

The sower – toss the beanbag game

You will need

8+ Cones or equivalent (e.g. empty plastic bottles weighed down with some sand/grit-lid on tight) OR 4 + tubs/containers

Beanbags/foam balls

Large labels with the words:

Good soil 25 points (gain 25)

Rocky Soil 0 points (stay same)

Path -10 points (lose 10)

Thorny soil -5 points (lose 5)

What to do

Stick the labels onto the cones/containers (make sure there is a label for each one)

Position the cones /containers close together (tubs should be in 2 in front and 2 behind all touching, cones can be set out like 10 pin bowling pins)

Draw a chalk line or use some masking tape to show the throwing position (you could have a closer one for young kids)

The aim of the game is to try to knock down the cones (or land in the container) with the Good Soil label and earn 25 points. Points are deducted if the beanbag knocks over/lands in one of the other cones/containers.

Number of players

2+

Play as a competition –either 1 against 1 or a team of up to 4 in each team again each other. Allow each team member to have 3 goes and tally up the scores as you go along.

Have a small prize as a reward e.g. small packet of sweets.

