



## RULES

For 2 to 4 Players  
Ages 8 & Up

**Contents:** 10 **Word Shout** Dice,  
Reusable Plastic Click Case

**Object:** Be the first player to reach 50 points by shouting out (and taking) words formed by the letter dice.

### Set Up:

- Pick one player to be the scorekeeper. You'll need a piece of paper and a pencil. Write each player's name in a column along the top of the paper.
- The youngest player will be the first to roll the dice and then players take turns rolling, play passing to the left.

### Play:

- Make sure all players are ready before the dice are rolled because everyone plays at the same time—and speed matters!
- Roll the dice onto the table. Play begins immediately as everyone looks at the dice and tries to form words from the letters. Words must be 3 letters or more. See below for more word-forming guidelines.
- **Players may not touch or rearrange the dice while looking—the dice remain where they landed from the roll.** When you find a word, shout it out and then take the dice! Keep your dice in front of you.
- Everyone continues searching for words until all dice have been taken or no more words can be formed from the remaining dice.
- Count how many dice you have collected, and that is your score for that round. The scorekeeper records everyone's score, and adds scores after each round.
- The player to the left of the first roller starts another round by rolling again, and play continues.

- **If multiple players shout out a word at the same time (either the same word or different words), the round immediately ends and no more words can be formed.** Any words formed before this may be added to a player's score. Now start a new round and scoring is doubled!

**Winning the Game:** Once a player reaches 50 points, the game is over and that player is the winner!

**In the Event of a Tie:** There are no ties, so play extra rounds until there is a definite winner at the end of a round.

### Acceptable Words:

- Word must be 3 letters or more.
- Any word that can be found in a standard English dictionary is allowable.
- Types of words that are not allowed are abbreviations, prefixes and suffixes. Proper nouns (words spelled with a capital) are not allowed. Any word requiring an apostrophe or hyphen is not allowed.
- Foreign words are allowed only if they are found in the dictionary, meaning they are used regularly in the English language.

**Challenges:** At the end of a round, if a player has made a word that another player thinks is not a word, then it can be challenged and looked up in a dictionary. **If it turns out that**

**the word is valid**, the player who made the word gets to score it and the challenging player must subtract the same amount of points from their score. **If the word turns out *not* to be valid**, the challenger gets to add the points to their score and the player who made the invalid word must subtract those points from their score.

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