

Outdoor Activity: Why You?

Items Needed:

- 1 Beanbag

Instructions:

- Have the children stand in a circle with their hands cupped behind their backs.
- Choose one child to be “it.”
- The child who is “it” will walk around the circle and pat each child on the back and say “why” until he or she gets to the child that he or she chooses, drops the beanbag in that child’s hands, and says, “you.”
- The child who now has the beanbag in his or her hands will pass it to the person on his or her right and run around the circle.
- The children will continue to pass the beanbag around the circle to the right.
- The child’s goal is to make it back to his or her spot before the beanbag makes it to that spot.
- If the child is able to run around the circle and return to his or her spot to receive the beanbag that is being passed around, he or she is the new “it” and the child who was “it” is out.
- If the child can’t make it around the circle before the beanbag is passed around the circle, he or she is out and the child who was “it” continues to be “it.”
- Encourage “it” to choose children who have not been able to participate.