# **Dumb Charades**

### Game Overview

- **Dumb Charades** is a word-guessing game where players act out phrases, movie names, book titles, or personalities without speaking.
- Teams take turns acting and guessing, and the team with the most correct guesses wins.

#### **Team Formation**

- Divide participants into teams of 3 to 5 players each.
- Encourage diverse teams with a mix of ages, interests, and personalities.

#### **Round 1: Classic Charades**

**Theme: Movie Madness** 

- Each team selects a **movie genre** (e.g., action, romance, sci-fi).
- Teams take turns acting out movie titles within their chosen genre.
- Rules:
  - No speaking or sound effects allowed.
  - o Players can use props or simple gestures.
  - Teams have 1 minute per turn.
- Scoring:
  - o Correct guess: **1 point**.
  - o Bonus points for creativity or hilarious acting.

## **Round 2: Expressive Expressions**

**Theme: Emotions and Expressions** 

- Teams act out emotions (e.g., joy, anger, surprise) or expressions (e.g., "caught in the rain," "lost in a maze").
- Rules:
  - No words or letters allowed.
  - Teams can use exaggerated facial expressions, body language, and mime.
  - o **30 seconds** per turn.
- Scoring:
  - o Correct guess: 2 points.
  - o Bonus points for dramatic flair.

### **Round 3: Song Guessing**

**Theme: Musical Melodies** 

- Teams act out **song titles** or **lyrics** from popular songs.
- Rules:
  - No singing or humming allowed.
  - Teams can use gestures, dance moves, or visual clues related to the song.
  - o **45 seconds** per turn.
- Scoring:
  - o Correct guess (song title or lyrics): **3 points**.
  - o Bonus points for creativity in conveying the song's essence.

### **Grand Finale and Prizes**

The team with the highest cumulative score wins.

Remember, the key to a successful Dumb Charades competition is to have fun, be expressive, and enjoy the laughter!