



Let's Solve It

Let children help you solve a problem like organizing a messy corner of the classroom or finding a missing item. Encourage children to use the problem-solving steps (listed below) and acknowledge their effort as they work to solve the problem.

Problem-Solving Steps:

1. What is the problem?
2. What is our plan?
3. Let's solve it!
4. Looking back, how did it go?

Acknowledge Effort

“(Child) knew we were looking for the lost book and followed their plan to search under the cabinet!”

“That corner was a mess! But you came up with a plan to clean it.”