

Review and reinforce learning during the walk

Teachers Guide: Game

To review and reinforce learning during the walk.

Objectives of the game

This game can be played at the end of the walk and will reinforce all of the messages which have been learnt throughout the walk in the countryside.



The game

On the Game Activity Sheet are five different messages which need to be copied seven times onto paper and then cut up into individual messages giving you a single message for 35 children. If there are more or less in the class reduce or increase the quantity as appropriate. Put the messages into a bag and ask each child to select one and keep it a secret. Once all of the children have a message, ask them to read it silently to themselves without uttering a word. It will give them each an identity for example, a farmer or hills and valleys. Once they all know who they represent, ask them to walk amongst the other pupils whispering the message that is written in bold on the piece of paper such as 'We formed the chalk downland'. When they have found a fellow pupil whispering the same message 'We formed the chalk downland' they should join together and try and find the remaining six pupils. When all seven have been located they then must shout out their message 'We are fossilised sea creatures. We formed the chalk downland'. A further message could be 'We are the farmsteads in the Kent Downs. We form part of the settlements'.

This game can be repeated and will reinforce the messages learnt throughout the day about the landscape of the Kent Downs

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