

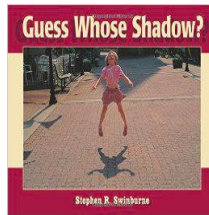
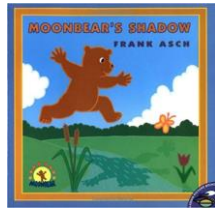


## Small Groups: Shadow Search

Support: Medium

**Standards:**

ATL.RPS.PS.3-6  
 ELA.W.PD.PS.1  
 ELA.W.R.PS.1-2  
 M.G.PS.7-8  
 ELA.IT.I.PS.1-2  
 ELA.IT.LTC.PS.1

**Materials:**

- *Moonbear's Shadow*
- *Guess Whose Shadow?*
- clipboards
- paper
- writing tools
- flashlights

**Vocabulary:**

- light source
- surface
- shadow

**Preparation:** Gather materials.

**Procedure:**

Compare and contrast illustrations from *Moonbear's Shadow* and images from *Guess Whose Shadow?*

Give children materials to use on a shadow search in the classroom/around the school (depending on staffing). Encourage children to use maps from *Reflection Search* and/or to create new maps to document where they found shadows.

Compare and contrast children's documentation. Discuss why they found more/fewer shadows in one area compared to another area.

Consider inviting family volunteers to assist with activity.