

Bean Bag Toss - Game Challenge

- ★ A popular company, "Yards-R-Us" wants you to invent a new outdoor game to play using bean bags.
- ★ Bean bags are a multi-use game piece that can be tossed, thrown, rolled or juggled. "Yards-R-Us" has only given you the bean bags, nothing else! With no access to purchase materials, you will need to rely on stuff you have already in your classroom or home to make your game. The owners of Yards-R-Us is a believer in recycling and reusing.
- ★ Yards-R-Us has requested you submit a proposal (plan) before constructing the game. Brainstorm how your game will be built and played. Use this worksheet to walk you through the planning process.

1. What will you use as a target? (Example: Buckets, baskets, boxes, coffee cans, bottles, hula hoop, baseball glove and cottage cheese containers). Be sure to include how many of each item is needed. Example: (2) buckets or (2) baskets of different sizes:

2. What other items are needed to build and play your game? Examples: rope, notebook for recording score, blind fold, tape, paint, markers or tape measure:

3. How will the bean bags make it to the target?

- Roll
- Toss
- Throw
- Juggle
- Other:

4. The first thing we do when playing a new game is read the instructions. What instructions will need to be with your game? Think about games you play, what do the instructions include? The players will need to know how to set-up the game, how to play, how many players, how points are earned.

5. Who do you plan on playing your game?

- 5th Grade friends
- My family
- Little kids
- Teachers
- Other:

6. What is the name of your game?

Draw a picture of your bean bag toss game design. What does your game look like when it is all set-up? Think of this picture as what customers will see on the outside of the box.