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### No-Prep Therapy Activity: Basic Concepts Scavenger Hunt

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A scavenger hunt can be a great way to work on a variety of skills while passing time indoors or outdoors. Use this *Basic Concepts Scavenger Hunt* to address communication, social, or visual perceptual skills.



#### Number of Players

• 1 or more

#### **Materials Needed**

- Basic Concepts Scavenger Hunt page (one copy for each player or team)
- Pencils or crayons
- Optional: laminate game board and use with dry erase markers

#### **Object of the Game**

Find objects or items that match the basic concepts pictured on the basic concepts game board on the next page.







#### Directions

- Provide each player with a copy of the game found on the next page.
- Each player finds an object or item that fits the basic concepts pictured in the squares.
  - o Example: A player looking for something "open" could find an open kitchen drawer, a container with an open lid, or even a store or restaurant can be open!
- Players color or cross off concepts as they find them.

#### **Tips for Game Play**

- For groups of players larger than two:
  - o Divide into teams of two.
  - o Determine if one player or all players will share the responsibility of crossing concepts off the game board when found.
- For non-readers, use the pictures featured with the concepts for examples.

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# Basic Concepts Scavenger Hunt

## Find Something...

big	little	open	closed	noisy
quiet	empty	full	new	old
behind something else	in front of something else	a pair of something	above something else	under something else
sharp	dull	smooth	rough	hard
soft	outside	inside	1 Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z	awake