

# MAIN ACTIVITY

## GAME

## **Crocodile River**

Autumn 2 - Week 11

#### TIME:

5-10 mins.

#### **EQUIPMENT:**

Quoits.

#### **SAFETY:**

Make sure the children aren't pushing each other on the bridge. Leave a gap in between each child balancing on the quoits.

### **LEARNING OUTCOMES:**

- Balance and body control.
- Improves concentration and strength.
- Gross motor skills.
- EYFS Prime: C.L / P.D / P.S.E.D.
- EYFS Specific: Literacy / Maths / World / Expressive.

#### SET-UP:

Build a small section of the bridge by laying some of your quoits out in a straight line and leave the remaining quoits in a pile at the start of the bridge.

# **DESCRIPTION**

Teacher starts to build the bridge but stops half-way and leaves a pile of quoits at the start. The children have to all help repair and build the bridge by picking up a quoit, walking along the bridge and placing their quoit at the end. Once all children have helped to build the bridge, everyone can get across the river. The children can continuously practice balancing on the bridge. When a child gets to the end they have to run back to the wall as fast as they can before the crocodile (teacher) catches them.

## **PROGRESSION/VARIATION**

- 1. Set a time limit for them to all get across the river.
- 2. Choose a child to be the crocodile and take turns.