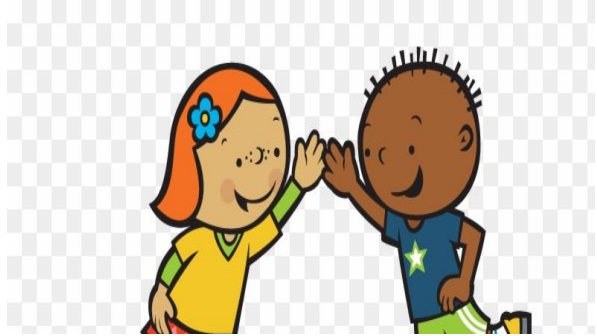


## Social Lotto Matching Game

This game can be done with an adult and a small group of children (at circle or at a table) at day care/school or with a parent and child (ren) at home. The adult leads the activity. Cards are either given to each child (the adult can play too) or they are laid face down and each person picks a card. They label the card (with adult help as required) and they match it to the appropriate picture on the board. Adult can lead songs and makes sure everyone has a turn. (see song lyrics and further instructions on next pages)



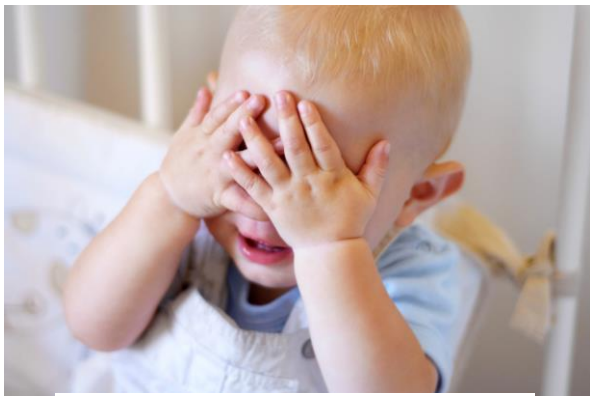
High five



Group Row Your Boat: hold hands and sing



Sing Catch the bubbles



Sing Someone is Hiding



Wave hello and sing:  
"Hello everybody..."



Sing Hurray Song (and pass the pom pom)

This activity is to promote self-regulation (through waiting of turns and following directions) and socialization with adults/peers. Props needed are :bubbles and scarf or see through blanket for Someone is Hiding and a pom pom for the Hurray song.

Print out two of the first page and use page as cards and one page as the board. Although only one person matches the card to the picture, everyone participates in the activity on each card together.

It can be used to promote self-regulation and socialization (including turn taking) with an adult and child or with at adult and children. It can be played at a table or on the floor.

### **Lyrics to songs and directions:**

**For the High Five Card:** Whoever puts the high five card down gets to high five the person on both sides of her/him first and then everyone high fives everyone beside him/her in clockwise order. (If needed, the adult can model the high five activity first).

**For the Row Your Boat Card:** Once the Row Your Boat card is put down on the matching picture on the board, everyone joins hand and as a group sings and rows their big boat side to side. The lyrics are:” **Row, row , row your boat, gently down the stream....Merrily, merrily, merrily, merrily, life is but a dream.**”

**For the Catch the Bubble Card:** Once the Catch the Bubble card is put down, the adult passes the bubble wand to the child who had the card. (The adult can hold the bubble container if needed). That child blows bubbles first as everyone sings: “Catch the Bubbles”. Then the bubbles are passed to the next child, etc. until everyone in the game has had a turn blowing bubbles while the songs are sung. The lyrics are: “**Catch the bubbles, catch the bubbles, as they fall, as they fall, children catch the bubbles, children catch the bubbles, as they fall, as they fall**”.

**For the Someone is Hiding Card:** Once the Someone is Hiding Card is put down, the adult holds the scarf or transparent blanket up in front of the child who had the card. The group sings: “Someone is Hiding” and then the adult gives every child a turn behind or under the scarf/blanket. The adult can take a turn as well. The lyrics to the song are: “**Someone is hiding, hiding, hiding, someone is hiding, who can it be? Peek-a-boo, I see you...peek-a-boo, I see (child’s name).**”

**For the Wave Hello and Sing: Hello Everybody Card:** Once the Wave Hello Card is put down, the child (or adult) who put the card down waves hello to everyone playing and then the adult facilitates the singing of: “Hello Everybody”. The lyrics of the song are: **“Hello everybody and how are you, how are you, how are you? Hello everybody and how are you? How are you today? Hello...(child’s name), Hello..(another child’s name), Hello (another child’s name) (continue naming each child and yourself as well) and how are you today?”**

**Sing the Hurray Song Card:** Once the Hurray Song Card is matched to the board, the child who puts the card down is given a pom pom to shake. The adult leads the group in the Hurray Song. After the first child has her/his turn shaking the pom pom during the song, s/he will pass it to the child beside her/him and so it continues until everyone has a turn. The lyrics to the song are: **“Hurray for (child’s name), Hurray for (same child’s name), someone in the crowd is singing hurray for (same child’s name), 1,2,3,4 who are we for, (same child’s name), that’s who!”**  
(Child named in the song is shaking the pom pom)

\*Tunes for songs can be found on ConnectAbility or other websites.

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