

Office Politics

Maternity leave

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After I just received a higher paying permanent position... What are the odds

Play at any time. The next inAction card played by any player must be played on one of your projects.

Annual leave

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Take a surprise holiday leaving your team in the lurch.

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External Secondment

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You take on a project from another department.

Play at any time. Draw a new project.

Breakout Spaces

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Hiding in the breakout space

Play at any time to avoid the effect of an Office Politics card.

Strike!

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Take a stand.

Choose up to two (2) other players to go on strike with you for the next round. If any other player wishes to play an inAction card, they must first do so on one of the striking players' active projects.

Cubicle Mess

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Coffee cup stains, Post it notes and random bits of paper.

Play this card at the start of another player's turn. They must skip this turn.

Calendar Clash

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There is a four minute window of opportunity for all participants can you find it

Play at any time to postpone the quarterly meeting by one round.

Forgot to book meeting room

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The booking spreadsheet is in the tower of doom. Did you not check it?

Play at any time to postpone the quarterly meeting by one round.

Meeting Room is occupied

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Sorry this is really important, we have only go over our allocated time by 4-5 days

Play at any time to postpone the quarterly meeting by one round.

Hot Desking

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I'm feeling hot hot hot for moving my things around

Play at any time. Swap seats with a player of your choosing.

Sexual harassment

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You have caught another player sniffing your chair

Play at any time. Remove 3 development points from a player of your choosing.

Caught on social media

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You notice another player on social media during work

Play at any time. Remove 2 development points from a player of your choosing.

Social media faux pas

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Another player accidentally shared porn on social media

Play at any time. Remove 3 development points from a player of your choosing.

Swipecard malfunction

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Oooo you're definitely going to be late for that meeting

Play immediately. Lose 1 development point.

Firewall

-1

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Favourite Website Blocked. Forced to do work.

Play at any time. Draw an extra card.

Team building day



What a fun day out.

Play at the start of another player's turn.
This player must skip their turn.

The internet is down again



Somebody has to go to basement and visit IT.

Play at the start of another player's turn.
This player must skip their turn.

Fire drill



Just as you were about to finally get down to doing some work

Play at the start of another player's turn.
This player must skip their turn.

Messy office kitchen



Someone left their dishes in the sink

Play on another player of your choosing.
This player is unable to play an Office Politics card on their next turn.

Bureaucracy



You caught another player using the incorrect template.

Play on another player of your choosing.
This player is unable to play any inAction cards on their next turn.

Cultural insensitivity

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Kevin was born here Karen you bitch

Play at any time. Remove 2 development points from a player of your choosing.

Computer crash

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IT have promised new computers unfortunately so far they have only been rolled out to the executive branch

Play at the start of another player's turn.
This player must skip their turn.

Alarm testing



Testing of the alarm system will begin shortly. WOOP WOOP.

Play at the start of another player's turn.
This player must skip their turn.

Incompatible operating system



Sorry you can't open this file, it only supports Doors GRID version 2.3417 you need 2.3418

Play immediately. Skip a turn.

Office prank



Tar and feather a coworker. It's a harmless prank.

Play at the start of another player's turn. This player must skip their turn.

Over capacity



You are overwhelmed with the amount of work you have on your plate.

Play at any time. Choose an active project to give to another player.

CC'ing wrong person into email



You have cc'd the wrong person into a defamatory email.

Play immediately. Discard one Office Politics card from your hand.

CC'ing whole department into email



Accidentally send a personal email to the whole department.

Play immediately Discard one Office Politics card from your hand.

Technology failure



The computer gods are not with you and your videoconference descends into madness.

To be played immediately. Discard all Office Politics cards in your hand.

Staff photos



Say cheese.

Play at the start of another player's turn. This player must skip their turn.

Food poisoning



Firing from both ends.

Play at any time to avoid the effect of an Office Politics card.

Taking the initiative



I'll take that on, no worries.

Play immediately. Steal a random card from a player of your choosing.

Forget colleague's name



Hey buddy.

Play on another player of your choosing. This player is unable to play an Office Politics card on their next turn.

Clothing Malfunction

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Spill spaghetti sauce on your white shirt.

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Appeal to HR

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Stress Leave

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No Visibility

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I haven't had any visibility on that

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Complicated coffee order

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Make mine a double shot, tumeric mocha with almond milk thanks.

Play at the start of another player's turn. This player must skip their turn.

Small talk



Distract another player with small talk. Someone has a case of the Mondays!

Play on another player of your choosing. This player can only draw one card on their next turn.

The really loud guy



Talk too loud on the phone to distract your coworkers.

Play at any time. The player to your left cannot draw an inAction card on their next turn

Personal call



Take a personal call distracting your coworker

Play at any time. The player to your left cannot draw an inAction card on their next turn

Knowledge silo



We have too many knowledge silos, see if you can create a knowledge silo about knowledge silos

Play at any time. Nominate an inAction card type, all players must hand over any and all cards of this type to the player.

Redundancy package

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You have been offered an attractive redundancy package.

Play at any time. This card is worth 5 additional development points at the end of the game.

WhiteBoard it



Draw a series of arrows and points on the whiteboard

Play at any time. Draw an extra card.

Water cooler eavesdropper

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Overhear some juicy gossip at the water cooler.

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It's your birthday!

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It's another player's birthday and they forgot their cake. They need to head out and grab a cake

Play at the start of another player's turn. This player must skip their turn.