

# BONES

## OBJECTIVE:

The first player to get five spaces in a row of their color, horizontally or vertically, wins the game.

## GETTING STARTED:

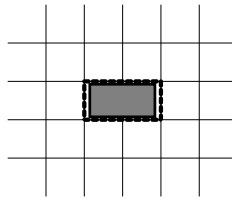
Before a game can be played, the pieces need to be cut out (copying the pieces onto firm paper makes playing with them easier). Each player gets all of the pieces of a given color (more pieces may be used then supplied, if the players need.) Randomly select who goes first, if this is the first time to play; otherwise, the player who lost the last game goes first this game.

## HOW TO PLAY:

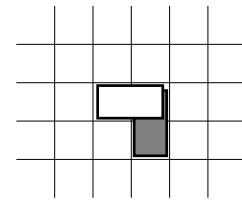
Each player lays one piece on the board, keeping within the following restrictions. Then the other player lays a piece of theirs on the board, also keeping within the following restrictions. Play continues this way until a player gets five squares in a row of their color, horizontally or vertically; thereby winning.

- 1) The first peice played must be layed with at least 1 square inside the start area (2 center squares – dotted line around them.)
- 2) A piece must be layed entirely on the board.
- 3) A piece may be layed partially on top of another piece.
- 4) A piece may not be layed completely on top of another piece that has not yet been partially covered.

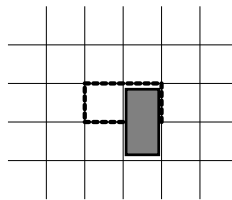
## EXAMPLES OF PLAY:



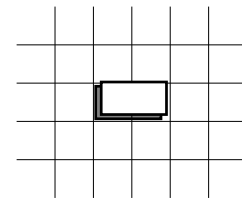
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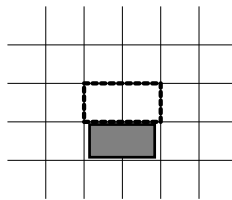
*Legal On Top Of Move*



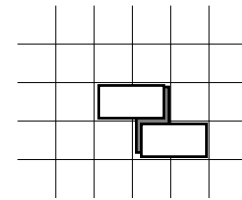
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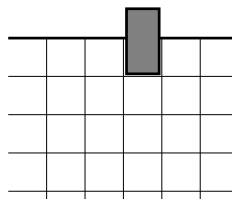
*Illegal On Top Of Move*



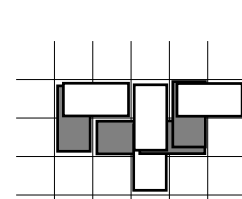
*Illegal First Move*



*Legal On Top Of Move*



*Illegal Off Board Move*



*White Wins!*

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