

Stop the Bus!

This game will give children an opportunity to recite the alphabet in sequence. It will help to improve their initial sounds and develop general knowledge skills. It provides an opportunity for sharing information and discussion among the participants. Players use their counting and adding skills to score the game. The game requires two or more participants.

Equipment Needed

| | Boy or Girls Name | City or Country | Food or Drink | Animal or Bird |
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| Pen | Shee | t of Paper | with Hea | adings |

Instructions

- One person recites the alphabet (out loud or in their head) and another person calls *Stop the Bus*
- The last letter recited is repeated for everyone
- Participants then write words beginning with that letter under each heading.
- When a participant has written a word under each heading they shout Stop the Bus and every player puts down their pens
- Players are given a score of 2 points for unique answers and 1 point if they have the same word as another player
- At the end of the game tot up the scores and the player with the highest score wins

The number of headings may be increased depending on the age of the participants