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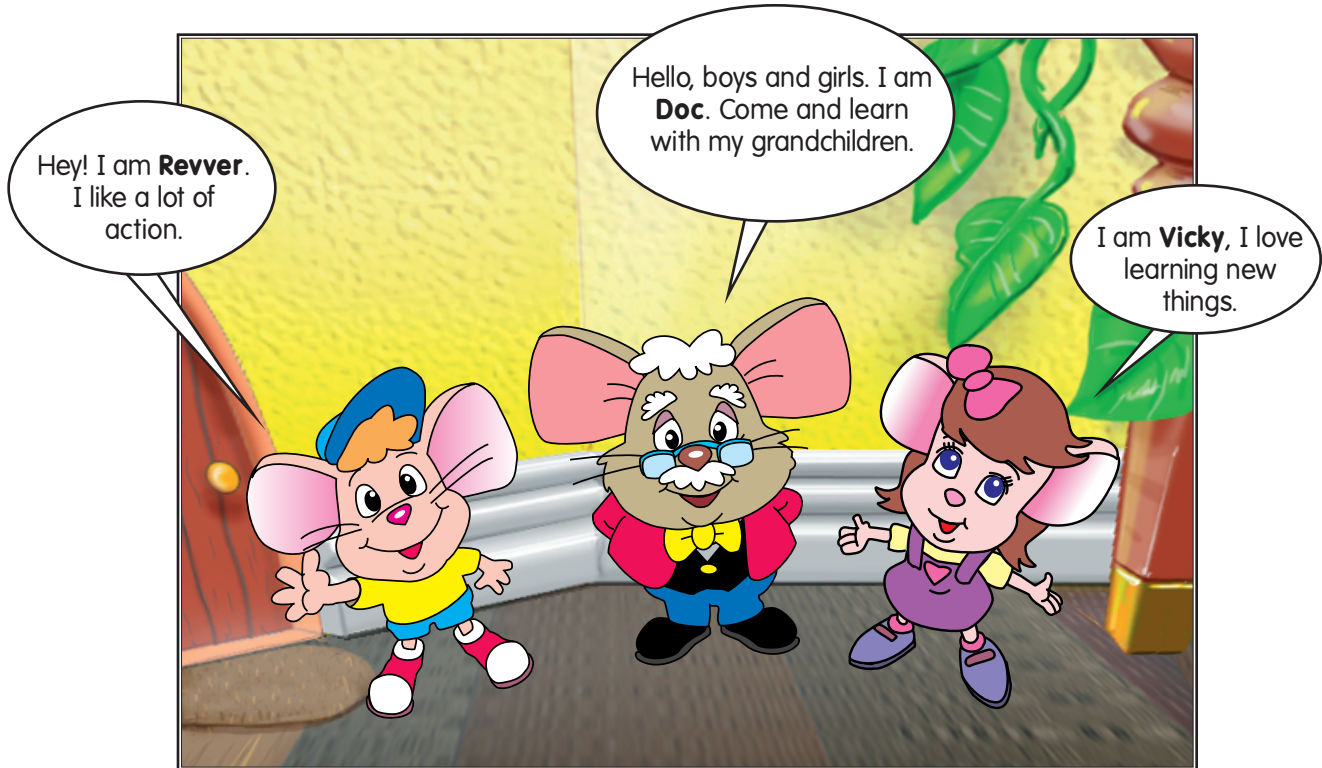
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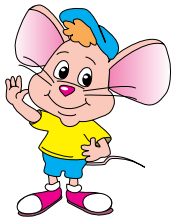
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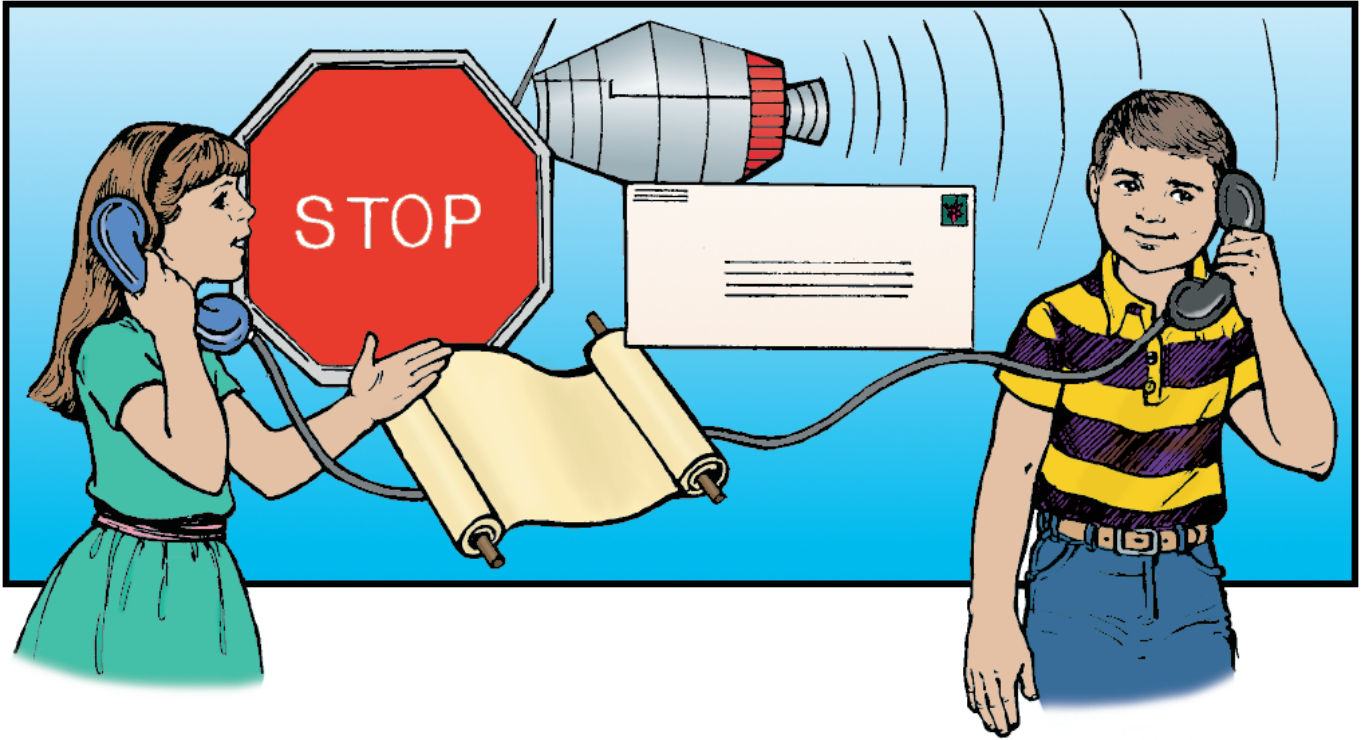
When you see me, I will help your teacher explain the exciting things you are expected to do.



When you do actions with me, you will learn how to write, draw, match words, read, and much more.



You and I will learn about matching words, listening, drawing, and other fun things in your lessons.



MESSAGES FROM NEAR AND FAR

Communication is the way in which people talk to one another. You can communicate in many ways. In this LIFEPAK® you will learn about communication in Bible times. You will learn how communication has gotten bigger and faster today. You will also find out why everyone needs communication. Best of all, you will learn more about communication with God, your heavenly Father.



Read these objectives. They tell you what you will be able to do when you have finished this LIFE PAC.

1. You will be able to tell how people communicated in Bible times.
2. You will be able to tell many ways to communicate today.
3. You will be able to talk about why communication is important to everyone.
4. You will be able to tell how to communicate without making a sound.



camera (cam er a). A machine used to take pictures.

communication (com mun i ca tion). The way people talk to each other.

computer (com pu ter). A machine that can do mathematics and other things quickly.

crowds. A lot of people.

diary (di a ry). A daily record of events.

expression (ex pres sion). A look on a face showing the feelings of the person.

important (im por tant). Something that means a lot.

message (mes sage). Communication by writing or talking.

mime. Using only movements to show a story.

newspaper (news pa per). A paper you can buy that tells you what is happening in the world.

papyrus (pa py rus). A writing material, like paper, made from plants.

parchment (parch ment). Skin of sheep or goat used for writing.

printing press (print ing press). Machine for making a lot of copies of written things.

problem (prob lem). Something wrong that needs to be fixed.

satellite (sat el lite). A machine that circles the earth and helps send messages and signals.

scribe. A person whose job is writing for other people.

scroll. Papyrus or parchment rolled on two sticks for writing a message.

signal (sig nal). To communicate by sound or action.

tablets (ta b lets). Flat pieces of stone used for writing .

telegraph (tel e graph). A way to send a message over wires.

telephone (tel e phone). A way to talk to someone far away.

television (tel e vi sion). An invention that sends pictures and sound through the air.

translator (trans la tor). A person who can help two people with different languages to understand each other.



These words will appear in **boldface** (darker print) the first time they are used.

I. COMMUNICATION IN BIBLE TIMES

In Bible times people **communicated** mostly by talking to each other. Some things were put in writing but many of the people living then could not read or write. The people could understand each other through pictures or hand and face **messages**, too. A nod of the head or a hand wave would have been as good as many words, just as they are now.

Ask your teacher to say these words with you.

WORDS TO STUDY

communication	(com mu ni ca tion)	The way that people talk to each other.
message	(mes sage)	Communication by writing or talking.
papyrus	(pa py rus)	A writing material, like paper, made from plants.
parchment	(parch ment)	Skin of sheep or goat used for writing.
scribe		A person whose job is writing for other people.
scroll		Papyrus or parchment rolled on two sticks for writing a message.
tablets	(tab lets)	Flat pieces of stone used for writing.