

Detective Game – A Social Distancing “Who done It” (This activity requires at least three people)

Instructions:

Parents and teachers will discuss what social distancing is and how to keep children in a safe environment while playing games.

For example:

1. Parents will gather the children in a circle 6 feet apart from each other.
2. Pick a detective and have them leave the circle, look away and cover their ears.
3. Select one child to be the leader, who will begin doing movements that the rest of the group copy.
4. Have the detective come to the middle of the circle and figure out who the leader is. The detective gets as many guesses as he/she wants. (You can always give hints)

Alternative: (Requires only 2 people)

Mirror Me:

- Ask your child to do their favorite dance
- You dance – copying your child’s movements
- Switch places and have your child copy you
- If you have three or more people, take turns being the leader

Questions to ask your child:

1. What did you like about the game?
2. How did you know who the leader is?
3. What is your favorite move?



What will children learn?

Children will learn social distancing while learning how to solve problems.

Learning Objective/Standard:

24/36M Begins to solve problems with less trials and error.