

Directions

Name That Country — A Game of Worldwide Countries and Places

INCLUDES: • Name That Country Gameboard • Postcards • Markers • Answer Key

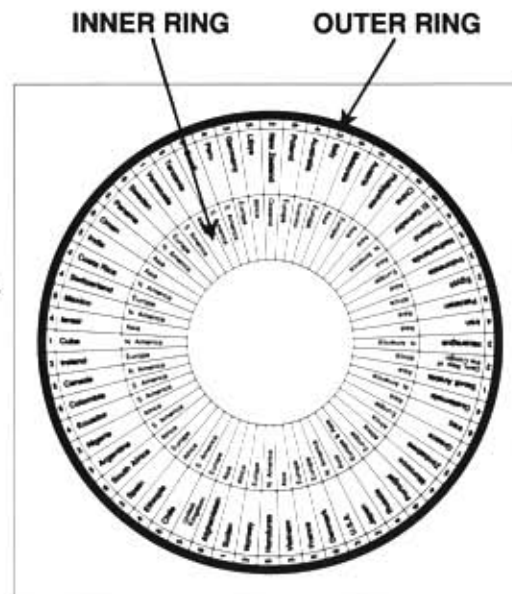


Getting Ready to Play

1. Shuffle the postcards.
2. Place the postcards on the gameboard space marked *Postcards*. Make sure the questions face down.
3. Each player chooses a marker and places it on the space marked *Post Office*. Each player spins the spinner. The player with the highest spin starts. Play then proceeds in a clockwise direction.
4. Before starting the game, the players must decide who will check the answers on the Answer Key. One person can be appointed "referee" to check answers throughout the game and not be a player in the game. Or answers can be checked by the person to the right of the player taking a turn.

Playing the Game

1. Before you begin, look at the spinner.
2. Spin the spinner. Say the name of the country that the pointer lands on. If the spinner lands on a line, spin again.
3. Look for the country on the gameboard map. Say the number on the map that marks that country. The referee (or the player to your right) uses the Answer Key to check the answer.
4. If your answer is correct, move the number of spaces printed on the spinner.
5. If you answered incorrectly, your turn is over. Play then continues with the player on your left. (Check the Answer Key for the correct answer. Next time you'll know that country!)



The color of each space tells you the color of that country on the map. The inner ring tells you what continent or region the country is in. The outer ring tells you how many spaces to move if you answer correctly.

Postcards

If you land on a **Name That Country** Postcard space, pick the top card from the *Postcards* pile. Give the card (without looking at it) to the referee to read aloud. Listen carefully. The language of the greeting and the name of the pen pal are clues as to the identity of the country. Identify the country. If your answer is correct, move two spaces forward. If you're wrong, your turn is over. Place the card at the bottom of the pile.

Mail Delivery

Several spaces on the board have special instructions. If you land on one of these spaces, follow the directions carefully.

6. First player to reach the *Post Office* again wins the game.

A Capital Idea!

Want a more challenging game? Play **Name That Country**, but players must name the capital as well as the number of the country in order to advance on the board. Name the capitals for the **Name That Country** Postcards too. Check the Answer Key for the capitals.

Getting a Pen Pal

Get in touch with a real pen pal! To find out how to contact someone in another country, write to:

World Pen Pals

1690 Como Avenue
St. Paul, Minnesota 55108

or

International Pen Friend Service

I - 10015 Ivrea, Italy

Some organizations charge a fee for their service and have restrictions on age. Ask for information about the organization's requirements and charges.

Answer Key

- 1. Philippines** (*Manila*)
- 2. Nigeria** (*Abuja*)
- 3. Costa Rica** (*San Jose*)
- 4. Oman** (*Muscat*)
- 5. Russia** (*Moscow*)
- 6. Austria** (*Vienna*)
- 7. Italy** (*Rome*)
- 8. Brazil** (*Brasilia*)
- 9. Canada** (*Ottawa*)
- 10. Sudan** (*Khartoum*)
- 11. Saudi Arabia** (*Riyadh*)
- 12. Vietnam** (*Hanoi*)
- 13. Guatemala** (*Guatemala City*)
- 14. Argentina** (*Buenos Aires*)
- 15. Zimbabwe** (*Harare*)
- 16. Sweden** (*Stockholm*)
- 17. United Kingdom** (*London*)
- 18. New Zealand** (*Wellington*)
- 19. Venezuela** (*Caracas*)
- 20. Afghanistan** (*Kabul*)
- 21. Egypt** (*Cairo*)
- 22. Israel** (*Jerusalem*)
- 23. South Africa**
(*Pretoria and Cape Town*)
- 24. Mexico** (*Mexico City*)
- 25. Panama** (*Panama City*)
- 26. Netherlands** (*Amsterdam*)
- 27. Germany** (*Berlin*)
- 28. Australia** (*Canberra*)
- 29. Peru** (*Lima*)
- 30. Cuba** (*Havana*)
- 31. Democratic Republic of the Congo** (*Kinshasa*)
- 32. Indonesia** (*Jakarta*)
- 33. Iraq** (*Baghdad*)
- 34. Libya** (*Tripoli*)
- 35. U.S.A.** (*Washington, D.C.*)
- 36. El Salvador** (*San Salvador*)
- 37. Chile** (*Santiago*)
- 38. Ireland** (*Dublin*)
- 39. Switzerland** (*Bern*)
- 40. Poland** (*Warsaw*)
- 41. Iran** (*Teheran*)
- 42. Malaysia** (*Kuala Lumpur*)
- 43. Tanzania** (*Dar es Salaam*)
- 44. Nicaragua** (*Managua*)
- 45. Pakistan** (*Islamabad*)
- 46. Greece** (*Athens*)
- 47. Portugal** (*Lisbon*)
- 48. India** (*New Delhi*)
- 49. Spain** (*Madrid*)
- 50. China** (*Beijing*)
- 51. Honduras** (*Tegucigalpa*)
- 52. Ecuador** (*Quito*)
- 53. Norway** (*Oslo*)
- 54. France** (*Paris*)
- 55. Morocco** (*Rabat*)
- 56. Thailand** (*Bangkok*)
- 57. Colombia** (*Bogota*)
- 58. Denmark** (*Copenhagen*)
- 59. Japan** (*Tokyo*)
- 60. Ethiopia** (*Addis Ababa*)