



Defend the Skittle

An easy game to set up which can keep your young people entertained for ages. A great alternative to football if you don't have a large space.

How?

This game is best suited for around 4 - 8 people at a time. However if you are playing in a large area then you may be able to fit more players into the game.



Equipment:

- One skittle per player (2L plastic bottle will also work)
- Football (sponge football would be ideal for smaller spaces)

Each player will start around the edge of the room with a skittle behind them (the skittle should be a couple of meters away from the wall). The game starts when the ball is thrown into the middle of the room.

Details:

Age - Juniors / Company

Time - 10 - 15 Minutes

Difficulty - 1/5



Each player must aim to defend their skittle whilst trying to knock over other skittles by kicking the football into them. Once a skittle has been knocked over, that player exits the game and the remaining players carry on until there is one skittle standing.



Players can use any area of the room when attacking / defending but can only use their feet throughout the whole of the game.

Taking it a step further:

- Play the game in pairs. With two players per skittle working together, this should make the game even more challenging.
- All change - When the leader shouts 'all change' all players have the change the pin they are defending. Set the rule to be you have to defend the next pin in a clockwise rotation.

