

CHINESE CHECKERS

INSTRUCTIONS

AGES: 6+
PLAYERS: 2 - 6

EQUIPMENT: 60 colored pegs (10 in each color), game board

OBJECT: Be the first player to move all of your pegs to the triangle opposite your starting triangle on the game board.

SETUP: Each player chooses 10 pegs of the same color and places them in the triangle of the star nearest him. The colors of the pegs do not have to match the color of the point they are placed in, but it is helpful.

GAME PLAY: The youngest player begins, and play moves to the left in a clockwise rotation, with each player making one move at a time. A peg may move in any direction as long as it follows the lines of holes on the game board. A player may jump over a peg, providing there is an empty space opposite the jumped peg. A player may jump more than one peg only if there is an empty space opposite each peg jumped. Players may play as partners or against each other. No player can refuse to move out of his starting triangle to prevent another player from winning.

WINNER: The first player to successfully move all of his pegs into the opposite triangle wins the game.

