

Objective

By the end of this lesson, the student will be able to understand the roles and responsibilities of different community helpers.

Materials and Prep

- Paper
- Crayons or markers
- Scissors
- Tape or glue
- Printed pictures or magazines with images of community helpers

Before the lesson, gather the materials and print or cut out pictures of community helpers.

Activities

- **Create a Community Helper Collage:** Have the student cut out pictures of community helpers from magazines or use printed pictures. Help them glue or tape the pictures onto a piece of paper to create a collage.
- **Role Play:** Encourage the student to dress up as different community helpers using items they have at home, such as hats, aprons, or tools. Let them pretend to be a firefighter, police officer, doctor, or any other community helper they are interested in.
- **Draw and Color:** Ask the student to draw and color their favorite community helper. They can use crayons or markers to make their drawing vibrant and colorful.

Talking Points

- "Community helpers are people who work in our community to keep us safe, healthy, and happy."
- "Some examples of community helpers are firefighters, police officers, doctors, nurses, teachers, and mail carriers."
- "Firefighters help put out fires and rescue people from dangerous situations. They wear special gear to protect themselves."
- "Police officers help keep our community safe. They enforce laws and help people when they are in trouble."
- "Doctors and nurses take care of us when we are sick. They help us feel better and give us medicine to make us healthy again."
- "Teachers help us learn new things. They teach us how to read, write, and do math. They are our guides in school."
- "Mail carriers deliver our letters and packages. They bring us our mail every day."
- "Can you think of any other community helpers? What do they do to help our community?"