

# Taboo®

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Contents: 212 cards (848 Guess words), squeaker, notepad, and sand timer

## OBJECT

Get your team to say the **GUESS** word...

But don't say any of the **TABOO** words or the other team will **SQUEAK** you!

### EXAMPLE:

"Grandma makes these with pasta!"



## SET UP

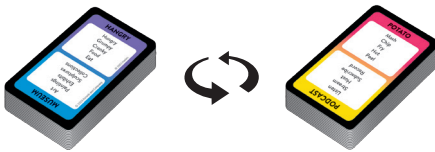
### 1 SPLIT INTO TWO EVEN TEAMS.

Sit like this so you can keep an eye on each other.



### 2 SORT THE CARDS.

Decide which color to play this game. Make sure the cards are all facing the same way, then put them in piles with that color facedown.



## BZZZ! CHECK OUT THE ONLINE BUZZER

Parents, scan the QR code or go to [go.hasbro.com/taboo](https://go.hasbro.com/taboo) to play using the virtual buzzer, timer, and scoreboard.



**Tip:** Make sure your phone isn't on silent or set to auto-lock. And turn up your volume!

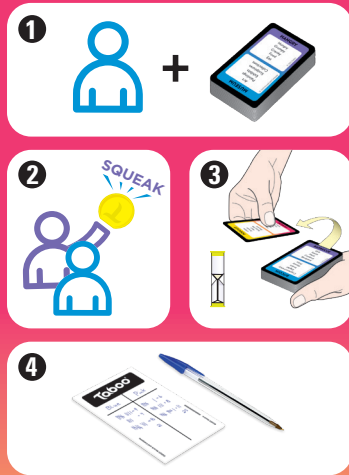
## PLAY

Teams take turns playing, so decide which team goes first!

### ON YOUR TEAM'S TURN

- 1 Pick someone to be the describer and give them a stack of cards. Everyone else will guess.
- 2 Someone from the other team grabs the squeaker and peers over the describer's shoulder. They'll squeak if the describer breaks any rules. (See below for details.)
- 3 Start the timer! Describer, flip a card and describe the Guess word, avoiding the Taboo words.
  - If your team says the Guess word, put that card to the side as a point.
  - If you get squeaked or decide to skip, set that card to the other side.Keep flipping cards and describing words until time runs out!
- 4 Tally up the points:
  - Score 1 point for each card your team guessed correctly.
  - Give 1 point to the other team for each card squeaked or skipped.

Now the other team plays. Make sure teams switch up the describer each round.



## WHEN TO SQUEAK

Squeak if the describer breaks any of these rules:

- Don't say any part of any word on the card. (E.g., you can't say "space" or "ship" if the word is "spaceship.")
- No sneaky plurals or abbreviations. (E.g., you can't say "feet" for "foot" or "TV" for "television.")
- No gestures, noises, or sound effects. You're free to sing, though!
- No "sounds like," "rhymes with," or "starts with the letter"—C'mon, that's too easy!

## WIN

Once all players have taken equal turns as the describer, the team with the most points wins! If there's a tie, each team takes one more turn.

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