Treasure hunt - situating on a map (B1)



<u>Target group</u>	Age : 4-6 1 adult : 5-10
Material	Small items that the children recognize, perhaps something they know from their classroom or natural objects that they are familiar with. Pictures of the items/objects from the nature. A treasure map of the classroom A treasure map of the area where the activity takes place.
<u>Procedure</u>	 In the classroom Hide the items in the classroom, at different heights and in different places where these items are not normally found. Show the pictures of these items to the children. Then discuss what's in the picture. Give the children one picture and let them search for the real objects in the classroom. Of course, the items have been hidden in advance. On the table, there is a map of the classroom. If the children find their item, they can mark with a pencil/label where they have found it on the map.



	 In the forest Collect different items with the children. Let the children memorize the objects. Go and hide them somewhere in a delimited area. Make a map of the area you are in. Let the children search for the hidden items. Let the children situate them on the map.
<u>Variations</u>	 You can do it with little children inside the classroom. Older children can do the same game on the playground.
<u>Aims</u>	 They learn to compare pictures with the reality. Learn to look at things from another perspective. They learn to read and use a map actively.
<u>Comments</u>	

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