## Balloon Sweep Relay

Give each team a bunch of balloons and a broom. Have them line up behind a starting line. Draw a finish line several feet away. Players must take turns using the broom to "sweep" the balloons over the finish line. The first team to have all of its balloons behind the finish line wins.

## **Balloon Catch Dance**

Have kids gather and pass a balloon around as they dance to the music. When the music stops, the player holding the balloon must call out the name of another player and toss the balloon in the air. The player whose name was called must try and catch the balloon before it hits the floor. If he fails, he is out of the game. Play continues for several rounds or until all, but one player has been eliminated.

## **Balloon Collectors**

Blow up several balloons and place them on the floor. Set a timer for one minute. Send the first player into the balloon pile to try and collect as many as they can in one trip. When time is up, count how many balloons the player was able to carry at once. Return the balloons to the pile. Give each player a turn to do the same. The player who collects the most wins.

## Story balloon

Write several words on the balloon with a sharpie. (Let it dry) toss the balloon around and use the words to make a story. Use random words, maybe come up with them as a family.

Here are some ideas.

Outside we went. I wrote words all over the balloon. Shiny Fountain Raccoon Frustrated Shiny Baseball Nose Tiny Basket Kite Girl Pink Flower Cup Friend Scooter Boy armor dog seeds