# **Objective**

By the end of this lesson, Tempest will be able to identify and name the main characters from the show "Friends," understand the concept of friendship, and express what makes a good friend through fun activities and discussion.

## **Materials and Prep**

- No special materials are needed for this lesson.
- Be familiar with the main characters of "Friends": Ross, Rachel, Monica, Chandler, Joey, and Phoebe.
- Prepare to engage in fun discussions about friendship and what it means to be a good friend.

### **Activities**

#### • Character Dress Up:

Tempest can choose her favorite character from "Friends" and pretend to dress up like them using clothes or accessories from around the house. This encourages creativity and role-play.

### • Friendship Circle:

Gather in a circle and take turns sharing what makes each of the "Friends" characters special. Tempest can also share what she likes about her friends.

### • Friendship Art:

Using crayons or markers, Tempest can draw a picture of her favorite "Friends" character and then draw a picture of her friends, explaining how they are similar.

#### • Story Time:

Read a simple story about friendship, and then discuss how the characters in the story are like the "Friends" characters. This can help her make connections between the stories.

# **Talking Points**

- "Can you tell me who your favorite character from 'Friends' is?"
- "What do you think makes a good friend? Is it sharing toys, playing together, or being nice?"
- "Do you remember a time when you did something nice for a friend? That's just like how the 'Friends' help each other!"
- "Let's think about how we can be good friends, just like Ross and Rachel!"