

Horse Racing Game

For a little entertainment on the road, try the Horse Racing Game. Here, groups can bet on paper horses racing around the bus!

Materials:

- 1. Six "racers" or pictures of horses (horses pdf)
- 2. Stapler
- 3. Six paint sticks
- 4. Marker to number each stick
- 5. Horse Racing Game Handouts (handouts pdf)
- 6. Bag to collect bets
- 7. Dice

Instructions:

Staple the six cutout horse pictures found on the following pages onto the six paint sticks.

Then use the marker to number each stick one through six.

Once you have your six racers, give each person a racing form and announce that there will be eight races. Before each race, collect bets of 25 cents and see which horse they circled as you go around collecting money.

Then have the passengers in the front seat, door side hold three horses each to start the game. Roll two dice and have the racer number one move back as many seats as the dice total. Continue with "racer" number two in the same fashion, through number six.

After that, go back to number one again, until all the horses have moved all the way to the back of the bus, over to the other side and back toward the front again.

An exact number is needed to cross the "finish line." All those with winning numbers can divide the "pot." Repeat the same rules with each race.

The following pages contain photos of six race horses you can cut out for the game!