TEAM MEETING
WEEK ONE

BRAIN CHASE
ONLINE *LEARNING* CHALLENGE

Big Picture

Delve into the first full week of academic challenges and start looking for treasure clues!

Week One Objectives

1. Make progress toward student learning goals.
2. Have fun with friends.
3. Start to find the treasure!

Kick Off

Welcome. Team members should already know from Warm-up Week how to access their Student Dashboards. Make sure they can access their academic modules and that they have access to a real or digital decoder ring for the Bonus Challenge.

Suggested time: 30 minutes

Activity 1

Academic Challenges. Time to start learning! Club members should sign in to Brain Chase and watch the first video on their Student Dashboards. Then it's time to complete Week One's three academic challenges. The guide's role is to offer technical support and encouragement along the way.

Suggested time: 180 minutes

Activity 2

Bonus Challenge. This week, learn all about codes! In addition to aiding your students in completing the bonus challenge, find out what they know about codes. How many different kinds of codes can they name? Have they ever created their own secret code? How would you do so? Visit the Brain Chase blog for more resources on codes.

Suggested time: 90 minutes

Activity 3

Treasure Hunt. Watch the week's first video as a team and discuss: What clues did everyone find? How do they fit together? Choose a strategy for making guesses. The team can enter one guess on behalf of the team every 24 hours.

Suggested time: 60 minutes

Preparation

◇ Report any technical issues to Brain Chase before Week One begins.
◇ Team Art supplies: Wooden heart (or other shape), different mosaic tiles and beads, spray paint primer, white silicone (100%), putty knife, hangers for the back (optional).
◇ Team Sports supplies: one frisbee, something to indicate two end zones, like chalk, jump ropes, cones, etc.

Other Tips

◇ Change electives or add or subtract new students until June 26.
◇ Check out the Brain Chase blog for more resources on codes to share with your team.
◇ Remind your team members that all students must complete their academic work to be eligible to win.