

Through the Door

Materials

- Several pieces of construction paper or cardstock
- Masking tape
- Optional: play outside using sidewalk chalk instead of paper

Instructions

Use the papers to form a pathway on the floor around the room that leads to the door or two chairs with a space to walk between them. Place each piece of paper, like stepping stones, about a foot apart (far enough so that students will need to hop or take big steps). Secure each piece with masking tape.

Explain to the students that they have to move along the path and go through the door at the end. They must stay on the papers and not let their feet touch the floor. If they do touch the floor, they can go back to the line and try again.

Allow students to begin following each other one at a time, leaving a few spaces between them.

Outdoor option: If you're playing outdoors, use sidewalk chalk to draw circles about a foot apart for a path that leads to a door or gate, or place two chairs at the end of the path for students to walk between like a door.

Suggested Discussion

Noah and his family would be kept safe in the Ark from the catastrophe God was going to bring as a punishment for sin.

- ?** But what would Noah have to do to be safe? Could he just stand outside of the Ark? *No. He had to go into the Ark.*
- ?** How would Noah get in? *Go through the door.*

Right. Noah and his family had to go through the door of the Ark to get inside where they would be safe.

This reminds us of Jesus. He said that He is like a door, and anyone that enters by Him will be saved. That means that we can be saved from the punishment of sin by believing in Jesus and putting our trust in Him.