

Friendship Puppet Program PK-1

Maximum Number of Students: 40 (2 classes)

Program Length: 30 minutes

Program Synopsis

Gina and Frankie are both excited to be at playgroup and to make a new friend, but they aren't sure exactly what to do. Some animal teachers give the puppets some helpful advice about making friends, and they practice some friendship tips.

Key Program Points:

Some ways to make a friend include:

- Say "hello!" or make a friendly gesture
- Ask questions like:
 - o What is your name?
 - o What do you like to play?
 - o What do you like to do?
- Take turns
- Use friendly words, like:
 - Good job!
 - o Thank you!

Resources

Sesame Street:

Video: Friendship

Songs: <u>Friendship Song</u> Compilation

Edutopia:

Article: <u>Teaching Friendship</u> <u>Skills in Preschool</u>

PBS:

Article: <u>Helping your Child</u> <u>Make Friends Again</u>

Have a good resource you'd like to share? Email Karen at: karen.sharpwolf@vtfn.org



