

# Fruit Frenzy

## **Contents:**

1 spinner, 42 fruit cards, 2 wild cards showing all the fruits.

## **Object**

To collect five of the same fruit or a combination of the same fruit and wild card/s.

## **To play**

- Spread all the cards, face down, on the table. This is the pool.
- Each player chooses five cards from the pool and holds them in their hand.
- The youngest player starts by spinning the spinner.
- If the spinner stops on the picture of a hand picking up a blue card, the player picks up a face-down card from the pool.
- They may return this card to the pool, or keep it in their hand. If they choose to keep this card, they must return another from their hand to the pool. All cards that are returned to the pool must be placed face up.
- If the spinner stops on the picture of a hand picking up a fruit card, the player picks up a face up card from the pool. N.B. If the spinner stops on this on a player's first go and there are no face up cards in the pool, the player can pick up a face down card instead. They must then return a card face-up to the pool to keep the cards in their hand to five only.
- "Fruit Frenzy" occurs when the spinner stops on the picture of four hands reaching for lots of cards. The player chooses one face-down card from the pool and, without looking at what fruit it is, places it face down on an empty space on the table, starting a small pool. Each player then chooses one card that they don't want from their hand and, on the count of three, they throw their cards face down into the small pool. They then quickly pick up a different card. This is Fruit Frenzy! The card that is left in the small pool is returned, face down, to the main pool.
- A wild card (the card which features all seven fruits) can be used as any fruit card.

## **The winner**

The winner is the first player to collect either five of the same fruit, four of the same fruit and a wild card or three of the same fruit and two wild cards.

## **For younger children:**

Collect three or four of the same fruit.



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