55. Silence

- This is a fun game, especially for the teacher, because the object is that no one must speak.
- There is very little preparatory work other than numbering pieces of card according to the number of children in the classroom, eg 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.
- Each of those cards are then laminated and placed on the floor. The children are then given three minutes to each pick up a number and stand in that sequence according to the ones they have chosen but the secret is to do this without talking.
- Other ideas which could be used include standing in order of height, letters of the alphabet, the children could write their own house/telephone numbers on laminated cards and arrange them in numerical order, older children could re-arrange clock faces in order of the times shown or arrange historical events in chronological order.

