

# Hypocri-scenes

It is easy for us to expect others to follow certain rules, yet we break those very rules ourselves. Below are a few role-playing suggestions that illustrate that. Choose one of these scenes and prepare to act it out with a partner.

## Politics as Usual

Pat complains to a friend about politics and politicians. Pat's friend asks why Pat does not actively support candidates or even vote.

## Supply Chains

While shopping together, Bobbie's child steals a candy bar without getting caught. At home, Bobbie discovers the theft and is angry. Bobbie's child points to various office supplies around the house that Bobbie has brought home from work.

## Have You Heard

Frances tells Corey that a mutual friend seems to be a hopeless gossip. Frances goes on to tell Corey the latest stories their friend has spread. Corey points out the contradiction between complaining about gossip and spreading it further!

## Too Honest

Kelly has always told Mason that people should be honest with one another. But when Mason begins describing a fault of Kelly's, the feedback is not received well.

## Above the Rules

Jamie admired Carson for being a rule follower. But at the movies, Carson notices that Jamie sneaks in a bag of snacks, knowing that no outside food is permitted. Jamie offers Carson some of the snack, and Carson responds.