

Gain and Loss

Materials

One deck of cards

Recording Sheet- one per player

Number of Players

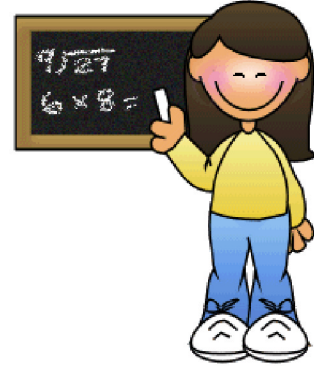
Two to Four

Object

Have the highest total after 20 rounds.

How to Play

1. Shuffle a deck of cards, place in pile, face down. Use only numbers 2-10. You can use the face cards, just assign a number value to them. For example... Jack is 11 Queen is 12 King is 13 and Ace is 14 or 1.
2. Each student needs his or her own recording sheet.
3. Each player automatically starts with 15 pts. Players take turns drawing one card at a time. They add or subtract depending on what card they draw.
4. Black cards are the GAIN meaning ADD
Red cards are the LOSS meaning SUBTRACT
5. Students continue taking turns drawing one card at a time, recording their card, and adding or subtracting. If the pile of cards runs out, shuffle and put back into stack.
6. At the end of 20 rounds, the person with the highest total wins!



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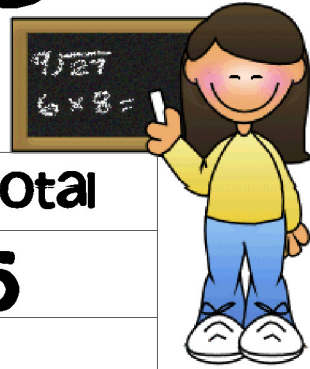
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BLACK CARDS +



RED CARDS



start
HERE



CARD VALUE	action	PREVIOUS total	new total
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2.			
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