

Maze

Supplies Needed: 20 8x10 sheets of paper and masking tape

Number of People: Any size group

Directions:

- As a team, you need to transport the entire team across the quicksand swamp using only the "safe" grass clumps in a specific order to cross the swamp.
- The facilitator will confirm the "safe" island pattern as you take each step.
- The team member must return to the back end of the team if they step on an "unsafe" island.
- Team members must rotate turns attempting to discover the safe route across the swamp.
- There are exactly 14 mandatory safe steps to cross the swamp.
- Only one person may be crossing the swamp at any one time.
- Variations: no one can speak, everyone in the group, except one person, is blindfolded

Debriefing Questions:

- What worked well and what did not?
- How did your actions affect others?
- Who had the ideas to overcome the challenge?
- Who was the leader of the group?
- Was communication excellent, good, okay, or bad? How could they have been better?