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Leader-Tac-Toe

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OVERVIEW

In this trivia game, players will take part in a life-sized tic-tac-toe game. The catch? The players will call on adults sitting in a tic-tac-toe formation to answer questions in order to place their "X's" and "O's." The student who has three adults in a row answer correctly wins!

WHAT YOU'LL NEED

- 9 adults (leaders, parents, staff members, or a combination of all three)
- 2 student players
- 9 chairs
- A list of 20 trivia questions with no multiple choice answers (We've provided a list of 10 questions to get you started on the next page.)
- 5 sheets of paper with a large "X" printed on each
- 5 sheets of paper with a large "O" printed on each
- Optional: A slide for each question and answer
- Optional: A computer and screen large enough to show the slides

HOW-TO

PREP

- Set up 9 chairs all facing the crowd in a 3x3 tic-tac-toe configuration.
- Separate the sheets of paper so that you have a pile with just "X" letters and a pile with just "O" letters.
- Print a list of at least 20 trivia questions. Add some questions about your church's history or your specific youth ministry. (What's the youth pastor's favorite food?)
- Optional: Create a slide for each question and answer.

PLAY

Introduce your adults and have them sit in the chairs. Select two players and assign one with the letter "X" and the other with the letter "O." We recommend choosing two players that represent groups within your room so that the crowd can cheer along. (For example, boys vs. girls or one side of the room vs. the other.)

When the game begins, the first player will choose any adult on the board to ask a preselected question to. If the adult answers correctly, the player will give them one of their letters. Regardless of whether the question was answered correctly, players will take turns picking adults, asking questions, and handing out letters if answered correctly. The first player to have 3 letters in a row wins!



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Questions

- Which planet is the closest to earth? (Venus)
- What is the name of the city where the cartoon family, "The Simpsons," live? (Springfield)
- What color are aircraft "black boxes"? (Orange)
- Before Mount Everest was discovered, what was the highest mountain in the world? (Mount Everest)
- How many months have 28 days in them? (12)
- How many books are there in the New Testament of the Bible? (27)
- What are the first 4 digits of Pi? (3.141)
- A word that is spelled the same forwards and backwards is called a what? (Palindrome)
- In what city would you find the "Wizard of Oz"? (Emerald City)
- Where does SpongeBob Square Pants work? (The Crusty Crab)