



TALK TO GOD

PRAY WITH THE KIDS &
CLOSE OUT YOUR GO
GROUP

Supplies Needed:

- None

Use this time to **ask for prayer requests** and **thank God for praise reports**. Pray over the needs of the children in your Group. Ask God to help everyone choose to be a PILOT.

Remember to challenge your Group to do their **SOAP** each week. By bringing back their completed SOAP journals, kids are able to earn 1 SOAP stamp as well as 1 Silly Soda per week.

S = Scripture

O = Observation

A = Application

P = Prayer

Families can SOAP together throughout the week by visiting

gokids.mydailysoap.org



PILOT

I will always be ready to serve God	I will give God my best	I will love God and others
I will be open to the ways of God	I will focus on the team	



GO GROUP



PILOT

WEEK #1



PLAY

GO GROUP ICE-BREAKER

Supplies Needed:

- None

“Pilot Say”

Summary: A variation of “Simon Says.” Pick one child who knows this week’s Go Answer to lead the classic game of “Simon Says,” but instead of saying “Simon Says” they need to say “Pilot Says...”



INSPECTION

ACTIVITY TO INSPECT & EMPHASIZE THE GO ANSWER

Supplies Needed:

- 1 blank sheet of paper & 1 pen or pencil for each child

“I’m Prepared”

(Role-Playing Activity)

Preparation: Hand each child 1 blank sheet of paper and 1 pen or pencil.

Instructions: Since we are talking about being prepared today, children will take turns role-playing what it takes to get prepared in various scenarios. Ex: If the child were preparing for their first day of school or going on vacation or visiting the beach, what would they need? Give kids time to think of their own scenario and write out their lists. Afterward lists are complete, have kids share them with the group.

Alternate version for younger groups: Have the kids go around the circle and tell what would be on their list instead of writing it out.



LIFE APPLICATION

APPLY THE GO ANSWER TO KIDS’ DAILY LIVES & OPEN DISCUSSION ON THE TOPIC

Supplies Needed:

- None

- **Connect time:** Go around the circle and have kids tell the group their first name and whether they would like to travel someplace by plane, train, or boat.
- What does PILOT stands for? Prepared. Involved. Loving. Open to God. Team Player.
- Today, we are learning about how to be ready to serve God. What are some ways we can serve God? (Answers will vary: Being kind to others, helping out at church, giving to Kingdom Builders, etc.)
- When God called to Samuel, he answered: “Speak, Lord, your servant is listening.” How can we be prepared to listen when God speaks to us? Read God’s Word, the Bible; pray; keep away from things that will distract us from God; put God first in our life; etc.



OBSERVATION

REVIEW MAIN TEACHING ELEMENTS FROM THE LARGE GROUP LESSON

Supplies Needed:

- None

Review the **Go Answer** and **Go Verse** as a Group. Consider having kids look up the Go Verse in their own Bibles.

Go Answer: I will always be ready to serve God.

Go Verse: “The Lord says, ‘I will guide you along the best pathway for your life. I will advise you and watch over you.’” Psalm 32:8, NLT