

The DROP Party

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SUMMARY: This Staffer Hour session is a high-energy and goofy session that brings participants through a series of games, each with their own unique twist. The goal? Complete each challenge to earn costumes and accessories to be fully equipped for the ultimate dance party ahead.

WEBSITE DESCRIPTION: *In this session we will* compete in a series of goofy, high-energy games, each with their own twist, to earn rewards for the ultimate surprise.

GOALS:

- This activity is an energizer that lift spirits and encourages folks to be silly
- The group participating will feel closer with one another by stepping into schtick
- Introducing folks to twists on classic mini games that they can bring back to camp

AUDIENCE: Staff members, any size group!

TIMING: 75 minutes

MATERIALS:

- Hula skirts
- Hula hoops
- Feathers
- Costumes
- Bubble wrap
- Bubbles
- B'nai mitzvah party items (Mardi Gras beads, light up necklaces, etc.)
- Materials
- Cookies
- Whipped cream
- Hat
- Printer paper (4)
- Pens (4)
- *Chairs (6)*
- Bubble machine (if we have it!)
- Balloons
- Post-its (100)
- Fun stickers (many many – like 200+)

SET-UP: This require a large open area, with space to move around and play, access to a/v set up, and chairs that we may use for some of the programming.

SESSION TIMELINE

- 00:00-00:05 – High Energy Welcome Participants & Divide teams
- 00:05-00:15 – Life Body Art
- 00:15-00:25 – Blindfolded Musical Chairs
- 00:25-00:35 – Feather Relay
- 00:35-00:45 – Cookie Face
- 00:45-00:55 – Bubble Burst Bonanza
- 00:55-00:65 – Group Dance Off
- 00:65-end DANCE PARTY WHOO

SESSION OUTLINE

00:00-00:05 – Divide Teams

- Competition 1: Split into three teams; Red, Blue, Yellow
- Teams will come up with a team name and share back with the group

00:05-00:15 – Life Body Art

- Each group picks one curator, and they choose from a hat the title of the art piece
 - Title Options:
 - Hope is sitting on the horizon
 - Baby moves out with a grand farewell / arrival
 - Auntie Mona Lisa at dark eating forbidden fruit in the garden of Eden?
 - The calculator multiplied incorrectly leading to unforeseen catastrophic results / hootenannies
 - The abyss is a serious place
- The rest of the members of each group join to form the art piece
- The curator's job is to pitch the art, analyzing it, speaking towards it, and convincing the facilitator to purchase their art
- Repeat for each group

00:15-00:25 – Blindfolded Musical Chairs

- Set up chairs in a designated space and give participants blind folds
- Engage in a game of musical chairs as normal, but facilitators should remain mindful of the participants' safety
- Between each round, remove one (or two) chairs
- The winner is the final participant, who sits when there is only one chair left

00:25-00:35 – Feather Relay

- Teams line up
- They take turns blowing feather from one end to the other, and back
- Next teammate goes until all have blown the feather

00:35-00:45 – Cookie Face

- Everyone gets a cookie, places it on their forehead, and attempts to get it in their mouth without using their hands

00:45-00:55 – Bubble Burst Bonanza

CORNERSTONE RESOURCE



- *Bubbles are dispersed and they compete in how many bubbles they can pop*

00:55-00:65 – Group Dance Off

- *Give each group a few minutes to plan their dance – they don't know what song yet*
- *Play the song*
 - *My Heart will Go On*
 - *Hava Nagila*
 - *Baby Shark*
- *Round robin performances from each group*

00:65-end DANCE PARTY WHOO

- *Play epic dance party music and DANCE!*

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Great program for staff to just let loose and have fun. Also works great for campers. Endless options for games, some may also include:

- *Whipped cream on hands*
- *Random resources and they need to build the tallest/biggest structure*
- *Bubble blowing pop off, use the bubble blower*
- *Bubble wrap rap pop-off*