

# ***FUN NIGHT IDEAS***

## *Greedy Gold Miners Night*

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### **Basic Overview:**

This fun night is designed to get the kids to say a bunch of checkpoints from their books. How it works is that you will give each classroom a brown paper bag with skittles® inside of it. As you know, skittles® come in a variety of colors. Yellow skittles will act as your golden nuggets. The person who finds a yellow skittle® will get a special prize.

Set this night up by separating all of the yellow skittles® from the rest of the skittles®. Put enough non-yellow skittles® in the bag for each person to have 7-8 skittles®. For instance if you have a class of 15 children times seven skittles each equals 105 skittles®. Then place 2-3 yellow skittles® in the bag.

Each checkpoint that the child completes will earn them a chance to reach in and grab one skittle® out of the bag without looking. Those who do not get a yellow skittle® can eat it. Those who find a golden nugget (a yellow skittle®) can show it to the leader or commander for a special prize. At the end of book time, the leaders can give out any remaining skittles® to the kids by letting them pick one, two, or three out at a time. Again those who get a yellow skittle® get a special prize.

### **Additional Ideas:**

None.

### **Reminder Flyer:**

See the flyer on the next page.

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