Taking Your Turn

1. **Sit or stand** in your Listening Position.

2. **Tell yourself**, “I will wait my turn.”

3. **Listen** to or **watch** what is happening.

4. **Wait** for the last person to finish and look at you.

5. **Take your turn.**

Teacher Prompts

2. “Whisper this inside your head.”

3. “Take deep breaths and relax if you need to.”

4. “Or wait until the teacher looks at you and gives you a signal.”

5. “Do or say what you need to.”
Lyrics of “Taking Your Turn” from Core Knowledge Social Skills CD:

OK, are you ready,
Hanna, Kate, and Eddie?
It’s time that we learn about
Taking our turn!

Number 1, it seems that it is my mission
To sit or stand in Listening Position.
(clap, clap)

Number 2 is the step where I learn
To tell myself, “I will wait my turn.”
(clap, clap)

Number 3, I can listen and look around,
Watching what is going down.
(clap, clap)

Number 4, I wait until it’s clear
That the last person’s finished and my
  turn is here!
(clap, clap)