

HH-A-0010---Family Guide

Story Topic

Cooperation works better when people listen, share clear roles, and check that the plan is safe and useful.

Child Concern

A child may feel left out, unheard, or overwhelmed in a group task.

Caregiver Encouragement

Slow the group, invite quieter voices, offer flexible roles, and avoid making speaking or leadership mandatory.

Conversation Starters

- What went wrong?
- Whose safety voice was missed?
- What helped Aralynn include others?
- Which jobs mattered?
- How could a plan change if it does not work?

Everyday Examples

Look for opportunities to practice these ideas while:

- carrying books,
- sorting blocks,
- setting up a game,
- or cleaning a shared space.

Optional Extension

Use **three large paper circles** and a simple indoor task to practice planning together.

Encourage children to choose roles, listen to one another, and check whether the plan works before finishing.

Do not use a plank, rope, bucket, or any water-lifting activity.