Beasts of the Field Game

Materials

☐ Masking tape

Instructions

Use masking tape to make a finish line at one end of the room or hall. Stand behind the finish line. Have students line up at the other end of the room. Explain that when you turn away from the students, they should tiptoe toward you (no running). Each time you turn around, they must stop and make the sound of a beast/animal of their choice (e.g., cow, lion, duck, bear, etc.). Continue turning back and forth, having students stop and make animal sounds each time until they reach the finish line. If a student forgets to stop or to make an animal sound, he must start over. Allow the first student who crosses the line to take your place turning back and forth and play again as time allows.

Suggested Discussion

We played this animal game to remind us of how God showed King Nebuchadnezzar who was in control over everything and everyone. God punished Nebuchadnezzar for his sinful pride by causing him to become like an animal. He wasn't such a great king anymore living in the fields and eating grass. But when he could think again, he finally understood that God is greater than everyone, even the greatest king.