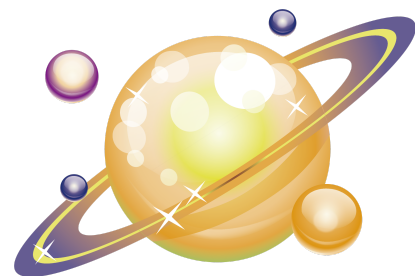


Space Race



What you'll need:

- Game board
- Planet cards
- Scissors**
- Silver/Tin/Aluminum foil

** use scissors and other sharps with caution around children, do the cutting for them if necessary**

Directions:

1. Print out the game board and planet cards
2. Cut out the planet cards
3. Place planet cards around the room
4. Cut pieces of silver foil and crumple into a "planet" for each player
5. Have the first player close their eyes and throw the "planet" onto the game board
6. Follow the move that is written on the game board section that the planet landed on
7. Repeat with the next player, taking turns to complete all the planet moves.



Ways to increase difficulty:

- Have the child go to the planet and back to the board game for additional movement.
- If there are multiple players, turn the game into a race between them by calling out the movement and having them all complete it at the same time.

Ways to decrease difficulty:

- Model the movement for the child, and/or do it with them
- Decrease the distance between the cards

Planet cards found at:

<https://123kidsfun.com/solar-system-worksheets-for-kids/>

Planet cards and game board below:



Earth



Jupiter



Uranus



Neptune



Mercury



Venus



Mars



Saturn



Sun



Jump to
Earth



Run to
Jupiter



Hop to
Uranus



Tip toe to
Neptune



Float like an astronaut
Mercury



Crawl to
Venus



Walk backwards to
Mars



Swim on your belly to
Saturn



Spin to the
Sun
like a planet