**Silent Squares**

**Objective: the group needs to assemble four squares of identical size with the twelve pieces. Each person should start with at least two pieces in their possession.**

***Restrictions:***

1. **Speaking, pointing, grunting, or nudging are prohibited during the course of the activity.**
2. **It is forbidden to take pieces from other members of the group.**
3. **It is forbidden to request pieces from other members of the group.**
4. **Voluntarily giving a required piece to another member of the group however is allowed.**

**Silent Squares Discussion Questions**

**What kinds of behaviors seemed to work most effectively in arriving at a solution?**

**How might lifting the restrictions change the way the group members approached this task?**

**Silent Squares Template**