

Want to Play HOPSCOTCH?

To play Hopscotch you will need a flat area of concrete/pavement/driveway, some chalk and some stones.

To see the game being played, research the term "Hopscotch" on the internet.



Draw up your hopscotch court with a chalk outline and number each square. Or you might have access to a playground that already has a hopscotch court.

How to play:

Each player has their own marker such as a pebble, a stone or a button. The person going first starts behind the starting line to toss his or her marker in square one.

Hop over square one (don't land in that square) to square two (land in this one) and then continue hopping in the single squares. When you get to two squares side by side land on both feet (one in each square) then hop on. Once you get to the end of the court, turn around and come back, hopping or landing on both feet. Once you get back to the square next to the one with your marker, stay on one leg, reach down pick up your marker, hop on and out.

Each turn your marker gets thrown into the square with the next number, 2, then 3, then four etc. If your marker lands in square 4, don't land on both feet, keep hopping by. Only land on both feet if the squares are side by side and don't have stones in them. If you are playing with someone else, you cannot hop or land in a square that has their marker.

Can you get all the way through the game without falling over?

