

SCENE 1: Mom is doing the dishes, and her child is putting the toys away.

Mom: Does not look at her child and says, "I like how you are cleaning up your toys."

Child: Doesn't look up or seem to hear.

SCENE 2: Grandparent is watching TV, and grandchildren are playing together nicely.

Grandparent: Stops watching TV and looks at the children and says, "Good job!"

Children: Look confused and continue playing.

SCENE 3: Dad and child are doing dishes together.

Dad: Looks at his child and says, "Thanks for doing such a good job with the dishes and not rushing through like you usually do."

Child: Smiles at first, but then looks down.

SCENE 4: Mom and child are playing together with blocks.

Mom: "You are so good at building fences for the cows and horses!"

Child: Smiles and hands their mother a horse

Mom: (with enthusiasm) "Wow! Thank you for sharing your horse with me. I like playing with you."

Child: Smiles and makes an animal noise in a quiet voice

Mom: "Thank you for using a quiet voice while your sister takes a nap."
She hugs her child.

SCENE 5: Mom gets home from work. Dad and daughter are setting the table for dinner.

Dad to Mom: "Ally is such a good helper! She set half of the table all by herself and was playing nicely with Madison, so I could finish cooking dinner."

Ally: Smiles a big smile.

Mom: Gives Ally a hug and says, "I am so proud of you! I bet you are proud of yourself for setting the table and helping Dad."