

Two-by-Two Relay

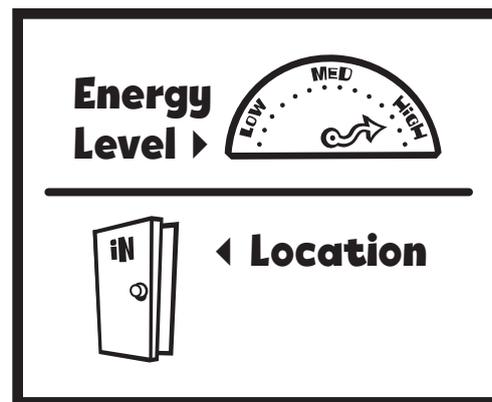
Bible Focus ▶ Genesis 6:9—9:17

Materials

index cards, marker

Lead the Game

1. **Noah showed his love for God by obeying Him and building the ark. We might even say the animals obeyed by getting on board! Let's play a game about the animals getting on board the ark!**
2. **What animals were on the ark with Noah?** Write on separate index cards the name of each animal students suggest. (You might want to prepare cards ahead of time.) Mix up the order of cards and place them in a stack.
3. **Many of the animals that came onto the ark came in pairs.** Ask kids to line up in pairs. (If you have an uneven number of students, form one or more trios.) Each pair of students takes a card and quickly decides an action to imitate the animal named on the card. At your signal, each pair is to link arms and move across the playing area in the manner chosen. When they get to the other side of the playing area, each pair should stand up and make the noise of their animal, then return to the line in the same manner.
4. If you have time, shuffle the cards and play again so each student gets a chance to imitate more than one kind of animal. Students could change partners for each round of the game.



Discussion Questions

1. **What animal would you most like to be? Why?**
2. **What animal did you have the most fun acting like?**
3. **Noah obeyed God by building an ark. What are some ways a kid your age can obey God?** (obey parents, love God, tell the truth)