

North by Northeast

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Equipment:

- Compass

Directions:

Step 1: Choose a leader and gather together.

Step 2: Using the compass, learn how to determine which direction is north.

Step 3: Someone from the group is asked to select an object that is directly north (e.g. a tree, or a doorstep, or a post).

Step 4: The group then decides on an object that lies directly south, one that lies directly east, and one that lies directly west.

Step 5: Everyone assembles in the center of the playing area.

Step 6: The leader calls out one of "NORTH", "SOUTH", "EAST" or "WEST", and everyone runs to touch the object that lies in that direction.

Step 7: The last person to touch the object is eliminated.

After playing a few rounds of the game, play can stop, and objects for the intercardinal points (Northeast, Northwest, Southeast, Southwest) can be added.