Favourite games to play



• What are your favourite games? Do you think these are the kind of games that your parents and grandparents used to play? Why not do a survey to find out what they liked to play? The results could be interesting!

What you need:

- Some sheets of paper/an A4 size copybook and a pen or pencil to record your results.
- You may need a phone or laptop to connect with the people you want to interview.

What to do:

- Make a list of the people you would like to interview.
- Decide what questions you are going to ask, e.g., what were your favourite games/ pastimes when you were a child? Did you play in groups or alone? At what time of year did you play these games? Did you play indoors or outdoors? Which game was your favourite? Etc.



- Label your questions 1.2.3. etc. Before you ask the question, write down no. 1 and then record the person's answer. Do the same for each question. Don't forget to write the name of the person you are interviewing at the top of the page.
- Start on a new page and repeat the process with each person you interview.
- When your interviews are completed, compare all the answers. Identify which games are not
 played anymore; games that were played by boys, girls, both boys and girls; games that were
 played in the past and are still played; favourite games; etc

Some more ideas:

• Use the internet to discover more games that were played at different times, e.g., 1970s; 1950s; etc.

