



WARM UP

GAME

Easter Egg Trap

TIME:

5 - 10 mins.

EQUIPMENT:

Mats.

SAFETY:

Make sure the children all run in the same direction around the circle. Be careful not to slip on mats.

LEARNING OUTCOMES:

- Listening & concentration.
- Winning and losing.
- Gross motor skills.
- Imagination.
- EYFS Prime: C.L / P.D / P.S.E.D.
- EYFS Specific: Literacy / World / Expressive.

SET-UP:

Lay out your mats in a large circle, you need one mat for each child.

DESCRIPTION

The children pretend to be the Easter bunnies and the mats are the Easter eggs. When the teacher shouts out "Easter egg" the children have to stand behind a mat. The teacher can start to take mats away, if a child doesn't get a mat they end up in the middle, in the Easter egg. The teacher can ask the children what they would like to put in the middle of the Easter egg. When the children are running the teacher can use trick Easter words such as Easter Sunday, Easter holidays, Easter bunny or Easter chick.

PROGRESSION/VARIATION

1. The mat can represent something different for example: Easter chick.
2. Use different coloured mats which represent different coloured Easter eggs, when the teacher calls out a colour the children must find that coloured egg and stand behind it.