

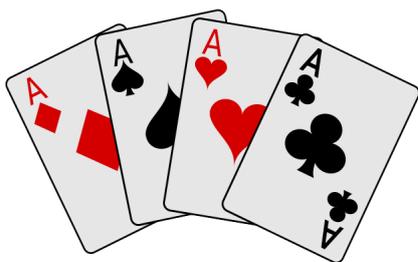


Treasure Hunt - Cards

A fun and simple game which requires just a pack of playing cards. This game is not only fun to play, but can also be used to teach about the different suits of playing cards, or linked to 'The Lost Sheep'.

How?

Before you play, hide all of the cards around the room(s). Make sure each card is face down so you can't see which card it is.



Split your young people into four teams and then allocate them each a suit (hearts, diamonds, spades, clubs). It may be worth giving them one of the cards so they know what they are looking for.

Start the game. Only allow one person from each team to look for a card at a time. They will need to go around the room(s) looking for their cards. Once they have found one from their suit, they can go back to their team and send the next person. The aim is to be the first team with all 13 cards from their suit.



It may be worth sending a leader around with each team to help and to make sure no-one is cheating /being cheeky and hiding other team's cards!

Taking it a step further:

- If you are playing with older Juniors then try hiding the cards in harder places to find.
- Make it harder by collecting the cards in order.
- You can link this game to the parable of the lost sheep. Each card / sheep is important and the shepherd wouldn't rest until he had found them all. Just like your young people won't rest until they found all their cards.

Equipment:

- Playing Cards
- Blue tac (optional)

Details:

Age - Anchors / Juniors

Time - 10 - 15 Minutes

Difficulty - 1/5

