



Active Learning Sample

Think of a word!

- Half class write nouns, half class write adjectives on whiteboards. Go round class showing other people your word. Whoever you show it to needs to think of a noun or adjective to match your word. If they can't think of one in 5 seconds must do 3 star jumps. Get a point for each time you say an appropriate word.

Stand and Sit Phonics

- Children read the word aloud. Stand up for real word, sit for a pseudo word.

Counting and Catching-

- Individual Equipment catch (quoits 3's, beanbags 4's, tennis balls 7's) swap with someone else. Swap equipment but count on from the last number you said.
- Paired throwing and catching- counting in 4's (extend using different numbers/ 1 hand, smaller ball/ different object).
- Circle Catch Competition- Groups of 4 children throw ball around circle, counting in 2's, 3's and 5's. How high can they get in 30 seconds without dropping it? If they make a mistake or drop the ball, they start again.
- Catching Questions- Teacher led, then pupil led
- Number bonds- 4 players start with a ball. Throw ball to someone else and say a number. Catcher must say the number bond. If correct they then take control of the ball. If wrong must return. Works for fractions (making 1).

Question Tig-

2 players act as taggers. If players are tagged they must run to a hoop/ spot and perform a movement. Players can only move from the hoop when a teacher/ classmate asks them a question and they answer it correctly.