

Les envío las primeras páginas de Phases 3. Por favor realicen los ejercicios 1 y 2 de la página 6, los ejercicios 5, 6 y 7 de la página 7 y los ejercicios 1, 2 y 3 de la página 8. Nos vemos pronto!

Unit
1

Hobbies and games

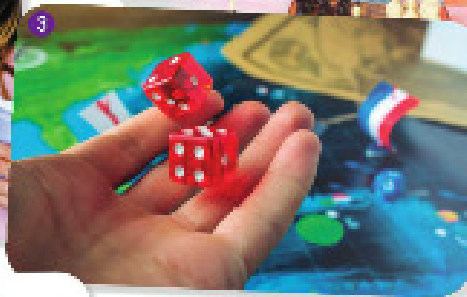
Vocabulary 1

▶ Playing games

1 Match pictures 1–5 with some of the verbs in blue. Then listen and repeat.



beat • cheat • count • give up • guess • land • lose • miss a turn • move a counter • roll a dice



2 Complete the sentences with words from exercise 1.

1. My best friend is better than me. Every time I play with him, I ...
2. John usually ... when he plays cards. He looks at the cards of the other players!
3. I don't know the answer. I'm sorry, I ... !
4. To start the game, ... and compare the number you get with the one your partner gets.
5. In Monopoly, if you ... on 'Go to Jail', you miss a turn.

3 Listen to Lou and WILL. Which of the games in blue do they describe?

chess • Ludo • Monopoly • Trivial Pursuit



4 Work in pairs. In turns, choose a game and describe it. Your partner guesses.

This is a game for four people.

Is it Ludo?

Reading 1

6 Read the first paragraph of the text. How many games are mentioned?

BOARD GAMES

FROM CARDBOARD TO PIXELS

Does your family ever sit together and play games? This fun activity is over 5,000 years old. Senet is the first known board game. It appeared in Egypt in about 3100 BC. Archaeologists found many Senet boards in Egyptian tombs. Backgammon appeared in China in the year AD 600. In backgammon, players roll the dice to move. The winner is the first player to remove all

their pieces. The modern version of chess appeared in about 1200. The objective is to trap the other player's king or to force the other player to give up. Monopoly was the first modern board game. It appeared in the USA in 1935.

Today, digital games sell millions. Designers turned some board games into digital board games and they also created

new games. Robalek is a game of strategy created for smartphones. It is like a board game because players take turns. Players save the world from robots of the Empire of Machine. Digital board games offer high quality graphics, animation and interactivity. You can have multi-player games or play on your own; you can play with people sitting at the same table or in other countries. And, of course, you don't need a board, you can never lose the counters and it is much more difficult to cheat!

WORD CHECK

- board games
- trap
- pieces
- turned



6 **Listen** Read the text and listen. Put the games in blue in the correct chronological order.

backgammon • chess • Monopoly • Senet • Robalek

7 Read the text again. Choose the correct words.

1. People played / didn't play board games 4,000 years ago.
2. The first board game comes / doesn't come from China.
3. The modern version of chess appeared / didn't appear in the 12th century.

4. Monopoly comes from the USA / Europe.
5. Robalek is / isn't a game created for laptops.

8 What benefits of digital board games does the text mention? Can you think of any others?

9 Which game in the text would you like to play?

LOOK!

Extend your vocabulary by making a list of compound nouns.

Grammar 1

► Tense review: present simple and past simple

present simple	past simple
1st and 2nd person singular and plural, and 3rd person plural: Players build villages. Do players use a dice? The players don't roll a dice.	be. The first known game was Senet. Some games were important in the past. Where were these games from? Chess wasn't digital in 1200.
3rd person singular: The winner takes all the pieces off the board. Does the game move fast? This player doesn't cheat.	regular and irregular verbs. Archaeologists found Senet boards in tombs. Did the ancient Egyptians play chess? The ancient Romans didn't create Go.

- Look at the sentences in the table and complete the rules.
 - We use ... to describe habits.
 - We use ... and ... in questions and in the negative form to talk about habits.
 - ... is the past form of am and is. ... is the past form of are.
 - We use ... to ask about the past with both regular and irregular verbs.
- Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.
 - Every year, our school ... (have) a chess competition.
 - I never ... (take) part in it because I ... (not like) chess very much.
 - My friend Lucy usually ... (win) the competition because she's really excellent at chess!
 - ... Lucy ... (beat) all her opponents in last year's competition?
 - How long ... it usually ... (take) the champion to win a final match?

LOOK!

Different tenses use different time expressions.
 Past simple: yesterday last week three days ago
 Present continuous: now at this moment
 Present simple: every day on Friday

3 Choose the correct words.

Anand Visuvanathan (1) was born / born / were born in India in 1969. He is a fantastic chess player. Anand (2) wins / did win / won the World Chess Championship in 2000, 2007, 2008, 2010 and 2012. He (3) played / plays / does play really fast and often (4) made / makes / make very precise moves. His mum taught him to play but she (5) does go / did go / didn't go to any chess club or chess lab. In fact, she played at home with Anand's brother. The champion's hobbies (6) is / do / are reading, swimming and listening to music.



PRONUNCIATION

Present simple and past simple

A. Listen and repeat.

- I play with my friends.
 - I played with my friends.
- We look at the cards.
 - We looked at the cards.
- They study Italian.
 - They studied Italian.

B. Listen. Do you hear a. or b.?