

# Seven Up



## How to Play

1. Get a deck of cards. Remove the face cards. Aces are 1s.
2. Shuffle the cards and place seven of them face-up in a line. The goal is to make sets of 10. If you see a 10, or any combination of numbers that add to 10, you can remove those cards.
3. Replace any cards with new ones from your deck so you always have seven cards.
4. The goal of the game is to remove all the cards. Do that, and you've won Seven Up!

## Try this!

Record number sentences for the combinations of cards that add to 10.

Example:  $4 + 6 = 10$  or  $5 + 2 + 3 = 10$

## Parents

As your kids are first learning their pairs to ten, you can ask them, "What would go with this card to make a ten?"

For more confident kids, you can ask them "Is this game always beatable?" See if they can invent the conditions where they'd lose the game!