

Hide & Spot

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My First Scavenger Hunt

Where's Spot hiding? Under the table? Behind the couch? Set up an adventure for your preschooler. Then set them loose to jump, bark, and howl their way to the hiding spot! This up-and-active scavenger hunt around the house gets kids moving and thinking.

- fine and gross motor skills
- object recognition
- problem solving
- attention and focus
- curiosity and exploration
- vocabulary

Includes:

- 1 Wooden Dog
- 10 Envelopes with Movements
- 24 Clue Cards



Get to Know the Game!

First remove all the game material from the box. Carefully detach all clue cards from the die-cut boards and discard the remains of the die-cut boards. Separate the envelopes by pulling them apart and discarding the grey cardboard.

Then, let your child get familiar with the game. What sound does the dog make? Where in the house could he hide? Do you want to give him a different name? Then, look at the objects on the clue cards together and name them. Practice looking for the items in the pictures.

Now take a look at the envelopes and practice the movements together. You can find a description of each of the movements in these instructions.

Instructions

For Younger Children

In this game, practice hiding and finding Spot with one clue.

Choose a clue card and put it face up on the table. Have your child hide the dog according to the clue card, then call out for Spot and search for him together.

For Older Children

Once your child is more familiar with the movements and objects, you can set up and play your first scavenger hunt!

Object

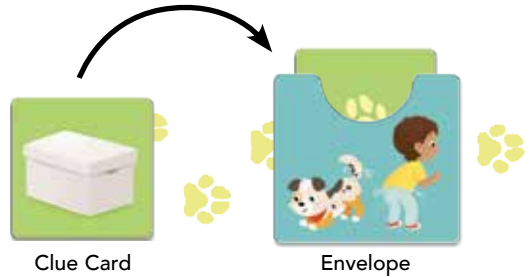
Perform the movements shown on the envelopes and follow the clue cards to Spot's hiding place.

Setup

Choose **three envelopes and three clue cards**. When your child is not looking, decide which envelope you will give them first. Place the clue to the first location in that envelope. At the first location, place an envelope containing the clue for the second location. At the second location, place the envelope with a clue for the third and final location. Hide Spot at the final location.

EXAMPLE

- 1 Put the clue to the first location in the first envelope. This is the envelope you'll give to your child.



- 2 Find a box at home and place the second envelope and the next clue near the box.



- 3 Next, find a pair of boots (the second location). Put the third and final envelope near the boots.



- 4 Finally, hide Spot near the couch!



A few tips!

- Before you start the game, decide where you can hide clues and where your child can search. Are there certain areas that are off limits?
- The younger the child, the more obviously the envelopes should be hidden, but be sure that your child doesn't accidentally find an envelope meant for later in the search.
- Insert the clue cards into the envelope so that the side with the paw print faces the front.

How to Play

When you're ready, give your child the first envelope and ask them to find Spot.

1 Perform movement.

What movement is pictured on the envelope? Ask your child to copy the movement to find Spot's trail.

2 Pull the clue card from the envelope.

Where is the next place to look?

3 Search and find.

Keep following the clues until you can say:

"I found Spot!"

Winning

The game ends when Spot is found. Great! Spot is happy to finally be with you again.

More Fun!

Once your child has mastered the first scavenger hunt, you can play with four, six or even 10 envelopes for a longer search. Older siblings can also create the scavenger hunt for younger siblings, and you can hide your child's favorite stuffy instead of Spot. Your child can play with Spot and practice movements on their own, too!

MOVEMENTS

Bark



Wag Your Tail



Howl



Shake Paw



Jump



Pant



Spin Around



Pretend to Dig



Downward-facing Dog



Sniff



About Ravensburger

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As a family-owned business, Ravensburger has built a reputation as a trusted brand for parents and children alike.

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