

BULLDOG™

A strategy game for 2 players, ages 8 and up.

Playing time: approx. 15 minutes.

This game has a surprise finish- pay careful attention to who the winner is!

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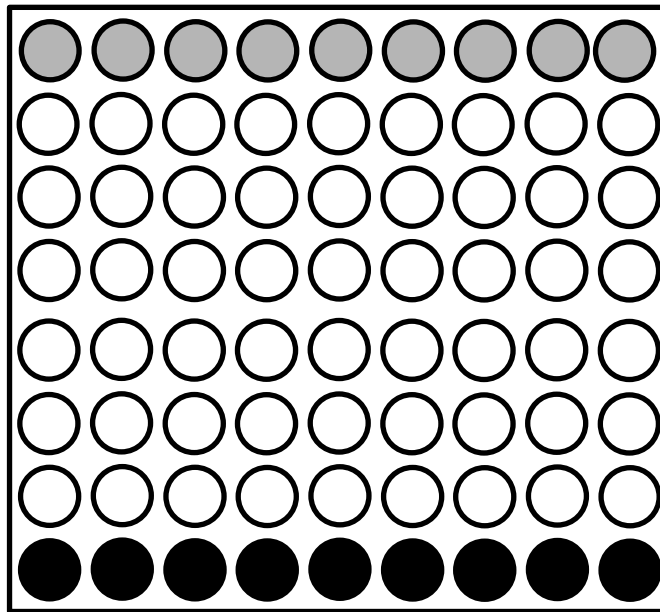
- 1 wooden board (this game makes no use of the red dots painted on the board)
- 9 light colored balls
- 9 dark colored balls

Object:

To be the first player to move all of their pieces to the opposite side of the board.

Setup:

Players sit at opposite sides of the board. Each player picks a color (light or dark) and arranges all of their 9 pieces on the row closest to them.



Play:

Players decide who goes first.

In each turn, the player moves one step forward to an open space.

Players may only move forward (moving to the side or backwards is not permitted), and players must move on their turn.

When a light and a dark colored piece meet, the next player to move jumps over the opponent's piece and takes it out of the game ("eating"). Eating is done by jumping forward over the opponent's piece to an available space, not diagonally like in checkers.

When a player has the opportunity to eat the opponent's piece, they must do so. However, once they have eaten a piece, that player may not eat any more of the opponent's pieces for the next 2 turns, even if they have the opportunity to do so.

Winning:

The game ends when one of the players has succeeded in moving all of their remaining pieces to the opposite side of the board. The player who is the first to do so is the winner.

Note:

The winner is not necessarily the player who remains with more of their pieces on the board than the opponent. The winner may even be left with only one piece on the board- as long as that piece gets to the opposite side of the board, that player is the winner.

Good Luck!

