

# FARM

## ANIMAL DOMINOES



2+ PLAYERS | AGES 3+

## OBJECT:

To be the first player to use all their dominoes.

## TO START:

Shuffle the dominoes and deal the appropriate number of dominoes to each player.

2 players = 7 dominoes each

3 players = 6 dominoes each

4 players = 5 dominoes each

The remainder of the dominoes should be placed face down in a draw pile.

Hint: do not let other players see what dominoes you have. They may use this information to block you.

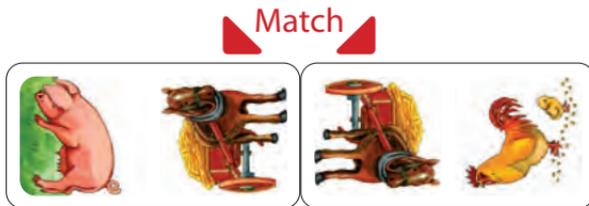
Decide who goes first. We recommend starting with the youngest player.

## HOW TO PLAY:

Player 1 places one domino on the playing surface; face up so everyone can see. The game should NOT start with a double domino (i.e. a domino with the same picture twice).

Player 2 must now add a domino by matching a picture on one of the open ends. Play continues clockwise around the table (to the left).

Figure 1



Players may only add one domino per turn. If a player has no dominoes that match an open end, they must collect another domino from the draw pile. If this new domino can be played, it should be added now. However, if the new domino cannot be played, the player's turn is over. Note: If there are no dominoes left in the draw pile, the player's turn ends without drawing a new domino.

All dominoes must be added end-to-end, except when adding a double domino. Hence, the dominoes form a straight line.

Figure 2



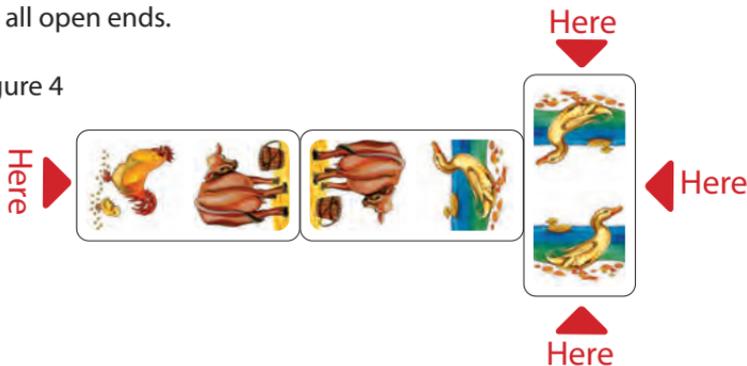
If a player adds a double domino, it should be added crosswise.

Figure 3



After a double domino has been added, new dominoes may be added on all open ends.

Figure 4



The game is over when one player uses all their dominoes.