

GAMES UNIT 8

WARM UP GAMES

- **Three:** *Demonstrate by showing your fingers and counting one, two and three. Clap or turn around or stamp your feet and say three.*
- **A big green triangle:** *Traces a big green triangle with the finger, encourage children to recite the chant "Here's a triangle"*
- **A small green Triangle:** *Traces a small green triangle with the finger, encourage children to recite the chant "Here's a triangle"*
- **Number three:** *The teacher holds up three fingers. Gesturing to the children to do the same.*
- **The colour green:** *The Teacher shows the flashcards and children recite the chant "Green".*

FLASHCARDS GAMES

- **Find the flashcards:** *Sticks the flashcards around the classroom. Find the flashcard and say the word.*
- **What's in the box:** *Put fruits inside of a box and name each item. Encourage the children to come and take the fruit one by one naming them.*
- **Shopping:** *Lay the flashcards on the floor and children have to put them on a basket while you ask them what they want to buy.*

MOVEMENTS GAMES

- **Spiders:** *To imitate spiders by walking with their hands and feet on the floor and their bottom in the air.*
- **Bend your body:** *To bend the torso forward, backwards, to the side, sat down and stood up.*
- **Wiggle:** *Move like worms and to imitate cats by walking with their hands and feet on the floor while making cat sounds.*

GREEN GAMES

- **Green:** *Prepare a bowl with various green fruits and vegetables. Cut them and let the children taste them. Before cutting them, talk about the shape and colour.*
- **Green shapes:** *Green squares, triangles and squares. Let the children play with them and ask them to recognize the shape.*
- **Pick the green:** *Throw building blocks on the floor and ask the children to only pick out the green ones.*
- **Fruits and vegs:** *Prepare green vegs and fruits and try them. *Check allergies.*

TRIANGLE GAMES

- **Triangle walking:** *Draw the shape of a triangle on the floor and encourage the children to follow you walking on the lines.*
- **Plasticine triangle:** *Draw a triangle for each child and they have to cover it with plasticine.*
- **Triangles:** *Draw a big triangle on a piece of construction paper and let the children stick small triangles inside the big one.*
- **Cheesy triangles:** *Bring cheese triangles, show them, recite the chant and eat them in the snack time.*

CONCEPT GAMES

- **Apples, apples:** Draw three large apples on construction paper and let the children to paint them with green paint.
- **On and under:** Put Sally on the chair, under the table, under the chair...
- **Under the bridge:** make a bridge with two children and the rest have to go under their hands.
- **Hands and chins:** Pu their hands on their heads and under their chins. Repeat the chant.
- **Where's the yoghurt?:** Draw on construction paper a table with a yogurt on the table and another one under the table. They have to put a sticker in the yogurt that is on the table. One construction paper for each team.
- **Under the rope:** let two children hold the rope while the rest go under and above the rope.

OPEN AND CLOSE GAMES

- **Open your... :** Open and close the closet, the eyes, the mouth, the legs,...
- **Open mouth:** Draw on construction paper an open and a closed mouth and give the children stickers to paste them in the opened mouth.
- **Open and closed game:** you will need different containers that can be easily opened or closed. Let the children try to open and close them.

THREE GAMES

- **Three jumps:** Do various actions repeating each action three times: jump, twirls, claps...
- **Run to three:** Stick various A4 copies of the number 3 around the classroom. The children have to run and touch them when T says 3.
- **Three pears:** On construction paper draw three large pears and the number three by the side. Children paint them.
- **Yum, Yum:** Bring bananas, apples, mandarins, grapes and let the children taste 3 pieces of each one.

EXTRA ACTIVITIES

- **Hot and cold:** Fill one bowl with warm water and the other with cold water. Let them feel the difference.
- **Lay the table:** Make A3 placemats and laminate them with the outlines of a fork, spoon, plate and glass. Use the plastic cutlery plates and cups and let the children lay the table.
- **Tasty:** Cover the children's eyes and let them taste different flavors: sugar, orange juice, bread, cheese... See if they can guess it! *Check allergies.
- **Supermarket game:** Ask the parents to bring different containers of empty food, like cereals, milk, eggs... And make a supermarket. Make a role game.