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## Fun with the Family

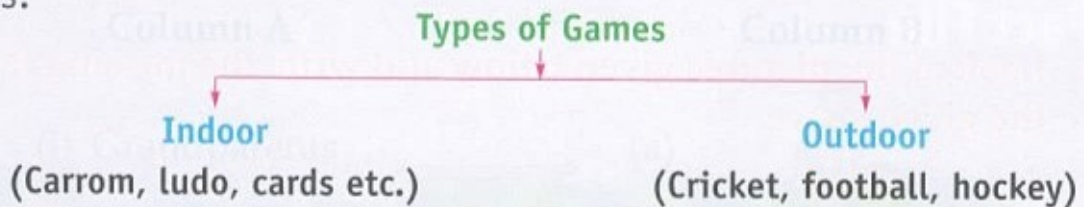


Living with the family is always pleasing.

All of us in our family have fun in free times.

We play many games with our family members. The games can be of two types. These are the indoor and outdoor games. Indoor games are those played inside the house. Carrom, ludo, cards are the examples of the indoor games. Outdoor games are played outside the house. Cricket, football, hockey, kho-kho, badminton are the examples of the outdoor games.

Sometimes our uncle, aunt and cousins visit our home. We enjoy a lot when we are together. Our family gathers for picnic, birthday parties and weddings.



Children playing carrom with their parents



Activities which can be enjoyed with family :

1. Playing games
2. Watching TV
3. Dinner, Lunch
4. Talking and Listening to stories

In the evening, we watch television.

We also go to the park and cinema.

Sometimes our grandparents tell us stories or **incidents** of their childhood. We enjoy these stories and learn many important lessons. The enjoyment is more when our parents join us.

Fun and play keep us happy and healthy.

We should play safely and have fun. It feels nice to enjoy together.



Children watching T.V. with their parents



Children playing with their parents



## Fact File

As we eat, about 10,000 **taste buds** scattered around the **tip** sides and **rear** of the tongue **detect tiny particles** in foods.



## Quickies

- Particle** : small or tiny portion of matter.  
**Detect** : identify or discover.  
**Fun** : enjoyment  
**Taste Buds** : clusters of bulbous nerve which give the sense of taste.  
**Together** : with each other, jointly.  
**Party** : a social occasion, often, in a person's home at which people eat, drink, talk, dance and enjoy together.  
**Enjoy** : to get pleasure from something.  
**Tip** : pointed or rounded end of something.  
**Incident** : an event  
**Scattered** : throw in different directions.  
**Tiny** : very small  
**Rear** : back part of something.







## Let us Revise

- Living with the family is always pleasing.
- All of us in our family have fun in free times.
- We play many games like carrom, ludo, cards and cricket.
- Our family gathers for birthday parties and weddings.
- We always enjoy our free time.
- Fun and play keep us happy and healthy.
- We should have fun and play safely.

## EXERCISES

### A. Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs).

Choose the correct option from the following :

1. Which of the following is an indoor game?  
(a) hockey      (b) football      (c) ludo      (d) cricket
2. It is an outdoor game.  
(a) ludo      (b) kho-kho      (c) cards      (d) carrom
3. Fun and play keep us \_\_\_\_\_.  
(a) active      (b) healthy      (c) happy      (d) all of these

### B. Answer the following questions.

1. Do you have free time ?
2. Do you read comics at home ?
3. Do you play with your father in the evening ?
4. Do you like to play in the classroom ?
5. Do you watch television regularly ?
6. What is your favourite game?

### C. What do you do in the free time ? Write in brief.

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D. Look at the following pictures and write how the family is having fun together.



E. Unscramble the following letters to make the name of a game.

1. M O R C A R

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2. C I R C E T K

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3. H O K H K O

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4. O U D L

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 **ACTIVITY**  
Based Exercises

1. Prepare a chart showing various types of indoor and outdoor games.
2. See the picture carefully and answer the following questions:



(a) What is shown in this picture?

(b) Why should we go for a picnic with our family?

### Do you Know



Carrom or Karrom is a 'strike and pocket' table game of Eastern origin. The International Carrom Federation (ICF) was formed in 1988 in Chennai. This game is very popular in India, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Sri Lanka and Nepal.



### Life Skills

**Model** : Prepare a model of carrom board using the following objects.  
Thermocol sheet, carrom men (discs) and strikers, fevicol, colour, marker and matchsticks.