

Stop - Think - Go Do

The stoplight is a simplified approach to decision-making that gives kids a chance to think wisely before they act. You can teach the Stop-Think-Go Do Model by comparing it to a stop light. When they need to make a decision the first step is to stop. Next, consider your options, their chance of success and their consequences in the Think stage. The Green Light is executing the wisest choice. What happens if you make a decision and it turns out to be the wrong one? Then start at the beginning by stopping and looking at the choices again. How does the experience of the first decision affect this decision? How do other similar past experiences affect this decision?

