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Snakes & Ladders



This Snakes and Ladders board was created by over forty young members during May and June 2010 with the help of artists “Prick Your Finger” and sponsorship from the Wellcome Collection. It was first played at a Midsummer Picnic on



and old Time Bank June 2010 with the help of and sponsorship from the Wellcome Collection. It was first played at a Saturday 26th June 2010.

The design was inspired by the fight between bacteria (bad) and nutrients (good) and uses microscopic images as the basis for the squares.

The game of Snakes and Ladders is based on a much older, Indian version called Heaven and Hell. It was used to teach ethics, with good deeds moving players closer to heaven, and bad actions moving them closer to hell.



The large dice was made by Time Bank children after visiting Mudchute City Farm and obtaining wool from their sheep to make into felt that was bashed, molded and dyed into the materials used for the Snakes and Ladders game.

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