

# CONNECT ACTIVITY

5 minutes - SHARING IS CARING

**How to play:** Find your favourite funny video or meme on your phone and show your family. If you can't think of one, find a photo on your phone that always makes you smile!



FACEBOOK



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10 minutes - HEADS-UP!

**How to play:** The aim of the game is to guess the piece of tech that you have stuck to your head. Play in pairs, or a small circle.

You then need to choose a piece of tech – or use the list below – that you use today, or used when you were younger. When you have done that, scribble it on a scrap of paper and stick it to the forehead of the family member. Make sure they don't see.

You each get to take turns asking a question, to try and find out what their piece of tech is. Your family can only answer **YES** or **NO**. It could be a question like, 'Would it fit in my pocket?' or 'Does it tell you the time?' If the answer is a yes, you get to ask another question. If the answer is no, it is the next person's turn to have a guess. The winner is the first person to guess the tech.

## Sticker options:

PlayStation 4  
iPhone  
Alexa  
Smartwatch  
Digital radio  
Bluetooth  
headphones

Laptop PC  
Digital camera  
Nintendo  
Gameboy  
Camcorder  
Minidisc player  
VHS player  
Calculator



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20 minutes - DIGITAL FAMILY TREE

**How to play:** Can you find how your family connects through digital? Create a digital family tree together and connect each family member through the digital platforms you share with each other.

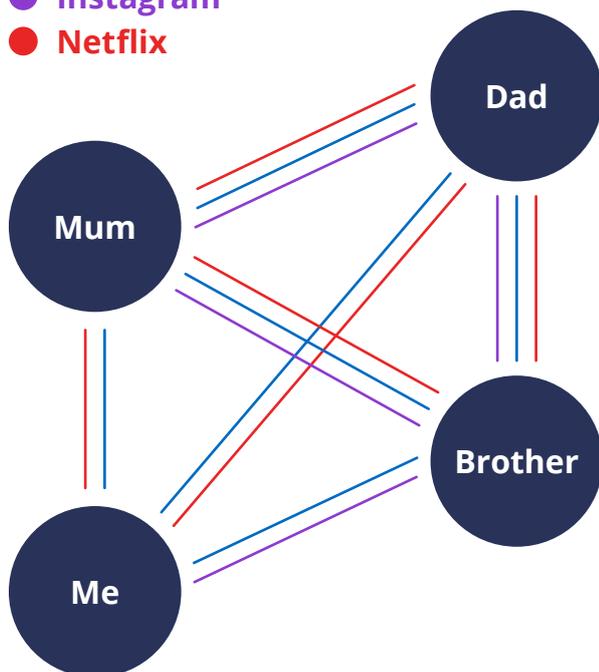
Take an A4 piece of paper and draw a circle for each person in your family. Write their name in the circle. It can be your immediate family, or you can add uncles, aunts, cousins and grandparents if you feel ambitious. Think about how each person connects through digital and draw lines for each way in which you do it.

For example, if you watch Netflix together, that is one line. If you message each other via WhatsApp... another line. If you can, use different colours

for every connecting line (for example, blue for facebook). Try to think of as many ways you connect via digital: apps, streaming services, social media... anything that requires the internet. Try to link each person who connects using these.

**In the end, you will end up with a map of how you all connect, and how you can all share digital experiences together! The messier it is, the more connected you are!**

- Facebook
- Instagram
- Netflix



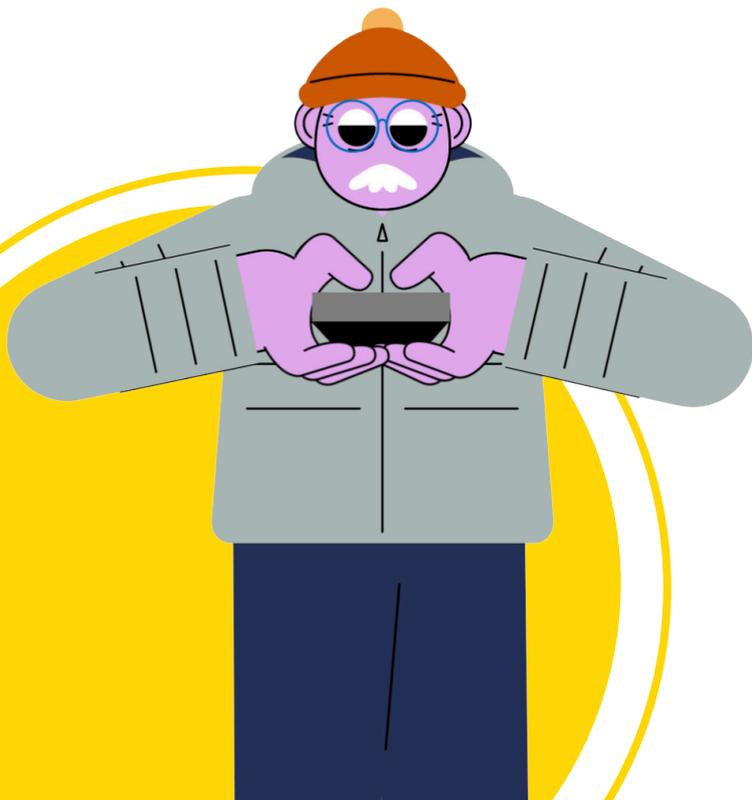
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## WHAT'S APP?

**How to play:** Each player takes a turn to choose an app, online platform or game that they love. It could be one they can find on their phone or device.

Everyone else has to guess what app/platform/game it is – but the player can only answer YES or NO to their questions.

Who gets the most right? And who can figure out the answer with the least amount of guesses? If nobody can guess the app/platform/game, maybe the player can explain a bit more about it.



### Extra idea:

Pick an app and – silently – act it out for the other to guess. For example, for TikTok you could mime a viral dance routine, or for Deliveroo you could pretend to tuck into your favourite takeaway.