Music

Song Recommendation 1: "David's Heart"

Paraphrased Lyrics:
- Verse 1: "God has a plan, He's in control, guiding David with His mighty soul."
- Chorus: "Like David, we can trust in God's way, with faith and love every day."
- Verse 2: "Sometimes we don't understand, but God holds us in His hand."

Suggested Actions:
- For "God has a plan," students can point upward.
- For "guiding David," students can pretend to hold a guiding rod.
- During the chorus, students can hold hands to symbolize unity and trust.

Connection to Lesson:
This song helps reinforce the idea that even in uncertain times, like the changes in leadership in 2 Samuel 3, we can trust in God's overarching plan and guidance, just as David did.

Song Recommendation 2: "Learning from Leaders"

Paraphrased Lyrics:
- Verse 1: "Lead us like David, help us to see, the strength in patience, oh Lord, set us free."
- Chorus: "With a brave heart and wisdom to share, guide us, Lord, in every prayer."
- Verse 2: "Through trials and peace, we learn and grow, in God’s love, our courage will show."

Suggested Actions:
- For "help us to see," students can place their hands above eyes like binoculars.
- During "guide us, Lord," students can make a heart shape with their hands.
- During "we learn and grow," students can plant imaginary seeds on the ground.

Connection to Lesson:
This song emphasizes learning from positive examples of leadership and courage, as demonstrated by David, teaching students to grow in wisdom and patience.

Worship Activity: Bible Character Charades

Description:
Have the students act out key characters and scenes from 2 Samuel 3. Create cards with simple descriptions like "David showing kindness" or "Joab's role." Students take turns drawing a card and acting it out while others guess.

Connection to Lesson:
By embodying the characters, students deepen their understanding of the story dynamics and character traits, focusing on themes like leadership, patience, and God's guidance.