

FIND MY MATCH

Description

Classic memory game in which players must each find matching pairs from face-down cards.



Time Needed

Learning Setting

In group activity (2 or more persons)

Materials Required

Memory cards
(Please print the next pages, stick them on cardboard and cut out the cards)

Practical Tips

- The level of difficulty increases with the number of card pairs.
- Below are two sets of memory cards: with compound nouns and with proverbs and idioms. The latter is the more difficult, but also more stimulating, as players have to anticipate the second half of the proverb.
- Another difficulty is to play the game with cards of a foreign language (available in English, French, Spanish, Greek, Lithuanian and German).

Learning Objectives



- Stimulate memory
- Activate passive vocabulary
- Foster concentration
- Have fun

Step By Step Guidance

The **first player** turns over a card first and then a second. If the cards match, the person takes them. If the cards do not match, they are placed face down again in the same place.

Now it is the **next player**'s turn and s/he turns over a card. Where is the matching second one? Has it already been turned face up? The player turns over the second card. If it matches, the pair is taken; if it does not match, both cards are put face down again. It is the next player's turn and so on.

The **game ends** when all cards have been turned over. The winner is the player who has collected the most pairs.

Expected Results

- Improved memory and concentration
- Expanded active vocabulary

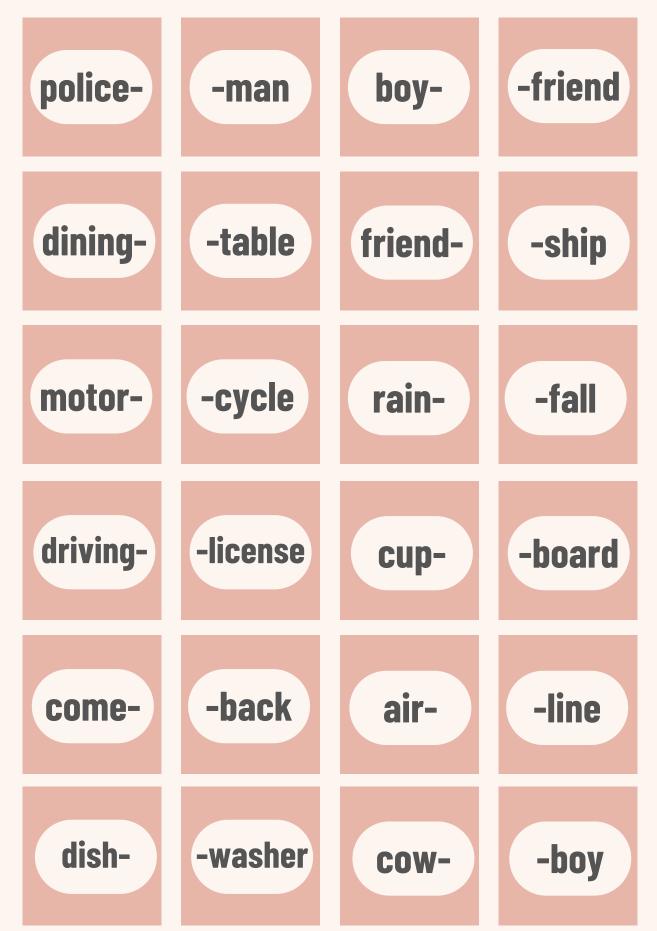
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FIND MY MATCH - CARD SET 1











FIND MY MATCH - CARD SET 2

A blessing ...

... in disguise

A dime ...

... a dozen

No pain ...

... no gain

So far ...

... so good

We'll cross the bridge when we come to it.

A penny saved is a penny earned.

Don't cry ...

... over spilt milk.

Out of sight ...

... out of mind.

A stitch in time ...

... saves nine.

The early bird ...

... catches the worm.







FIND MY MATCH - THE PAIRS

Card set 1: Compound nouns

police - man

boy - friend

dining - table

friend - ship

motor - cycle

rain - fall

driving - license

cup - board

come - back

air - line

dish - washer

cow - boy

Card set 2: Proverbs & idioms

A blessing - in disguise

A dime - a dozen

No pain - no gain

So far – so good

We'll cross that bridge – when we come to it

A penny saved – is a penny earned

Don't cry - over spilt milk

Out of sight - out of mind

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