

# Dating Round Robin

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To get the kids talking about dating, try this idea. Have the group sit in a circle. Go around the circle, giving each person 10 seconds to come up with an idea for a cheap date in their town. If they can't think of one, they are eliminated from the game, and you go on to the next person. Continue playing until only one

person is left, or until a specified time limit has been reached. In the church where this game was originated, 12 young people came up with 82 ideas!

## Here are some examples:

Go swimming  
Go to the zoo  
Go get a pizza

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Work in a garden together

Make popcorn

Listen to a record

Walk a dog

Cook a meal together

Help an old person

Draw or paint

Talk

Run errands for someone

Play tennis

Have a pillow fight

Visit someone in a hospital

Go on a picnic

Wash the car

Go shopping

Take a train or bus ride

Go to a ball game

Go to a movie

Go to a museum

When the game is over, have the group choose the best ideas or rank the list from most expensive to least expensive, or from best to worst. Follow up with a discussion on what makes a good date. Photocopy your list of ideas and give it to the group as a resource for future dating.