

Who Is It?

Materials

- ☐ Optional: scarf or necktie to use as a blindfold

Instructions

Choose a volunteer to step outside the door of the classroom. (If there's a window, remind him/her not to peek.) Next, choose another student to go to the door and call out the name of the student standing outside. Students may disguise their voice or make it easier and use their normal voice. After calling the name three times, he or she should quickly go back and sit down.

Have the student come back into the classroom. Ask, "Who is it?" and have the student guess who was calling to him through the door. Allow three guesses. If he guesses correctly, he may go back out and play again. If not, he will sit down, and the student who did the calling will go outside the door. Repeat the game as time allows.

Optional: instead of leaving the room, have a volunteer put on a blindfold and sit in a chair facing the wall.

Suggested Discussion

When God first called, Samuel thought the voice he heard was Eli's. Finally, Eli understood what was happening and told Samuel what to do. The next time Samuel heard the Lord, he humbly said, "Speak, Lord, for your servant hears."

Samuel wanted to listen to the Lord and be obedient. How about us? Do we want to listen to God's Word and obey? When we ask God, he will help us understand his instructions in his Word so we can be obedient to him.