Small Group

Week 7



Bible Story:

David Is Kind to Saul 1 Samuel 26

Need to Know:

I Can (thumbs to chest)

Do What (walk in place)

I Say! (cup hands around mouth)

Get Their Attention!

WELCOME kids to the chilly willy Arctic! **EXPLAIN** that in the land of ice and snow we will see cool animals, hear amazing stories from the Bible & learn how to love God with our words!

INTRODUCE Peppy Penguin by saying:

This is Peppy Penguin. He loves to play fun games, and he has a game for us today! It's called Peppy Says. Here's how we play:

- If I say "Peppy Says", you do that action. If I don't say "Peppy Says", you do NOT do that action.
- Sometimes I will say "Peppy says 'tell us your name'." If I point to you that means you tell us your cool name.

Spin

If you are ready to play this game, say "Go Peppy!" ("Go Peppy!")

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PLAY Peppy Says with the following actions until all kids have been introduced. **DEMONSTRATE** each action as you say it aloud.

- * Waddle
- # Jump up
- * Slide on ice

Throw a snowball

✤ Slide on ice✤ Shovel Snow

AFTER all kids have been introduced, SAY & DO the following:

You did a great job doing what you said you would do!

It's important to God that we always do what we say we will do. That reminds me of what we Need to Know today. Let's say it together:

I Can (thumbs to chest) Do What (walk in place) I Say! (cup hands around mouth)

Worship & Bible Story

Watch today's preschool video playlist on our YouTube channel:

https://www.youtube.com/channel UC5XgLEk2Z4V1ao8nWEGaLBw

Activity

- 1. **EXPLAIN** to kids that if we do what we say, we do it all the way and we do not stop half way.
- 2. GIVE each child one I Can Do What I Say Paper and PLACE crayons in the center of the group.
- 3. **ASK** questions for each picture from **Don't Stop Now Guide**. Once kids have answered the question, have them use a **crayon** to draw the other half of the picture.
- 4. After all I Can Do What I Say Pictures have been completed, SAY:

Thank you for doing what you said you would do and finishing the pictures!

This week, let's remember (have kids repeat after you):

I Can (thumbs to chest)Do What (walk in place)I Say! (cup hands around mouth)

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Large Group Review:

Use these questions to review what kids learned in Large Group as they color:

- In the Bible Story today, did King Saul want David to be king? (No)
- Did David tell his friends to HURT Saul or NOT hurt Saul? (Not hurt Saul)
- Did David hurt King Saul? (No) That's right! David did what he said he would do, even though it was hard!
- Will God help you do what you say? (Yes)

Wrap It Up

PRAY with your group, having them repeat the following after you in short phrases.

Dear God, please help me to always do what I say I will do. I love You! In Jesus' name I pray, amen!

PRACTICE Remember Verse as kids **color** their **coloring sheet** and/or their I **Can Do What I Say Paper**.

"Keep your tongue (hold tongue)
From evil (two thumbs down)
And your lips (point to lips)
From speaking lies." (two thumbs down)
Psalm 34:13