

Activity Sheet - 4D: STUCK IN THE MIDDLE

Name _____ Date _____

Directions: Read each part of the scenario, then answer the questions.

Background: *Lea, Megan, and Tamia live in the same neighborhood and have been friends since they met on the first day of kindergarten. They are always together.*

Part 1 (Monday morning):

Tamia and Megan were hanging out before the morning bell. When Lea arrived at school, she noticed they were playing a game on the playground. When she walked over to join, the girls ignored her. When Lea asked about the game, Tamia said, “We played it this weekend at my house when we had a sleepover.” Lea had not been included in the sleepover.

1. How did Lea feel? _____

Part 2 (Monday morning during the snack break in class)

Lea had some homemade cookies and invited Megan to share. Tamia wanted a cookie, so she moved closer and asked for one. Lea snubbed her, said, “no,” and continued making recess plans with Megan, just the two of them. Megan senses something is going on between Lea and Tamia, but she doesn’t know what or why. Megan is stuck in the middle.

2. How did Megan feel? _____

Part 3 (Monday lunch recess)

Megan and Lea were on the playground, deciding what to do. Lea suggested they play tag, just the two of them. Megan asked if they should invite Tamia to play. Lea said, “No, just us. Tamia’s getting on my nerves lately.”

3. What should Megan say or do? _____

A large rectangular area with rounded corners, outlined in purple, containing 25 horizontal black lines for writing.