

Parts-of-Speech Cards

Directions:

for 1 player:

The player chooses either the red cards or the green cards.

The cards the player did not select are shuffled and placed in a pile, with the words facing up.

The player lays his cards out in front of him, with the words facing up.

Take the first card from the pile and put it down on the table.

The player then looks through his cards to find a card that is the matching part of speech. Then turn over both cards. If the part of speech on the backs of the cards match, then the player gets both cards to add to his own. If they do not match, then the player loses his card.

The game continues until the pile of cards is used up.

If the player ends with most of the cards (36 or more cards), then the player wins the round.

When the player ends by winning all 72 cards, then he has mastered the game!

for 2 players:

One player gets the 36 red cards, and the other player gets the 36 green cards.

Both players lay the cards out in front of themselves, with the words facing up.

The players take turns challenging.

The challenger chooses one of his cards, and places it, word facing up, on the table to challenge the other player. The other player must then find a card among his own cards that is the same part of speech. (Neither player can look at the back of the card before choosing it.) Both players then turn their cards over. If the parts of speech on the cards do not match, then the challenger gets both cards. If the parts of speech do match, then the other player gets both cards.

The game either continues until one of the players has $\frac{3}{4}$ of the cards (54 cards), or, for a long game, until one player has all the cards. That player is the winner!

If, after 10 rounds, both players still have the same number of cards, then the game is a tie.

for 3 or 4 players:

There are 4 different back designs, each with 18 cards. Each player gets the cards with one of the back designs, so each player gets 18 cards. If there are 3 players, then one of the sets of cards is not used.

The game proceeds in the same way as for 2 players, but with each player taking turns challenging the player who is on his right.

The first player to accumulate 36 cards (for 4 players) or 27 cards (for 3 players), or, for a long game, the player who has won all the cards, is the winner.