

The background is a collage of four panels, each showing a landscape with trees and a field. The top-left panel has a yellow sky and a brown field. The top-right panel has a light green sky and a green field. The bottom-left panel has a light blue sky and a blue field. The bottom-right panel has a pink sky and a red field. A large black-bordered rectangle is centered over the top two panels, containing the text 'Park Manager'. A smaller black-bordered rectangle is centered over the bottom two panels, containing the text 'Educational game'.

# Park Manager

*Educational game*



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# PARK MANAGER

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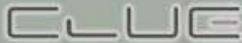
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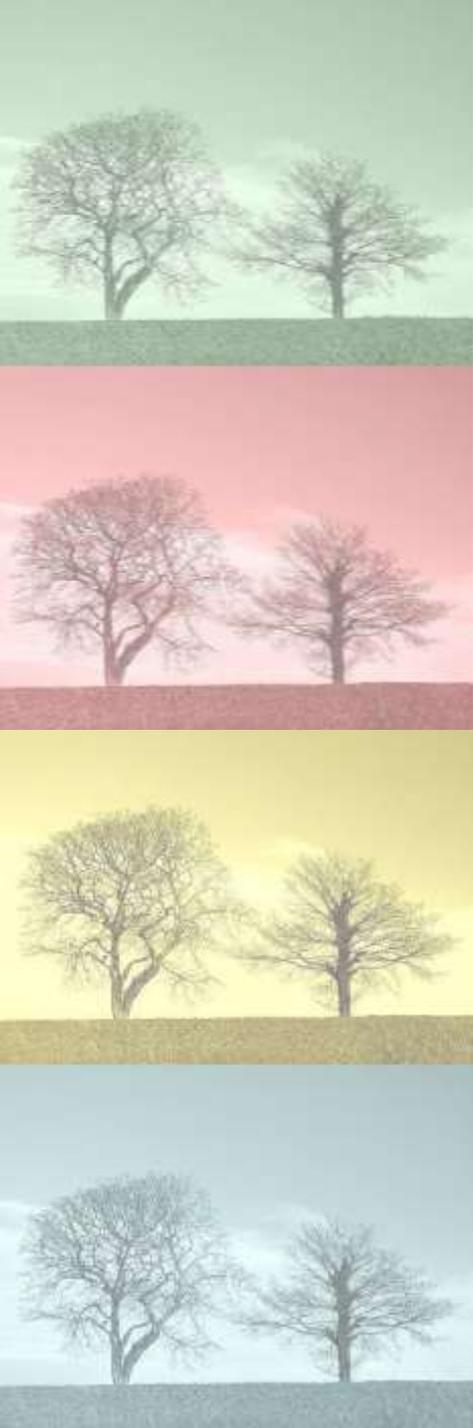
 



# Task

Welcome!

You are the  
management board  
of the National Park  
in Latvia.



# The rules

- 4 groups are playing at the same time forming 4 management boards
- The game is running for 20 rounds (years)
- The decisions taken by the groups and current situation are displayed



# The aim

- Your aim is to encourage the tourists to visit your Park...
- ...while keeping given area of the Park



# Beginning of the game

- At the beginning of the game you have 10 000 ha of the Park
- Your Park is fully accessible for tourists



# Decision

- As the board, every year you have to decide about:
  - The price of the tickets (0-10 €)
  - The reclaimed area of the Park
  - Tourists attractions



# Facilities

- If you have enough money you can invest in:
  - Educational path
  - Environmental museum
  - Rent-a-bike
  - Sustainable development centre



# The impact

- Your Park is vulnerable to every visiting tourist, so each of them causes some damages
- The Park can be reclaimed, but the price for 1 ha is 1000 €



# Subsidy

- Every year each Park is given a subsidy from the State, irrespective of the number of tourists and current area of the Park.



## The winner

- The winner is the board that encourages the highest number of tourists to visit the Park...
- ...while keeping its area at least at the level 9,5 ha and...
- ...having balance in hand.



***Tell them  
and they will forget,  
show them  
and they will remember,  
involved them,  
and they will understand,  
step back  
and they will act.***

*Ancient Chinese Proverb*