



Riddle & Code Clue Cards

FOR 7 YEAR OLDS

Five riddles + a secret code (with answers) + a how-to.

How to run it

- 1 Pick 5–8 hiding spots, indoors or in the garden. Buddy up if you've a few children.
- 2 Cut out the cards and hide each at the spot the previous clue solves to. One clue is a secret code — see if they can crack it!
- 3 Aim for 20–40 minutes and finish at the treasure chest with the certificate.

Safety first

For garden hunts, set a clear boundary and keep clues away from water and roads.

Clue cards — cut along the dashes

CLUE 1

I've teeth but cannot bite; I sort
your hair out morning and night.

(answer: comb or hairbrush)

CLUE 2

Turn me on to see at night; I fill the
room with cosy light.

(answer: lamp)

CLUE 3

SECRET CODE (A=1, B=2...): 6 -
18 - 9 - 4 - 7 - 5

(answer: F-R-I-D-G-E = fridge)

CLUE 4

I go round and round to help
clothes dry, warm and tumbling —
give me a try.

(answer: tumble dryer)

Clue cards — cut along the dashes**CLUE 5**

I'm read at bedtime, page by
page; hunt where the stories fill
the stage.

(answer: bookshelf)

CLUE 6

Detective work done! The treasure
hides where wellies wait for a
rainy run.

(answer: shoe rack)

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You solved the riddles AND the code. Top marks, detective!

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