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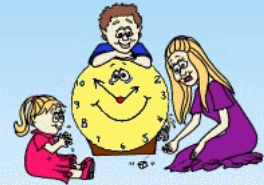
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## Fifty

**Age:** Younger children

**No. of players:** 2 or more

**Equipment:** Two dice

**Time:** 10 minutes+

**Aim:** To be the first player to reach fifty points.

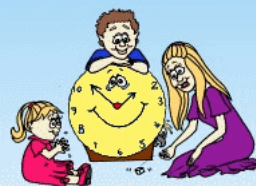
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**Fifty** is a simple game, using just two dice, suited to young children.

1. Each player throws both dice once per turn. You only score if you throw doubles (that is, both dice have the same number of spots on their top face).
2. Players score five points for double ones, twos, fours or fives. A double six scores twenty five points, but if you throw a double three your score goes back to zero.
3. Add your score as you play. The first player to get fifty points wins the game. (An adult or older child may need to help score, but you can use this game to teach younger children to count by fives.)



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## Knock Out

**Age:** Younger children

**No. of players:** 2 or more

**Equipment:** Two dice

**Time:** 5 minutes+

**Aim:** To avoid throwing certain scores and being knocked out of the game.

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**Knock Out** is a simple game, using just two dice, suited to young children. It can help teach children to add two numbers (1-6) together, but they won't know because they are having too much fun.

1. Each player chooses either 6, 7, 8, or 9 as their "knock out" number. Different players can choose the same number if they want.
2. Players take turns to throw both dice, once per turn. Add up the number on both dice. If you throw your number (either 6, 7, 8 or 9), you are knocked out of the game until the next round.
3. The winner is the last player left when all the other players are knocked out.
4. Everyone can start again for the next round. Players can choose the same knock out number or they may like to choose a different number. The game can continue for as long as the players want it to last.



# Appendix

Score sheets for Yacht *(see page 23 for rules)*

Score sheets for General *(see page 26 for rules)*

Score sheets for Ten Pin Dice *(see page 30 for rules)*

Score sheet and diamond for Baseball Dice *(see page 35 for rules)*

SAMPLE

# Baseball Dice

Name	1		2		3		4		5		6		7		8		9		TOTAL	
	Tally	Outs	Tally	Outs	Tally	Outs	Tally	Outs	Tally	Outs	Tally	Outs	Tally	Outs	Tally	Outs	Tally	Outs		