

Supplies:

1 kiddie pool

2 buckets depending on number of kids
2 drinking pitchers depending on number of kids
5-10 sponges or soft water balls

4-5 frisbees

20-30 marbles

3-5 bars of soap

2 styrofoam cups with holes

Wet Sponge Relay - two sponges, two buckets, two pitchers

Form at two equal teams

Have teams form lines, each person in front of another. The person in front holds a sponge. At the whistle, the first person dips the sponge into a bucket of water and the sponge is passed over their head to the person behind them until it reaches the end of the line.

The last person wrings the sponge into an empty pitcher and runs to the front of the line to start over again.

First team to fill their pitcher wins!

Leaky Cup Relay - two cups, two buckets, two pitchers

Form at two equal teams

Have teams form lines, each person in front of another.

The first person in line should dip a styrofoam cup in a bucket of water to fill it and race to a pitcher, placed a length away.

When the player reaches the pitcher, he/she should empty the cup and race back to the line so the next teammate can run their turn.

The first team to fill their pitcher wins.

Fish for Marbles - kiddie pool, marbles

Fill a kiddie swimming pool with marbles and water

Have 6-8 kids stand around the pool

Set a timer for 1 minute and instruct players to remove marbles from the pool using only the toes on one foot!

Player with most marbles after 1 minute wins!

Floating Targets - kiddie pool, sponges, frisbees

Place 4-6 frisbees upside down on top of the water-- they should float

Have kids take turns tossing sponges or small balls onto the targets

To make it more challenging, have players take one step back on each throw

Wash Your Hands - kiddie pool, bars of soap

Use the same swimming pool you used for Fish for Marbles and Floating Targets

Select 4 teams of 2 players and hand each team a bar of soap

The objective is to see who can make their bar of soap smallest in 5 minutes

The players should switch off rubbing the bar of soap in their hands every minute or so

The team with the smallest bar of soap after 5 minutes wins

