

**The 7 Habits of Happy Kids**  
**Habit 1: Be Proactive "You're in Charge"**  
**Bored! Bored! Bored!**

**Characters:**

Sammy Squirrel  
Mops  
Pokey  
Lily  
Oink  
Jumper  
Aunt Granny

**Props:**

Chair  
Paper and crayons  
Magnifying glass  
Basketball  
Rocking chair  
Ice tea glass  
Radio  
Toys

**Sammy Squirrel is standing with its mom.**

**Sammy:** Mom, I'm bored. There's nothing to do.

**Mom:** How about all those gadgets you collect? Broken toys, radios, cell phones. You have to mess around with them.

**Sammy:** But I don't feel like it today. Maybe Sophie can think of a fun thing for me to do.

**Sammy knocks on Sophie's door. There is no answer.**

**Mom:** Sophie has gone to the library. She's probably be bringing back more books to read.

**Sammy:** At least she's not bored.

**Mom:** Well you don't have to be bored either. Why don't you go see if Pokey can play?

**Pokey enters left and sits down in chair. Mom exits right. Sammy walks left to Pokey lounging in a chair.**

**Sammy:** Hey Pokey. What are you doing?

**Pokey:** What does it look like? I'm lounging in my chair. Relaxing!

**Sammy:** I'm bored. Can you think of something fun for me to do?

**Pokey:** Sure can! Try lying in my hammock. It's great!

**Sammy:** Ugh! That sounds even more boring!