# Friends zone: A Christian online interactive platform for children (of the children – by the children – for the children)

All Tuesdays 4:30 - 5:30

Guidelines for the Host (or the person helping the host in planning the meeting)

(not to be considered as a strict rule – it's just a guiding outline)

### I. Welcome and introduction (maximum 7 minutes)

- a. The host can make some introductory remarks of welcome like, "Hi guys, welcome to weekly friendszone kids meeting!! Hope you all had a good week!!"
- b. It will be an additional advantage to call members by name and ask them constructive personal questions like "Hey AJ, how was your week?, Were you able to go out to play" Hello Beth, how was your week did you sisters go out to play?
- c. Host can conduct a brief icebreaker activity for all the members, just to gain the attention of the participants!
- d. If you know of any personal achievement of any participant, please highlight and ask all to applaud

### II. Sharing time for one or two members (Maximum 3 Minutes)

a. The host (with the help of a senior) can pre-plan to assign one of the children to share a personal life story. Like Henrick, Tony, Naya can write and read a personal life experience.

## III. <u>Video on Biblical values followed by a discussion</u> (15 + 10 Minutes)

- a. Plan to show a video
- b. Prepare few open-ended questions for discussions
- c. Describe your question and encourage people to talk.

### IV. **Quiz** (20 Minutes)

- a. Quiz will be managed by one of the parents
- b. Can be Bible alone or can be fragmented into three parts (Bible, Science and history)

- V. **Prayer:** (5 Minutes)
  - a. Ask for prayer requests
  - b. It will also be good if host plans in advance for one or two prayer requests

#### **Additional Notes:**

- 1. The about items are not all fixed, we can definitely make changes as and when ideas pop up. Lephen and Lydia will guide and help the host (and co-host) in planning and preparation
- 2. Sharing your experiences can help others to grow and listening from others can help us grow!!
- 3. Though we are not striving for perfection, try to give you 100%. We learn by making mistakes. This is a family!!!!
- 4. Though there is a formal outline for the meeting, please understand this is not a formal meeting. Make it as interactive as possible!!! MAKE YOUR FRIENDS TALK
- 5. Try to make a PowerPoint presentation!! But not very essential. The most important thing is **MAKING OTHERS TALK**
- 6. All our children have rich potential. This is a platform for you to bloom.