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EXPERIENCE 2

JENGA QUESTIONS

Write getting-to-know-you questions on each Jenga piece. Stack them up and play the game. As moms remove a piece, they must answer the question. Play until the tower falls.

SUPPLIES:

- Several Jenga game sets (you could give each group half a Jenga game.)
- Sharpie or other permanent marker

STEP-BY-STEP:

1. Write questions on each Jenga piece or write a number on each Jenga piece and supply moms with a numbered list of questions.
2. Build the Jenga tower according to the directions.
3. As each mom removes a piece, she must answer the question before placing the Jenga piece on top of the tower.
4. Continue to play until the tower falls.

SUGGESTED QUESTIONS:

- Favorites – veggie, ice cream, tv show, movie, candy, snack, board game, etc.
- 3 wishes
- Would you rather: markers/colored pencils; play outside/inside; beach/mountains; bowling/roller skating?
- What is one thing you are really good at?
- When you were little, what did you want to be when you grew up?
- What skill would you like to learn?
- Do you have siblings? Pets?

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EXPERIENCE 6

PURSE POINTS

Give moms points for having essentials (and non-essentials!) in her purse using a score card. Give each mom a plastic grocery bag for garbage while you're at it.

1 POINT:

- Keys
- Pen
- Lip gloss
- Phone
- Gum/mints

2 POINTS:

- Lotion
- Coupon
- Tissue (clean or used)
- Feminine hygiene product
- Checkbook

3 POINTS:

- Hairbrush/comb
- \$5 bill
- Pain medicine
- Glasses
- Nail file/clippers

4 POINTS:

- Hand sanitizer
- Mirror
- Bandaid
- Children's toy
- Lint roller

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EXPERIENCE 7

WHO AM I? FAMOUS MOM VERSION!

As moms come in, put on their backs a sticky note with a famous mom listed on it (current, historical, fictional-books or TV). They will ask yes-or-no questions to figure out their identity. First person to guess and first table group to have everyone guess correctly wins!

SUGGESTED FAMOUS MOMS:

- Eve
- Mary
- Kate Gosselin
- Princess Diana
- Princess Kate
- Hillary Clinton
- Laura Bush
- Michelle Obama
- Angelina Jolie
- Reese Witherspoon
- Tina Fey
- Jennifer Lopez
- Michelle Duggar
- Joan Crawford
- Kris Jenner
- Kay Robertson
- Ree Drummond
- Marge Simpson
- Carol Brady
- YOU!

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EXPERIENCE 8

NINJA / COWBOY / BEAR

This game is played like Rock/Paper/Scissors. Two moms line up back to back, duel style. Take three steps, counting out loud, then turn and strike a pose.

Ninja beats Cowboy • Cowboy beats Bear • Bear beats Ninja

Visit ninjacowboybear.com for video, downloads, and book information.

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EXPERIENCE 9

STYLISH WOMAN

What's your decorating style? Urban funk? The traveler? Sassy? Farmhouse glam?

Take this fast quiz and see what it might be! Find the quiz here: homegoods.com/stylescope/.

NOTE: It might be fun to send an email or Facebook post encouraging moms to take the quiz before the meeting. Share around tables the style results.

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EXPERIENCE 19

WOULD YOU RATHER

Place cards on each table with “this or that” phrases on them. Each mom must take a card and answer.

SUGGESTIONS: WOULD YOU RATHER...

- Drink your child’s backwash or eat their chewed food?
- Wake at 2AM to find that your bed is wet or deal with an “accident” at Target?
- Take care of a teething 6-month-old or a teething 18-month-old?
- Have your kid’s voice sound like Caillou or Dora?
- Have lice go through the whole house or have the stomach flu go through the whole house?
- Be stuck in the house with a colicky infant or a hormonal teenager for a week?
- Have a meltdown in the library or at church?