



# 10 Fun outdoor activities for kids

## 1. Chalk drawing

Turn the driveway or pavement into a canvas with chalk.

## 2. Hopscotch

Using the same chalk you could also draw a hopscotch board. See page two for diagram.

## 3. Have a picnic

Grab some quick and easy snacks to enjoy on a blanket under a shady tree.

## 4. Fly paper airplanes

Follow the diagrams on page three and see who can get theirs to fly the farthest.

## 5. Have a scavenger hunt

Find things like bugs, interesting leaves and birds.

## 6. Hula hoop

It's harder than it looks and will keep the littles ones busy for a good amount of time.

## 7. Blow bubbles

If you have run out of bubble mixture you can make your own with dish soap and water.

## 8. Create an obstacle course

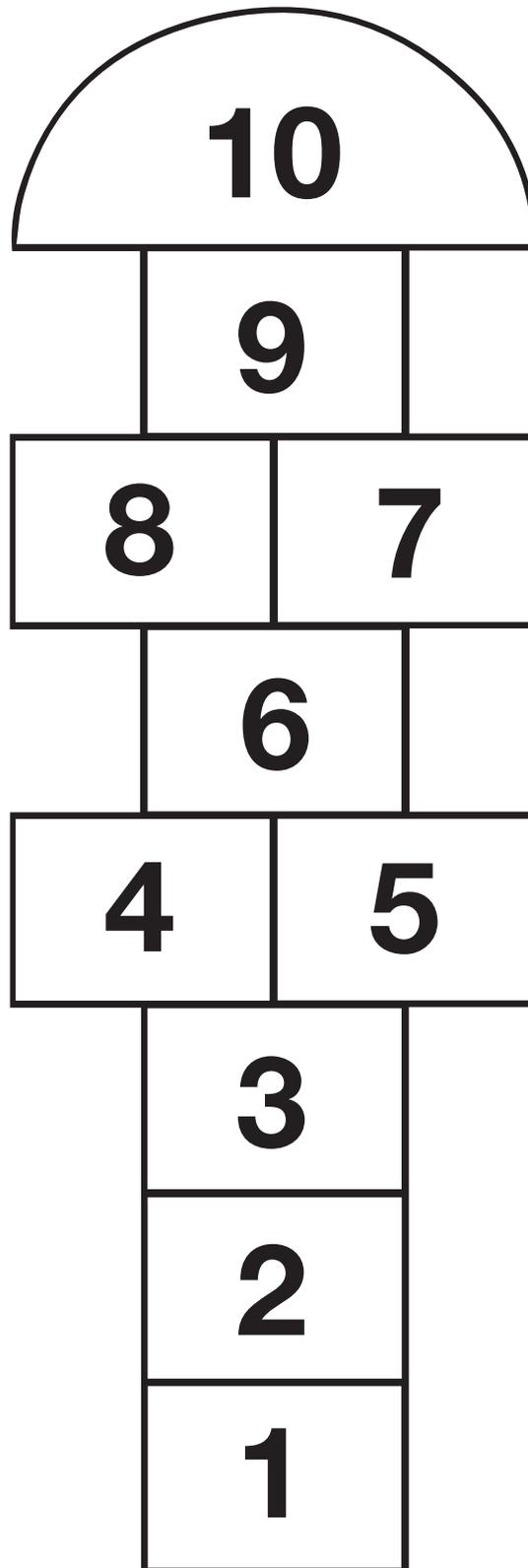
Get creative with boxes and household items to make your course.

## 9. Go for a walk, run or bike ride

If you aren't able to find a suitable track in your neighbourhood, try and find a nearby park.

## 10. Start a veggie garden

Vegetables like green beans and carrots are great for budding green-thumbed kids.



**How to play:**

Once you've drawn your hopscotch design on the ground with chalk, throw a stone (or a small beanbag or toy) into the first square. It must land inside the lines of the square, if not, you lose your turn.

Hop through the squares, skipping the one with your marker on. You may only skip using one foot, however when you land on a square with a square next to it you may land on both feet.

Once you've reached the end, turn around and hop back. When you pass your marker, pick it up and pass it to the next person.

