

# Icebreakers

## Take the treasure

**Group size:** 15 – 20 people

**Resources needed:**

- 'treasure' (a set of keys is good)
- Rolled up newspaper
- Blindfold

**Instructions:**

- Invite the young people to sit in a large circle. Place a chair in the middle and put the 'treasure' on it.
- Ask for a volunteer to guard the treasure from thieves and give them the rolled up newspaper. Then blindfold them!
- Once the guard is in place beside the chair containing the treasure, a 'thief' is chosen from the circle. They must attempt to sneak up to the chair without alerting the guard and snatch the treasure.
- The guard will listen for the thief and swat them with the rolled up newspaper. If the thief is swatted they must return to the circle and a new thief is chosen. If he escapes with the treasure he becomes the new guard.