

# Mathematics Games

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## Make 42!

### Equipment:

A set of 10 - 18 cards

A playing square

### Rules:

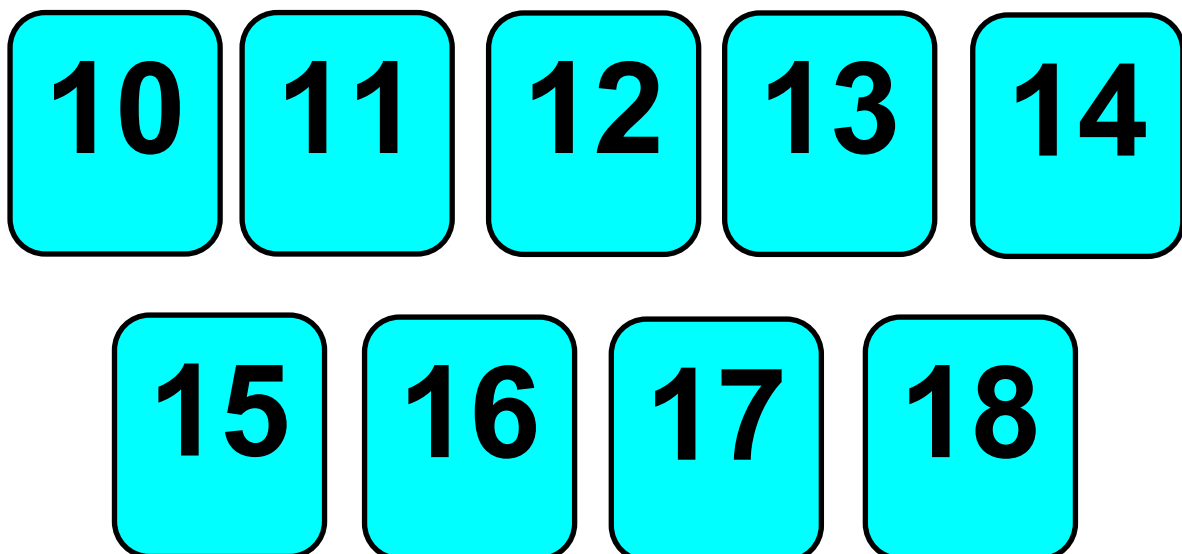
This is a game for two people using the idea of a magic square.

The aim of the game is to make a line of three come to 42.

The line can be across, down or diagonal.

The cards are shuffled and placed face down. Player one takes a card and places it on one of the squares. Player two follows this.

A set of 10 - 18 cards are found below. They can be cut out and laminated, or printed on card.



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The player who puts a card down which makes 42 is the winner.

If neither player can make 42 the game is drawn.

If I'm lucky I can win if I go first.