



Stepping Stone Challenge

Materials:

1. Stepping stones- these can be made of felt, foam, fabric or tarp. They should be cut into pieces about 1ft square.

To play the game:

1. Divide the students into groups of 5 to 8.
2. Give the groups “stepping stones” based on group size. To figure out how many “stones” to give each group divide the number of students in the group by two, then add one to that number. For example if you have 8 students they get $(8/2) + 1 = 5$ stepping stones. Round up if needed.
3. The challenge is for each group of students to get from one side of the lawn to the other without touching the grass.
4. If a player falls off the stepping stone and touches the grass then everyone in the group who is *currently* on their way across must go back. Students who have already crossed into the safe zone can stay.
5. (optional) To make an added challenge, teachers can try to steal stepping stones if they are left out of use. A point can be deducted for each lost stepping stone.