Build on others’ talk in conversations by linking their comments to the remarks of others.

**Ball Toss Activity**

*Note to teacher: You will need a small ball or soft toy that students can toss to each other.*

**Teacher:** We are going to discuss school safety. While we talk about this, only the person holding the ball (or soft toy) can speak. If you want a turn to speak or ask a question, raise your hand and the person with the ball will toss it to you.

Everyone needs to take at least one turn with the ball.

**Topics for discussion:**

Safety during an emergency  
School rules and procedures