

# Throw the dice

Stepping Stones : Teambuilding & Empowerment; Media; Storytelling

Materials : incl. materials

Type of exercise : oral

Duration exercise : 30 min.

## Objectives

The learner can tell a story in a (chrono)logical way.

## Materials

Set of story dice.

## Instructions

### Variant 1

- Sit in a circle.
- Give every learner a die.
- Ask a learner to throw the die and name the image on the die.
- Ask the learner to start the story by inventing a sentence including the image.
- Ask a second learner to throw a die, name the image and continue the story.
- And so on.
- Continue until every learner has had a turn. If the story is not finished yet, go for another round.

### Variant 2

- Ask a learner how many dice s/he wants.
- Let the learner throw and make a story with all the images.
- Continue until every learner has had a turn.

### **Variant 3**

- Throw all dice.
- Ask who wants to share a story inspired by one or more of the images.
- Continue until every learner has had a turn.

### **Tips for the instructor**

This exercise might be less suitable for beginners.

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#### *Language skills / Linguistic performance*

- Listening
- Speaking

#### *Linguistic competence/knowledge*

- Vocabulary
- Sentence construction

#### *Social-emotional skills and competences*

- Communication skills
- Fun
- Imagination, creativity and learning to learn
- Narrative thinking