



What Kind of Friend Am I?

Overview: In this program, the “Can Do” Kids discover what it takes to be a friend. They realize the importance of helping out a friend who is in need, even when it means making a small sacrifice. The friendship issues the “Can Do” Kids face are similar to issues faced by young children everywhere.

Activity 1: Be a “Can Do” Kid, help Willie be a good friend. Children doing this activity are asked to choose what friends do for each other. It is a good time to discuss what we need to do to be a friend and what to look for in a friend.

Activity 2: This activity asks about making friends. It gives the children using the activity the chance to describe what they like about a close friend. It also explores why some children don’t make friends easily.

Activity 3: Children sometimes hurt one another with unkind words or actions. Sometimes they make up, sometimes they don’t. This activity gives the child(ren) the chance to write and talk about hurt feelings and how it ended a friendship or how a friendship survived hurt feelings.

