THE PROJECT FOR CAPACITY DEVELOPMENT ON CLIMATE CHANGE MEASURES IN THE REPUBLIC OF MAURITIUS

CLIMATE CHANGE CARD GAME

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Purpose:
To learn the facts, terms and vocabularies relating to climate change

Game contents:

- **26 alphabet cards:**
  - Displays the alphabet and a graphic image of the term used for the alphabet
  - Each alphabet matches the first letter of the first word of the description in the script card

- **26 script cards:**
  - Displays the definition of the term used for each alphabet
  - Displays different questions and answers for specific target groups (colour coded) to enhance learning of the alphabet term
    - Colour codes are:
      - Purple for Youths/Students
      - Red for Family
      - Yellow for Seniors
      - Green for Farmers
      - Blue for Fishermen communities
  - Displays ‘Did you know?’ which provides additional information relating to the term

Example of an alphabet card

Example of a script card
How to Proceed:

Basic Game

Number of Players:
1 person designated as Reader of script cards and minimum of 2 players and maximum of 8-10 players to play the game

1. Shuffle and place all alphabet cards face-up on the table
2. Script cards to be given to the designated reader. Designated reader to shuffle and place script cards face down as a pile
3. Designated reader picks up a script card and reads the description only
4. Players have to listen carefully to the description and then pick up the matching alphabet card.  
   Note: The alphabet card should match the first alphabet of the script card
5. The player who picks up the correct card can keep the card
6. Repeat No. 3 to 5 until script cards are finished
7. The player with the most alphabet cards wins the game

Description:
Designated reader reads this description (refer to No. 3 in the procedure above)
Advanced Game

Number of Players:
1 person designated as Reader of script cards and
minimum of 2 players and maximum of 8-10 players to play the game

1. Shuffle and place all alphabet cards face-up on the table
2. Script cards to be given to the designated reader. Designated reader to shuffle and place script cards face down as a pile
3. Designated reader picks up a script card and reads the description only
4. Players have to listen carefully to the first alphabet of the description and then pick up the matching alphabet card.
   Note: The alphabet card should match the first alphabet of the script card
   Note: At this point, the player has to wait before he/she can keep the card
5. The designated reader reads the question on the same script card depending on the target group
6. The player who picked up the correct alphabet card has the priority to answer the question.
   Note: If this player answers correctly, he/she can keep the card
   Note: If this player answers incorrectly, then other players can attempt to answer the question.
   If another player answers correctly, then he/she keeps the alphabet card
7. Designated reader reads ‘Did you know?’
8. Repeat No. 3 to 7 until script cards are finished
9. The player with the most alphabet cards wins the game

Questions and answers for different target groups
- Purple: youths/students
- Red: Family
- Yellow: seniors
- Green: farmers
- Blue: Fishermen

‘Did you know?’
Designated reader reads ‘Did you know?’ after the player picks up the card (refer to No. 7 in the procedure above)