

Playing Good, Better, Best

1. Explain to the children that you are going to give them some scenarios and possible solutions.
2. Explain that the children will have to choose which solutions are good, better and best.

Scenario 1

You are helping your mom clean up from dinner. A friend calls and asks if you can play.

- a. Ask your mom if you can go play.
- b. Ask your mom if you can go play after you finish cleaning up from dinner.
- c. Tell your mom you are going out to play.
- d. Tell your friend you will call back after you finish cleaning up and after you ask your mom.

Scenario 2

A kid on your soccer team says mean things to everyone on his/her own team.

- a. Tell your coach about it.
- b. Say mean things back to the kid. Then he will know how it feels.
- c. Ask the kid to stop saying mean things to everyone.
- d. Make an extra effort at saying nice things to your teammates. Maybe the mean kid will catch on.

Scenario 3

You notice a classmate picking-on another classmate.

- a. Tell the principal.
- b. Ask the kid to stop picking on people.
- c. Tell the kid who is being picked-on that you will be a friend.
- d. Join the kid who is picking-on people so that you don't get picked-on.

Scenario 4

Older kids on the bus tease younger kids on the bus.

- a. Tell the bus driver
- b. Tell the principal.
- c. Sit far away from the older kids.
- d. Try to think of something to say back to the older kids.