

The Stay at Home Haircut
For 2 kids aged 8-11

Video script/workbook for FaceTime or Zoom or other platform

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TWO KIDS ARE TALKING TO EACH OTHER OVER A MEDIA PLATFORM.
ONE BOX IS EMPTY BECAUSE THE KID IS HIDING OUT OF CAMERA RANGE
FROM BELOW. NO HAIR CUTTING ALLOWED! JACKIE CAN JUST WHACK
OUT THEIR HAIR LIKE “CRAZY HAIR DAY” AT SCHOOL.

SAM

(RING) Hello? Hey, Jackie, where are you? I can't see you!

JACKIE

I'm here.

SAM

I can't see you.

JACKIE

I don't want you to.

SAM

Why not?

JACKIE

Uh, I have a little bit of a hair situation.

SAM

What did you DO?!!!

JACKIE

I didn't do it- my sister did.

SAM

Who? Riley? She's five! Did she cut it? Let me see!

JACKIE

NO!!!

SAM

It can't be that bad! Come on!

JACKIE

Okay.

(JACKIE slowly rises into camera range.
JACKIE'S hair is crazy looking.)

SAM

OH. MY. GOSH.

JACKIE

It's hideous. I'm so glad I don't have to go to school. My Mom's going to freak out when she sees it.

SAM

Why, WHY did you let her?

JACKIE

I was bored.

SAM

Wait! I think it's kind of cool. Turn. (JACKIE turns to the side) Turn again. (JACKIE turns to the back) Wow. Turn again. (JACKIE shows other side.) WOW. I like it.

JACKIE

You do? I don't think Mom will.

SAM

Yeah, but if she grounds you, who cares? We have to stay at home anyway.

JACKIE

True.

SAM

Oh, that is FUNNY! (THEY both start to crack up and chat until they hear a voice)

VOICE OF MOM/DAD

(heard from off screen)

WHO MADE THIS MESS? Who's hair is this? Riley? Jackie? What is this goo?

JACKIE
I gotta go.

SAM
Call me back! Tell me what happens!

JACKIE
If I'm still alive. Bye.

(BLACKOUT, THEN RING!)

JACKIE
Hi! I'm back!

SAM
What happened?

JACKIE
I just told her what happened.

SAM
What she do? Did she take your games way?

JACKIE
No.

SAM
Did she yell at you?

JACKIE
No.

SAM
Did she send you to bed without supper?

JACKIE
No! Who does that?

SAM
They used to do it in olden times. So- what did she do?

JACKIE
She laughed.

SAM

She DID?

JACKIE

She laughed so hard, I had to get her a glass of water.

SAM

That's awesome!

JACKIE

She laughed until she started crying. Then she fell on the couch. Then she rolled back and forth.

SAM

Gosh.

JACKIE

Then she started laughing and crying at the same time.

SAM

Gee.

JACKIE

That was about it. I think she's kind of tired.

SAM

I wonder what MY Mom would do.

JACKIE

There's only one way to find out!

SAM

Hey, let me call you back. I've got some ideas. Bye-

JACKIE

Hey, wait! Call me back when you do it. I want to see.

SAM

Okay! Bye!

