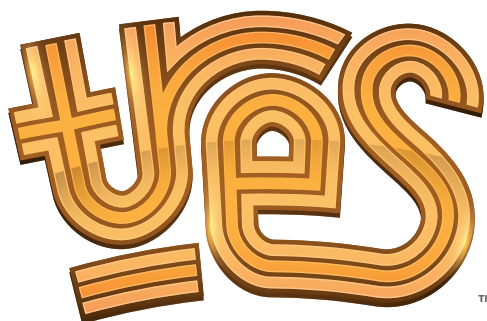


Ages 7+ | Players 2-6



INSTRUCTION MANUAL

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Number cards (total 74)

- 1-3 (number cards) x 4 each = 12
- 4-7 (number cards) x 8 each = 32
- 8-10 (number cards) x 10 each = 30

Power cards (total 7)

- Flop exchanger x 4
- Trump exchanger x 2
- Tres king x 1

Total 81 cards and 3 instruction cards in brief.

AIM OF THE GAME

Players have to get rid of all their cards and have three cards down (FLOP CARD), the player with the least sum total of Trump card and Flop cards, wins the game.

SETUP

- Distribute 10 cards each to every player, dealt face down. The rest of the cards are kept aside in a pile which is called the "DRAW PILE". The player left to the dealer plays first.
- Trump Card: It is compulsory for every player to take one card out of the cards distributed to them and keep the chosen card face down in front of the them (see IMAGE 1). The card placed face down is called the Trump Card (the importance of Trump shall be explained later). Now each player will have 9 cards in their hand and one card face down in front of them.

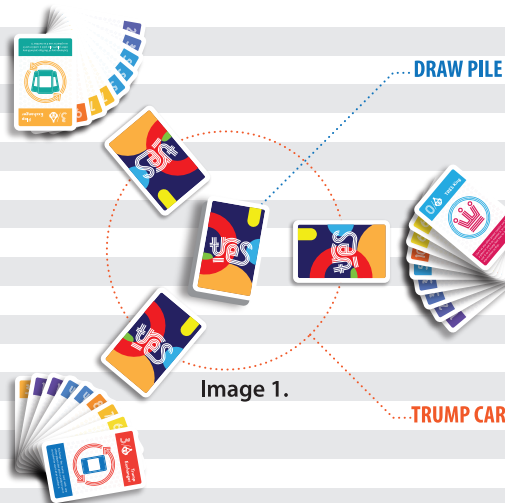


Image 1.

HOW TO PLAY

**Step 1** - Make a Trump, players will choose one card to keep face down, and carry 9 cards in their hand.

WHAT IS A TRUMP CARD ?

At the start of the game, each player selects one card (preferably of the highest value) and places it face down in front of them.

**Step 2** - To play step two there are two options

A) Throw a set of three cards from your hand. The set of 3 cards can be any cards of your choice between 1- 5 or between 6 -10. For example, the three cards can be 779, 123, 987, 445, 668, basically any combination of three cards ranging from 1 - 5 or ranging from 6 - 10. The player will then pick one card either from the draw pile or the last card of discard pile (cards thrown by the last player). If the last player has thrown three cards ( Eg : 987) you can only pick the highest number card out of those three cards ( In this case , the player can only pick card number 9).

**Note:** Players cannot throw combinations like 559, 328, 673, etc. as the combination has to be a set of any 3 cards between 1 and 5 or between 6 and 10.

B) Or throw a single card and pick one card to make a combination of set of three cards to throw next. Option B can be played only if the player does not have the right set of cards to form a combination of three cards.

**Note:** A player always picks one card after each turn , irrespective of the number of cards discarded by the player during their turn. At any given point of the game a player should always have 3, 6 or 9 cards in their hand.

**Step 3** - Once the player has thrown a set of three cards and after picking up one card from the draw pile / discard pile, the player then proceeds to keep a card face down (as shown in IMAGE 2). This card which is placed face down is called the "FLOP CARD".

What is a "FLOP CARD"?

A Flop card is the card which the player chooses to keep face down instantly after throwing a set of three cards and picking a card. It is compulsory for each player to keep a card face down every time a set of three cards are thrown.

**Note:** Players do not keep a flop card face down when a single card is thrown. The action of making a flop occurs only when a set of three cards are thrown.

How should a player select the Flop Cards?

- The Flop cards that a player is holding at the end of the game should be of smaller value than the player's Trump card. For example: Player 1 has placed his trump card as the number 6, the cards kept down as Flops can be any number smaller than number 6. So player 1 can have numbers 4,2,1 5,3,1 or 5,4,4 etc as your flop cards. Player 2 has placed his trump card as the number 7 and the cards that player 2 has kept down as flops are 5,6,8. Since player 2 is having a flop card which is higher than their trump card, they will be deemed as to have lost the round.
- Smaller the number, the better the chances to win the game.

ENDING THE GAME

Once the player has discarded all the cards in their hand, they will be left with the Flop cards and the One Trump Card ( As shown in Image 2 ).

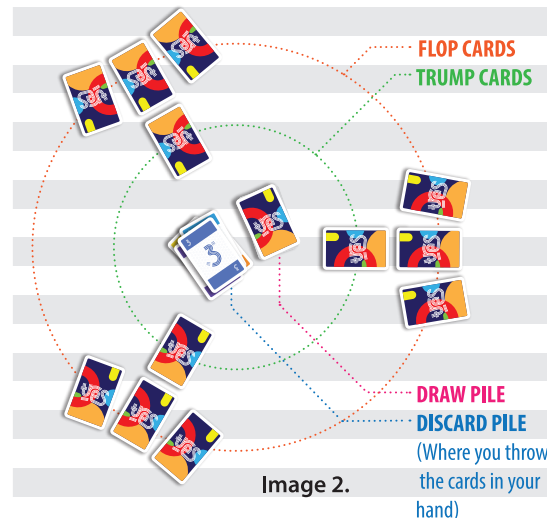


Image 2.

A player can still play the game till all other players have exhausted the cards in their respective hands. During the players turn where the player does not have any cards in their hand, they can throw a flop or trump card and pick one card from the draw or discard pile. By doing so the player has the opportunity to ensure that the flop card is smaller than the trump card or make the trump card higher than all the flop cards they are carrying. But, if the player does not wish to make changes to their respective Flop or Trump card, they can pass the turn to the next player.

**NOTE:** - A player can call TRES to end the game and compare hands only when each player is done with making their set of one Trump and three Flops cards. If any player/players still have cards in their hand the game cannot be ended.

If a player happens to PASS your turn continuously 3 times, the game will end automatically and all the players are obligated to stop playing. The player/players who are not done making their combination of a trump and three Flops at the end of the game will be disqualified or face a penalty (if the players are playing with points). Now each player who has not been disqualified will flip the trump cards and flop cards. Any player who is having any card equal of higher in number than the number of the trump card will be disqualified or will face a penalty (if the players are playing with points) . Those players who still have not been disqualified will add the total value of the cards (Trump + Flop ) and the player with the least value of the summation wins the game .

**NOTE:** At the end of the game players have the option to throw any of the flop cards or the trump card into the middle and exchange it with any other card from the draw pile or discard pile. But players cannot exchange their trump card with their flop card. Players can change only your Flop card with any card in their hand, this exchange can take at any point in the game . For example if a player has made two Flops till now (let's assume number 4 and number 3, at any point of time till the time if the player wish to exchange number 4 with any card in their respective hand, the player can do so even if it is not the players turn to play.

5	9	6
1 1 8	2 3 1	1 4 5
Flop card value more than Trump card. DISQUALIFIED or Penalty	9 + 2 + 3 + 1 = 15 Least total hence WINNER or +0 pts	6 + 1 + 4 + 5 = 16 Second Least total hence 2 <sup>nd</sup> or +16 pts

USE OF POWER CARDS

Flop Exchanger/Joker/3 - A Flop is the card which a player keeps down after throwing a set of three cards and picking up a card, the player needs to make three Flops in the game. With the help of Flop Exchanger any player can exchange the card with any other player which he or she has selected as a flop. Players need to pick a card after exchanging Flop because a player

always has 3,6 or 9 cards or no card at all in their hand while playing.

If a player chooses not to use the card as Flop Exchanger, then it can be used as a joker. As a joker the card can assume any number and can be thrown in as a combination in the set of three cards assuming it as any number.

If a player chooses not to use the card as a flop exchanger or as a joker the same card can be used as number 3. If a player keeps this card down as a Trump or Flop then it will be used as number 3.

*NOTE: A player cannot keep this card down as a joker, you either keep it down as number 3 or either use it after keeping it down ( as flop card or trump card ) and again throwing it in the middle while ending the game. Players cannot assume the card as any number when you keep it is kept down as a flop or trump except for the number 3).*

**Trump Exchanger/Joker/3** - A Trump is a card which the player keeps down before playing the first turn. With the help of Trump Exchanger a player can exchange their Trump card with any other player they wish to. The players also pick a card after exchanging your trump card because a player always has 3,6 or 9 cards or no cards at all in your hand while playing.

If a player chooses not to use the card as Trump Exchanger, then it can be used as a joker. As a joker the card can assume any number and can be thrown in as a combination in the set of three cards assuming it as any number.

If a player chooses not to use the card as a trump exchanger or as a joker the same card can be used as number 3. If a player keeps this card down as a Trump or Flop then it will be used as number 3.

**Tres King/Joker/0** - The Tres king card allows a player to use the card as any other power card explained above (players can use it as Trump Exchanger, Flop Exchanger or as a Joker (any value card). A player can also use this card as number 0. So you can keep this card down as a Flop or Trump too. In that case while adding the sum total, the value of one card would be zero.

In case a player keeps this card as a Trump card, feel free to keep any number card down as a flop as in this game there is no number card bigger or smaller than 0. Pro tip: Its likely more advantageous to keep it down as 0.

**SCORING**

Players can decide mutually to play a game of 50 points, 100 points, 150 points , 200 points. For example if the players choose to play with 50 points, the first who crosses 50 points loses the game. Points are added by adding the total of the Flop and Trump Card.The player who wins the round gets 0 points added to their total.

**PENALTY**

If the player's flop card is bigger than the Trump card, the player will face a penalty of 10 points plus whatever points appear after adding up the Trump + Flop. If a player is not done making a combination of one Trump and three Flops and the game ends, in that case he/she would face a penalty of 20 points plus whatever points appear after adding up the Trump + Flop

**FAQ**

1) A power card can never be picked from the discard pile even if it is the last card a player has thrown, in that case you can pick a card below it.

2) If the player is able to keep a Tres King as their trump card, then the player can keep any card as Flop as no number in this game is bigger or smaller than 0.

**HOW TO PLAY (IN BRIEF ONLY MAIN POINTS)**

1) Distribute 10 cards each and each player will choose their respective Trump before starting the game.

2) Players throws a card/three cards and pick 1 card and try making a combination of set of three cards from 1-5 or 6- 10 (For Example 445,998,779,345 etc ) Players can only throw a single card or set of three cards. Players cannot throw two cards together in this game.

3) Instantly after throwing a set of three cards players pick 1 card and also keep a card down facing down which is called a flop.

4) The aim of the game is to make a Trump then throw set of three cards and keep a card down which is called a flop, when the cards in the players respective hand gets over the player will need to have made a trump and 3 flops.

5)After making a Trump and 3 Flops players still have the option to exchange any of their cards by throwing 1 card and picking 1 card from the discard pile (the last highest card thrown by the previous player) or from the draw pile.

6) If a player feels that their total of Trump + Flop is the least compared to other players the player can open the game by calling tres but a player can only call Tres when every player is done making 1 Trump and 3 Flops.

7) If any of the players still has cards in his/her hand and if one player is done with making his/her best combination they can simply call pass , if the player happen to call pass continuously for 3 turns the game automatically ends.

7) The player having the least sum total of Trump and Flop will win the game. If the total is same the one who called Tres to open up the game would be on the losing side.