How to keep children entertained at your wedding

Children get bored at weddings. How can you stop this from happening? Just follow these top tips brought to you by Nick Twist!



- 1. Set up some **board games and jigsaws outside**. Some online companies will print your own images onto jigsaws so that you can have bespoke jigsaws for all of your younger guests! This is a good option for the older children on your guest list.
- Most children enjoy making stuff! Why not create an arts and crafts table somewhere at your venue? You could include colouring sheets too. Nick Twist has a FREE colouring sheet you can download from his website to use if you wish (found on the 'Free stuff' tab).
- 3. Have a 'Children's dining table'. If you have enough children on the guest list (and they are old enough), set up a children's table for the wedding reception: they will love it!
- 4. Hire **professional entertainment**. There are lots of great children's entertainers out there. Why not hire one? (**Nick Twist** would love to help you here) It lets the parents relax a little and enjoy their day too as they know their little ones are in good hands!

However, be careful! **Not all entertainers are of a high standard**. Look out for this as pricing can be a big give-away! Are they insured? What standard of entertainment do they provide? If they provide magical entertainment, are they members of the Magic Circle in London? If not, why not?! All the best magicians are part of this prestigious organisation.

- 5. Make some **activity bags**. Children love these! Fill them with colouring books, pencil crayons, small toys, glow bracelets, bubbles etc. Hand them out just before the speeches to keep them engaged for a while!
- 6. Children's music. Have your DJ play some children's songs during the day. They love to dance to these and it can also be very entertaining for your guests to watch! It will also allow you to get some great photo opportunities of your day. KSD Mobile Discos would be a great option here.
- 7. Have fun **balloon table centre pieces** built by Nick Twist on each of your tables or have him construct **pre-made models** for all of the children. Nick Twist doesn't actually need to be at your event if you choose this option, cutting the cost to you whilst still giving your child guests a similar experience. See his gift page on his website for further details.