



## **Open with Play Time**

Welcome each Kid-O into the room as they arrive. Help them find a toy or game to encourage engagement during play time.

### **\_\_:20 Music & Worship: Pick a song**

Have Kid-Os use scarves, ribbons, or instruments as you lead them in singing. Encourage the Kid-Os to use their hands, feet, and voices as they worship God!

### **\_\_:25 Group Time**

Follow the Group Time Guide on the next page.

### **\_\_:35 Coloring**

Hand out the Bible story coloring sheets and coloring utensils. Encourage the Kid-Os to color a picture to take home!

## **End with Play Time**

Allow the Kid-Os to play or color until they are picked up. Before each Kid-O leaves, match their name tag to the grown-up's security tag.



# Group Time Guide

Supplies Needed: None

## 1. Circle Up

**Circle Up:** Have all Kid-Os sit in one section of the room for story time.

## 2. Bible Story: Come Follow Me – Matthew 4

**Do This:** Read through the Bible Story at least one time. If Kid-Os are engaged, feel free to read it a second time.

## 3. Hands-On Option: Follow the Leader

**Say This:** We are going to practice following a leader. When I act like an animal, do what I do!

**Do This:** Stand in front of the kids, call out an animal, and act like that animal as a group. Examples: Duck, Horse, Monkey, Bird, Dog, Elephant, Lion, etc.

**The Point:** Following Jesus means we are making Jesus the leader in our life. Anyone can choose to follow Jesus!

## 4. Prayer

**Do This:** Pray! “Dear God, we love you. Thank you for loving us. Help us to follow you. Amen.”