SEPTEMBER

RESPONSIBILITY LESSON

Let's Work Together

With this fun activity, students learn how to work with others and take responsibility for their part of a finished product. Organize my students into a small¬group assembly line. Then challenge them to make a product using materials provided. Ideas include Styrofoam balls, pipe cleaners, empty boxes or cartons. You can either give all the students that same product assignment or let them create their own product. One favorite product is a robot. Each student has the responsibility of adding a particular part of the robot. Once groups have created their products, a designated, impartial student inspector determines if the groups' products pass muster. Discuss how being responsible for their specific part of the robot affecting the outcome of the group's end result.