

Six colorful garden snails are ready to race. Which snail will come in first and which will finish last? Who can guess the outcome? To find out, roll the two colored dice and start the race! Ready, set, go little snails!

Game No. 22052 6 For 2-6 Players, Ages: 3+

#### Contents:

6 Wooden Snails in 6 Colors

2 Colored Dice

I Game Board

## **Object of the Game:**

Guess correctly which snail will cross the finishing line first and last!

## **Getting Started:**

 Put each snail on its matching colored leaf. All the snails will race no matter how many players there are.

## Let's Play!

The youngest player goes first.

- Take turns rolling the two colored dice. Move the two snails that correspond with the colors rolled by one space forward.
  If you roll two of the same color, move that snail two spaces.
- Once the snails are on their way, everyone has to guess which snail will cross the finish line first and which snail will cross it last!
- Each snail has to arrive at the space marked with its colored snail.

# Winning the Game:

The game is not over until the very last snail has crossed the finish line. Both the snail that is first and the snail that is last win the race. The winning players are the ones who guessed the outcome correctly.

# **Game Variations:**

Feel free to mix it up! You can change the rules of the game so that only the snail finishing last or only the snail finishing first is the winner – instead of both.



# Helpful Information:

- The snails are the competitors in the race, not the children playing! This is an effective game for children who may become frustrated by competition. It teaches them that the joy of the game is in playing it, not necessarily winning it – especially if the players decide to make the snail in last place the winner!
- No snail is discouraged about losing they are always willing to race again!
- This game is very helpful for younger children learning color identification. Encourage them to call out which colored snails are moving every time the dice are rolled!
- Have children discover and describe all the details they see in the beautiful scenery around the game board.



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