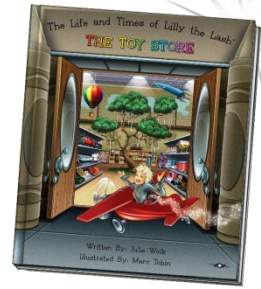


# The Toy Store

## Lesson #3



**Age:**

1<sup>st</sup> Grade

**Objective:**

- Students will understand the power of language by using words to shape ideas, feelings, and actions.

**Materials:**

The Toy Store by Julie Woik

Chairs for the number of students playing.

Print out the form that correlates with this lesson.

Cut out and tape one picture to the back/front of each chair.

Optional - Send home letter to parents regarding this lesson.

See attached *Letter for Parents*

**Activity:**

Gather the children in a circle and read *The Toy Store*, showing everyone the illustrations. After the reading, place the chairs in a circle to play musical chairs – except in this game, everyone gets to sit down. Instruct the children to move around the circle until the music stops, and then take a seat. The teacher picks a child who will then remove the picture from the back of their chair. They will proceed to tell the rest of the class what is on their paper, what letter it starts with, and something about that item. They can tell a fact, describe what it is used for, or express how they feel about that specific item.

**Assessment:**

Students will use language to describe objects both in fact and personal perspective.