

This booklet is part of a range of publications offered to Parents to support them. Please do not hesitate to talk to a member of staff if you would like further guidance or support.



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Helping children to get on with each other



Loving, learning, growing together with Jesus

1 Notice when it is going well

You two are playing nicely



smart boys could think of a way to sort this one out."

2 Show them ways of sorting things without shouting or hitting.

Ask them to work as a team. Suggest they plan how to share a toy.



3 Say aloud what each child wants but avoid taking sides.

"So Jim, you want the pens to do your homework and Josh, you want to finish your drawing. Hmm I wonder if you two

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Avoid saying things that set children against each other.

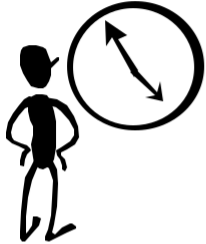


Your sister can always get in on time. Why can't you?



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Instead try



I know you must have a good reason for being late. Come and tell me about it.

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Make every child feel special

I am very proud of how you sorted things out with your brother

