



STEAL THE BACON

TIME: 10-15 Minutes

SPACE: Small Gym or Field

SUPPLIES: Any object can be the “bacon” as long as it isn’t fragile or sharp.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Split participants into two teams. Each team should line up shoulder-to-shoulder on opposite sides of the playing area.
- Number participants on team. Teams should be equal (For example, 1-8 on right side team and 1-8 on left side team). If there is an uneven number, assign a student two numbers.
- Place the “bacon” in the center of the playing area.
- Each team wins a point if they can successfully steal the bacon and return it to their team’s side.
- Start off by calling one number. For example, “Four!” Then, each team will send their “Four” to retrieve the bacon.
- If the other team tags the participant before they can cross the team line, the point will not count.
- The game continues until there is no time left or one team has gotten 10 points.

VARIATIONS:

- Call two or three numbers (For example, “One, Three, Five!”) so students work together and have more opportunities to run.

