

# It's My Money

A silent auction, where everyone is given a hundred dollars to bid on what they want the most.

*Instructions:*

Break up into small groups of about four or five. Pretend you are given \$100. Silently, spend your \$100 any way you wish to bid on the items listed below. The object is to place the most money on the item or items that mean the most to you. However, some items of lesser importance to everyone in your group may be able to be purchased for a single dollar, so bid smartly. The total of your bids must not exceed \$100.

Once everyone in the group has placed their bids, together find out who is the highest bidder for each item. Also discuss why that item was so important to the successful bidder.

## ITEMS UP FOR BID

*\$ amount*

\_\_\_\_\_ **Four front row tickets to that concert of a lifetime**

\_\_\_\_\_ **A new ride, sleek, fast, hot and sure to impress**

\_\_\_\_\_ **A closet full of the latest fashions, all a perfect fit**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Two weeks for you and a guest at an all-inclusive private beach resort**

\_\_\_\_\_ **An all-expense paid night on the town with limo, music, dinner, dancing, and fun**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Brand new iPhone and all the accessories**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Full 2 year scholarship to the college of your choice - no strings attached**

\_\_\_\_\_ **A new made-to-order laptop with all the bells and whistles**

\_\_\_\_\_ **One year free rent at an exclusive apartment village**

\_\_\_\_\_ **A free movie rental pass that is good for life and with no limits**

**Discussion Questions:**

1. To the successful bidder, why was that item so important to you?
2. If someone gave you the money needed, what would you go out and buy right now? Why?