**Ten-pin** chess**, one of the oldest and** **most popular board games, played by two opponents on a checkered board with specially designed pieces of contrasting colors, commonly white and black. White moves first, after which the player’s alternate turns in accordance with fixed rules, each player attempting to force the opponent’s principal piece, the King, into checkmate—a position where it I s unable to avoid capture.**

Chess:

**Female Games**

**Chess is a board game between two players. Today, chess is one of the world's most popular games, played by millions of people worldwide. It is an abstract strategy game and involves no hidden information. It is played on a chessboard with 64 squares arranged in an eight-by-eight grid. At the start, each player controls sixteen pieces: one king, one queen, two rooks, two bishops two knights and eight pawns Ten Just the word is enough to signify immense strength and love! Over the years, women have achieved incredible feats in diverse fields and the game of Chess is one such area too! Did you know that women weren’t welcome to play chess till as late 19th century and to put things in perspective, Chess is estimated to be invented in the 8th century? After 11 centuries of waiting, women finally got a chance to play in the 1880s in a club in Turin, Italy. This decision was applauded by the then world champion,**[**Wilhelm Steinitz**](https://www.chessjournal.com/wilhelm-steinitz/)**.**

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