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Learning Target:

Students will explain how citizens can make a difference with changes



# Hello!

## Background:

This is a review lesson from the beginning of 2nd grade.

- X Rules and laws
- × Community
- × Rights and responsibilities

#### Let's Get Started!

- **x** Warm up Activities:
  - Watch the Video
    - **Rights and Responsibilities**
  - Brainstorm a list of ways you can help





#### Practice #1

Listen to the book <u>Hey, Little Ant</u>. When you are finished, answer the following questions.

 How would you finish the story...should the ants get squished? Why or why not?
Why would it matter if the ants get squished?



#### Practice #2

**REMEMBER!** 

A citizen is

anyone who

belongs to a community!

Listen to the book <u>What Can a Citizen Do?</u> Think about what you have listened to and answer these questions.

1. What do you notice about all of the characters in the book? Do they all look the same, or are they different?

 What are some things the characters in the book did that would make them a good citizen?
What can you do that a character in the book did?





#### Practice #3

Look at the pictures of the people. Think about what you have a learned about making a difference as a citizen of a community. Which pictures show people making a difference? How? Which pictures show people not making a difference? How?



## Practice on Your Own:

Click the picture to take you to the activity.

- 1. Think about the words.
- 2. Decide what column it would belong.
- 3. Drag the words into the correct column.
- 4. Check your answers on the second slide of the activity.

#### Drag the words into the correct column.

Not Making a Difference
Planting a tree Breaking things
Being a bully

## Practice on Your Own:

# Click the picture to open the printable.





Make a list of things you can do to be a responsible citizen. Check off the items you are able to complete.



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### Self Check:

Go think of ways you can make a difference. Tell someone in your house a change you can make and how it will be helpful.

Was this lesson...?
Easy
Just right
Hard

2. See if there is someone in your house that you could help and help them.