

Family Movie Night Charades

You will need:

- This printable cut into individual playing cards
- A one-minute timer or stopwatch

How to play:

- 1) Shuffle the cards and place in a pile face down
- 2) Player one draws a card from the pile and reads the word written on the card quietly to themselves (note - for kids who can't read yet somebody will need to read the card quietly to them but they are not allowed to participate in guessing)
- 3) Start the one-minute timer
- 4) The player who has drawn the card needs to pantomime what is written on the card without using any words or sounds
- 5) The other players have one minute to guess what the player is attempting to act out
- 6) The player who guesses correctly receives a point. If nobody guesses correctly the actor recieves a point
- 7) The person with the most points wins

Clues you can give:

- Show you are pantomiming a character by drawing a letter 'C' in the air
- Show that you are pantomiming an action by mimicking using a clapper board (like the ones used in the movies when they say "Action!" whilst filming)
- Show you are pantomiming an animal by making a pair of cat's ears on top of your head with your fingers
- Show that you are pantomiming a place by making a circle in the air with your hands and then point to it as if making a dot on a map
- Show that you are pantomiming a song by opening your mouth as if singing and flourishing your hand in front of your mouth to look like sound
- Show how many words are in the answer by holding up the corresponding number of
- Indicate something the word rhymes with by tugging on an earlobe (this means "Sounds like")











