone?
- Why do you think taking turns makes conversations better?
- How can you practice taking turns with your friends or family?



Creative Activity

- **Turn-Taking Cards**

Create cards with prompts like "Ask a question," "Share a story," or "Say something kind." Take turns drawing cards and practicing speaking one at a time

- **Talking Stick**

Use a small object (like a stick or toy) as a "talking stick." Only the person holding it gets to speak, encouraging everyone to wait for their turn



Role-Play Activity

- **Scenario 1**

Pretend the child is in a group, and everyone is sharing their favorite animal. Practice waiting for their turn and listening to others

- **Scenario 2**

Act out a situation where the child wants to share something exciting. Practice waiting for a pause before speaking

- **Scenario 3**

Pretend a friend interrupts the child. Practice calmly saying, "Please wait, I'm not finished yet"