

# HOW TO PLAY SNAKES AND LADDERS

## **The goal of the game:**

The aim of the game is to be the first player to reach the end by moving across the board from square 1 to square 34 . You will travel the board from base to top, right, then left and so on, following the numbers.

## **Commence playing:**

The first player to roll a 6 can enter the board. Each subsequent player must also throw a 6 to enter the board. The dice must be rolled again to show the number of squares that the player entering the board may move initially. Place the marker on the appropriate square.

## **Continue playing:**

Roll the dice per player and follow the squares as indicated on the number on the dice. When a player lands on a snake or a ladder, however, certain actions must be taken:

**Snake:** if a player lands at the tip of the snake's head, his or her marker slides down to the square at the snake's tail.

**Ladder:** if a player lands on a square that is at the base of a ladder, his or her marker moves to the square at the top of the ladder and continues from there.

## **Complete the game:**

The first player to square 34 is the winner but you must have the correct number on the dice to land on the 34 mark.

\*\*These rules are an adaptation of rules found at the following source: <http://www.wikihow.com/Play-Snakes-and-Ladders>

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