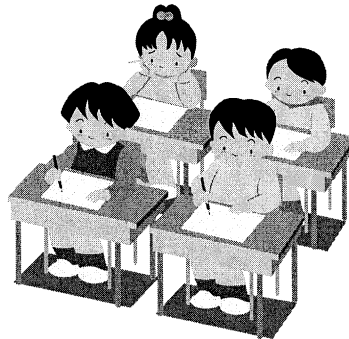


**Belknap-Merrimack Head Start
Cool Tools for Teaching the Big Bs**



School-wide Expectation: Be Kind in Classroom

Location: Classroom

Name of the Skill: Listen To Others

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Purpose of the Lesson/Why It's Important:

Being kind by listening to others makes people feel good. Listening to someone's words helps you get to know the person. Do you feel special when a friend listens to you?

Teaching Examples:

Teacher says, "I want to hear what you have to say, one at a time!"

"Tell me about your ride on the pony or the donkey, Jared."

"Can you tell me what you are playing with your friends?"

"What happens if people don't listen to each others' words?"

Child Activities/Role Plays:

Ask child to ask another to tell him about his pony ride.

Ask another child to ask a friend, "Would you like to play with me?"

Follow-Up/Reinforcement Activities: