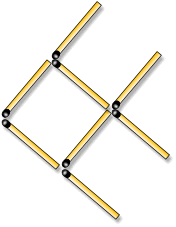
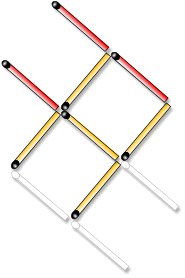
# Matchstick Fun and Games

###### Low-cost five-minute fillers for all sections.

**What can you do with a box of matches other than light a fire?   
Here are some traditional puzzles to challenge any age, from Beavers to Networkers.**

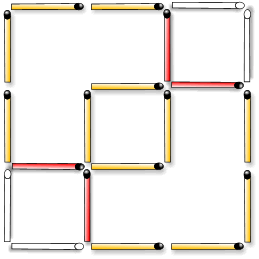
### Swimming Fish…

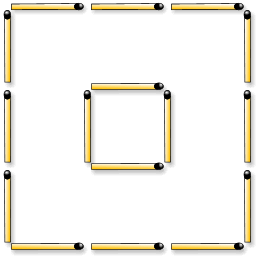
Move two matches to make the fish swim in the opposite direction.

  Set Up (8 matches) Solution

### Two Squares to Three…

Move four matches to make three squares.

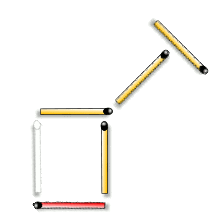


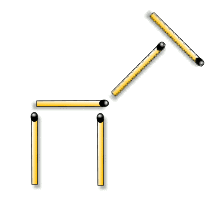


Set Up (16 matches) Solution

### Turning the Donkey….

Move one matchstick to turn the direction of the donkey.





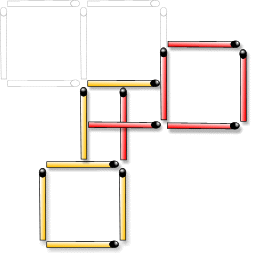
Set Up (5 matches) Solution

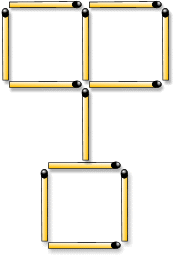


“Non-strike” match sticks are a good alternative to using real matches and are available from craft suppliers.

### Three Squares into Five…

Move six matches so that five squares are made.





Set Up (12 matches) Solution

### Three into Six…

This one is for the older sections only – no clues allowed.

Make three matches into six (no breaking of the sticks).





Set Up (3 matches) Solution

### Or Alternatively Make a Model….

