

Video Scavenger Hunt

Equipment Required: One phone or digital camera per team (with video recording function), Scavenger hunt lists (see example list that follows this activity in separate folder), Laptop and Projector for review playback.

Space Required: Depends on age and size of group.

Group Size: 4-8 in each group

Skills: Communication, Leadership, Teamwork

Brief Overview: Working in smaller teams, each team must record all the items listed on the scavenger hunt list within a set time period.

Instructions: Prior to the activity, create a challenge list of tasks for the teams to complete, and assign a point value for each task (see sample ideas in separate folder below this activity). Divide the group into teams of four to eight and give each team a camera, list, and a time to return. Each team is only allocated ten minutes of recording time for their video and must try to record as many different tasks as possible. The groups must return by the agreed-upon time (deduct points for each minute they are late) and hand over their video. Allow time to watch each group;s video montage, and tally points as you watch the videos.

Discussion points:

- 1) Did someone in your group emerge as a leader? Was this helpful?
- 2) Did your group waste a lot of time trying to decide what to do next?
- 3) How did the team decide where to go and what to do? Did you split the team at any point?
- 4) What do you feel you took away from this task?

Video Scavenger Hunt Sample Ideas

- 1. Imitate a statue in your town (ours was a miniature version of the Statue of Liberty) and sing Mary Had a Little Lamb.
- 2. Fork someone's yard. (preferably a friend, who will think it's funny) [If you don't know what forking someone's yard is, it is buying plastic forks and sticking them into the ground, all over a person's yard]
- 3. Go buy a stranger a gift and give it to them.
- 4. Play ring-around-the-rosy around a light pole.
- 5. Drink a can of soda and burp.
- 6. Go sing a Christmas Carol at a friend's door.
- 7. Have one person in your group try to sell an old beat up car to your group.
- 8. Take a video/picture of the whole group posing next to a yellow car that doesn't belong to you.
- 9. Each person in group picks up 10 items of litter.
- 10. Whole group on the swings at the park.
- 11. Do cartwheels or at least try to. (whole group)
- 12. Go buy a jar or pouch of baby food and have one team member spoon feed it to another team member.
- 13. Baby talk to a dog.
- 14. Everyone on team shake hands with a law enforcement official.
- 15. Go trick or treating at someone's house.
- 16. Skip backwards across a street downtown.
- 17. Pose with inflatable Christmas decorations in someone's yard.
- 18. Build a gingerbread house
- 19. Each person on team chews a piece of gum and blows a bubble at the same time.
- 20. Play tag together.
- 21. Play leap frog.
- 22. Run the bases at a local baseball diamond.
- 23. Swing from monkey bars.
- 24. Collect a bag of hair from a barber shop.
- 25. Find a box of Kraft Macaroni and cheese.
- 26. Find a copy of "To Kill A Mockingbird".
- 27. Make up your own the possibilities are endless!