



## Moon Phase Dance

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### Materials:

- Moon phase images
- A game leader
- Space to move

*Note: We recommend expanding upon this activity by having students create their own images of the moon phases before starting the game. The image of the Full Moon can be used as a template for students to color when using this addition.*

### Directions:

1. Have the game leader stand in the front of the room.
2. Have the players find an area where they can stand and have enough space to surround themselves with the moon images.
3. Have the players face the game leader, and place the image of the New Moon in front of their feet.
4. Have players turn so the game leader is behind them, and place the image of the Full Moon in front of their feet.
5. Have players fill in the correct order of the remainder of the images in clockwise order.
6. Once all the players are ready, the game leader can call out a moon phase.
7. Players should spin clockwise until they are facing the correct phase.
8. Repeat steps 6-7 to continue studying the moon phases through this Moon Phase Dance!







