

Middle School Card Game Fundamentals

Card Games · Practice Test · 20 Questions

1. What is the standard number of cards in a single, well-shuffled deck used for most Western card games?

- A) 48 cards
- B) 52 cards
- C) 54 cards
- D) 60 cards

2. In a standard 52-card deck, how many suits are there?

- A) Three
- B) Four
- C) Five
- D) Six

3. Which of these card ranks typically holds the highest value in games like Poker, excluding Aces which can sometimes be high or low?

- A) Queen
- B) Jack
- C) King
- D) Ten

4. The game of 'Bridge' is known for being a partnership game. How many players typically participate in a game of Bridge?

- A) Two
- B) Three
- C) Four
- D) Five

5. What is the term for a card that can be used as any other card in a deck, often found in older or special decks?

- A) Face Card
- B) Trump Card
- C) Wild Card
- D) Action Card

6. In the game of 'Solitaire' (also known as 'Patience'), what is the primary objective of the game?

- A) To win tricks from opponents
- B) To build sequences of cards
- C) To collect sets of cards
- D) To form a specific poker hand

7. Which popular card game involves players trying to get rid of all their cards by matching the rank or suit of the previous card played?

- A) Go Fish
- B) Rummy
- C) Crazy Eights
- D) Blackjack

8. What are the four suits in a standard 52-card deck?

- A) Hearts, Diamonds, Clubs, Spades
- B) Red, Blue, Green, Yellow
- C) Stars, Moons, Sun, Clouds
- D) Roses, Lilies, Tulips, Daisies

9. In many card games, what is the name for the action of dealing cards to the players at the start of a round?

- A) Shuffle
- B) Deal
- C) Draw
- D) Discard

10. What does the term 'trick' refer to in card games like Whist or Bridge?

- A) A single card played
- B) A set of four cards, one from each player
- C) The act of drawing a card
- D) A round of play

11. Which card game is often played in casinos and involves trying to get a hand total as close to 21 as possible without going over?

- A) Poker
- B) Baccarat
- C) Blackjack
- D) Pinochle

12. What is the term for the cards that are left in the deck after dealing, from which players can draw additional cards?

- A) Discard pile
- B) Stockpile
- C) Meld
- D) Layoff

13. In a standard 52-card deck, how many cards are considered 'face cards' (King, Queen, Jack)?

- A) 9 cards
- B) 12 cards
- C) 16 cards
- D) 20 cards

14. The game of 'Rummy' often involves forming specific combinations of cards. What is a common type of combination in Rummy?

- A) A flush
- B) A straight
- C) A set or a run
- D) Four of a kind

15. What is the primary goal in the children's card game 'Go Fish'?

- A) To collect matching sets of cards
- B) To build sequences of cards
- C) To win tricks
- D) To get rid of all your cards

16. What are the two red suits in a standard deck of playing cards?

- A) Clubs and Spades
- B) Hearts and Diamonds
- C) Hearts and Clubs
- D) Spades and Diamonds

17. In card games, what is the act of removing a card from your hand and placing it face-up on a separate pile called?

- A) Dealing
- B) Drawing
- C) Discarding
- D) Shuffling

18. What is the term for the card that is turned face-up at the start of a round to determine the trump suit in some games?

- A) The discard
- B) The stock
- C) The cut card
- D) The turn-up card

19. Which card game, originating in the United States, involves betting and trying to make the best five-card hand?

- A) Canasta
- B) Pinochle
- C) Poker
- D) Patience

20. In a standard 52-card deck, what is the rank order from lowest to highest for numbered cards?

- A) Ace, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10
- B) 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, Ace
- C) Ace, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2
- D) 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10