

Top Tips

End of Year Party Games



- **Pass the Parcel** – always popular! If you have a larger group, break them up into 10s so that you have smaller circles to deal with and you are less likely to lose count when wrapping the parcels! Colour-code the last wrapper in a different paper so you know you are on the last one for each parcel.
- **Musical statues** – time to get the tunes ready! Make sure you have plenty of adults to help you check for wobbles.
- **Coloured Corners** – a great dice game. Have 6 coloured pieces of card stuck to corners and walls in the space, then get the children to choose a colour and stand by the card. Roll a large coloured dice and whatever colour it lands on, that group are out. This is a nice quick game to get them moving.
- **Tumbling Tower** – give each group (of 5/6) a set of wooden blocks or building bricks and see who can build the tallest (stable) tower.
- **Dance-Off** – time to show off your dance moves! Use an online dance tutorial such as Just Dance (check out the videos on the Internet) to have a dance-a-long. Adults get to join in too!
- **Balloon Race** – great team game. Line up the children in lines of 10. Each child at the front of the line gets a balloon which goes over their head to the person behind, who puts it between their legs to the person behind them. Carry on down the line through the legs then over the head until you get to the end. The last person brings it back and you start again. The winning line is the first to get all of their team back to their starting places.

Don't forget to have a big bag of fun-sized treats for prizes, and enjoy your party!