

Role Playing Lesson

What would James or Z'Nia (or another character) do? Develop role play scenarios using the sentences written for the Attitude Shift activity (see samples below). Have small groups act them out to show what James or Z'Nia would do in a given situation. You could expand on this by including secondary characters' reactions to situations as well.

Sample role play scenario: Z'Nia is on her way to the hollow. Something tells her she must get there before midday (see chapter 7). However, she is only halfway there when she comes upon an injured rabbit. Healing it will take awhile and use up much of her energy. She might not get to the hollow today. What would she do? (Don't forget to include Z'Nia's mother in the role play as the voice of her daughter's conscience.)

Sample role play scenario using a secondary character: Barry sees James and Matt sneak out of the circus tent during the show. What would he do?