The Humor and Repair Check

A laugh must not cost someone their dignity.

Intent matters, and so do the actual words, the person affected and the next responsible choice.

Example: a joke targets a teammate's forgotten instruction. The adult stops repetition and arranges a suitable acknowledgement.

01 Name the remark

Do not collect unnecessary private details.

Words or subject to address

What happened before the joke

Person affected

Intent the child explains

02 Teach the boundary

Identify the concrete line crossed.

Private detail not ours to share

How the person became a target

Adult's clear speech boundary

Suitable different subject or silence

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03 Arrange the repair

Adults handle the appropriate route.

Responsible adult to involve

Acknowledgement to prepare

Correction where words spread

Affected person's space to respect

04 Practice the next choice

Review actual conduct without a show.

Similar moment to prepare for

Words to interrupt the impulse

Adult joke habit to change

Later choice actually observed