**Winning and Losing**

Going to this program will be fun!

It is great to be with old friends and make new friends.

Sometimes we will play games.

Games are fun.

 

 

When I play games, there are rules.

Rules make games safe and fair.

I need to follow the rules, and ask questions if I don’t understand.

When we play, everyone gets a turn.

It doesn’t matter if I win or lose; it is just fun to play.

It is important to be a good sport.

Being a good sport means being happy whether I win or lose.

Sometimes I win games, and sometimes other people win.



Sometimes I lose, and losing doesn’t feel too good.

It’s OK to lose.

If I feel sad or frustrated, I need to take a deep breath and stay calm.

I will think to myself,

“Oh well, it’s OK!

It’s only a game.

There will be other games.”

 

After the game, I will give my friends a high-five and say “good job”.

My friends will want to play again with me because I was a good sport.

Being a good sport will make my friends happy, and it makes playing games more fun.

 