

Steal The Bacon-

Equipment: Scarf, flag, or object

Game Description: Steal The Bacon is a classic game. Two teams face off with the goal of trying to earn points each round by stealing the bacon in the middle and bringing it back to their own team without getting tagged. There is room for variation in this game as you see fit; perhaps add in some math equations where the answer to the problem is the number of the players who run!

1. Form 2 even lines standing across from each other.
2. Place a flag (bacon) in the middle of the two teams.
3. Players on both teams must be numbered off at first...1...2...3...4...5...etc
4. When a number is called out, the students whose number it is (can be multiple numbers, multiple flags) will attempt to run to the middle, grab the bacon, and bring it back to their team to score a point.
5. For example, if the number '3' is called, then the number 3's from each team hustle to the middle to grab the bacon.
6. If the player who grabs it gets tagged by the other player before making it back home, then the tagger earns the point.

You can split your classes up and play two different fields/games of this or all one big one. Calling multiple numbers at once is a lot of fun. Get creative too, add some multiplication or other ways that students have to think what number is being called.