

Spunky Monkeys Spin & Go Board Game



Instructions

Includes:

48 tiles

4 monkey markers

1 spinner

1 game board

For 2 to 4 players

Object of the Game: Collect the most monkey tiles!

Basic Game

Game Time: 15 minutes

Ages: 4+

Set Up: Scramble the tiles face up. Put one tile face up on each space on the board except the center red space. Each player picks a monkey marker and puts it on the red space in the center of the board. A tile goes in the red space after all the markers have moved off it. Stack the remaining tiles face down into a draw pile. The youngest player goes first and play continues clockwise around the board.

How to Play: On your turn, spin the spinner. Move your marker to a monkey tile of the color you have spun in the number of moves it tells you and collect that spunky monkey! For example, if the spinner lands on orange 2, move your marker 2 spaces to an orange tile. You can move up, down, sideways, diagonal and even back and forth to reach a tile of the specified color, but movement is always from one tile to any adjacent tile. You cannot move onto or through a space that is occupied by another monkey marker or that does not have a tile on it. Once you reach the tile, pick it up and leave your marker. It is now the next person's turn. On your next turn, after you have moved, fill the open space you have left with another tile from the draw pile. If you cannot reach a tile of the color on the spinner in the number of moves you are allowed, you lose your turn. Stay on your space until your turn comes around again. If the spinner lands on BANANA do not move your marker, but pick up any banana tile from anywhere in the board and then spin and go again. If you run out of banana tiles, you can pick up any tile on the board and go again. If the spinner lands on BANANA PEEL you lose a turn and it is the next person's turn. The game is over when there are no more tiles in the draw pile. The player with the most tiles wins. If there is a tie, the player with the most banana tiles wins.

Challenge Game

Game Time: 20-30 minutes

Ages: 6+

Follow the rules for Spunky Monkeys except, before starting, each player chooses colors he or she will collect. In a 2-person game each player chooses 3 colors. In a 3-person game each player chooses 2 colors. In a 4-person game each person chooses 1 color. Banana tiles cannot be chosen – they are always free tiles. At the end of the game, the banana tiles “count” toward the chosen color(s). Collect tiles as you would in the Basic Game, but do not stop playing when the draw pile is gone. Continue playing until there are just 10 tiles left on the board. Once there are only 10 tiles on the board, each player takes one LAST turn. This is the end of the game. Each player counts the tiles of his or her chosen color(s) AND banana tiles. The player who has collected the most tiles of his or her color(s) and banana tiles combined wins!

