

Four Corner Challenge

Place cards with the cardinal points in French in the four corners of the playground / gym hall.

Play some French music or sing. Pupils walk about / dance / jump.

Two options thereafter:

1. When the music stops, call a cardinal point and pupils have to run to the correct corner.
2. When the music stops, close your eyes, ask pupils to choose a corner, then randomly name one cardinal point.

The pupils on the cardinal point which you named have a forfeit (*un gage*) before joining the main group again for the next turn. (Count to ten, spell your name, say the date, sing a song etc... in French *bien sûr* !)

Alternatives:

- Place pictures of monuments in the corner and use for North / South / etc...pupils having to remember where the monuments are in Paris.
- Call out monuments and pupils run to the appropriate cardinal point!

Practitioner's language:

Regardez bien, je place les cartes dans les quatre coins.

Look, I have put the cards in the four corners.

Regardez et répétez après moi....+ name of cards

Watch and repeat after me....

Maintenant, marchez, dansez, sautez !

Now, walk, dance, jump

Option 1- Stoppez, écoutez " Nord" / " La Seine" - *Stop, listen 'North' / 'The Seine'*

Option 2- Choisissez un coin - *Choose a corner*

Écoutez " Nord" / " La Seine"

Vous avez un gage ! – *You have won!*