

Cooperative Games Unit Review Sheet

What is Cooperative Learning?

- This unit focuses on skills that will help the students learn how to work together in groups and socialize. Each branch on the Cooperation Tree below will become valuable, if utilized at home and within the community.
- Most of the cooperative activities involve problem solving, critical thinking, and creativity. There are many ways to be successful when participating in a cooperative activity.

Branches from the Cooperation Tree

- **Cooperation-** The act of working together to achieve a common goal.
- **Communication-**The exchange of thoughts, opinions, and information by the use of speech or body language.
- **Responsibility-** A particular assignment or obligation that must be carried out.
- **Honesty-** Being truthful with yourself and others.
- **Trust-** To have confidence and believe in a person or thing.
- **Leadership-** The ability to guide in direction, course, action, opinion.
- **Acceptance-** To have the ability to bring a person into your group recognizing their strengths and weaknesses with a sense of approval.
- **Sharing-** The act of giving and receiving, or to have something at the same time as someone else.
- **Kindness-** The quality of being friendly, generous, and considerate.

General Unit Vocabulary

- **Strategy-** A plan or method which is created for achieving a particular goal.
- **Verbal Communication-** Being able to share thoughts and ideas through talking and the use of speech.
- **Non-Verbal Communication-** This form of communication involves **no** use of speech, but focuses on facial expressions, gestures, and “body language”
- **Rely-** To depend on someone or something with full trust and confidence.
- **Criticize-** To find fault or judge unfavorably.