

GAMES

LEARNING OUTCOMES

Having completed this badge members will:

- Participate in some games;
- Demonstrate how to share and play fairly.

BADGE REQUIREMENTS

1. Play a board game.
2. Play at least one card game.
3. Play a favourite game.
4. Learn one new game.
5. Play in a mini 'Olympics'.
6. Show that you can share and play fairly.

EXPLORERS
MOONBEAMS

games



TIME FRAME

Three - Four
weeks

AIM

To help
members
enjoy games
and learn
how to play
together and
well.





Teaching ideas



1. Play a board game.

Choose any simple game, e.g. *Snakes and Ladders*, *Ludo*, *Connect 4* or other commercial games. Invite members to bring their favourite game for everyone to play. Allow members to play a variety of games, perhaps in a round-robin.



2. Play at least one card game.

Choose games like *Concentration*, *Snap*, *Uno*.



3. Play a favourite game.

Choose games that are more active like *Hide 'n Seek*, *Tag*. The following website explains lots of games <http://www.gameskidsplay.net/>



4. Learn one new game.

Introduce an active game to play together. Explain the rules and how to play. If the game gets out of hand stop it and explain the rules again.



5. Play a mini 'Olympics'.

Games that could be included are:

- Straw, thong or ball throwing
- Races, e.g. relay, age, egg and spoon, sack, three-legged
- Obstacle course
- Low jump (jump over a bar or pole set low)

You might like to include an opening, closing and ceremonies.



6. Show that you can share and play fairly.

Look for member's understanding about fair play and losing and winning graciously as they play together.