

THE ART OF THE GAME

Quiz 1 Solutions

1: Are you allowed to play a development card the turn you buy it?

Answer: Yes, but only if the development card is a Victory Point and it brings me to 10 points.

2: Are you allowed to play a development card before you roll the die??

No

3: What does rolling a 7 allow you to do (mark all that apply)?

There is no space on the board with a 7 on it. When a 7 is rolled, everyone who has strictly more than 7 (8 or more) cards must discard half of their cards rounding down. In addition to this, the player that rolled a 7, must move the robber to a new location and he or she is also allowed to steal a resource from any player who owns a settlement adjacent to the tile the robber was moved to.

4: What do you need to build a settlement (mark all that apply)?

Wood, Brick, Wheat, Sheep

5: For the following image, where is an acceptable location for the red player to build a settlement?

The rules of Catan say that a player is not allowed to build a settlement on a spot adjacent to another settlement.

6: Which player would collect this trick (hand)? (Player A: 8 Spades, Player B: 10 Spades, Player C: Jack Spades, and Player D: 9 Spades)

Player A starts with a spades so whoever played the highest Spade in this trick takes the hand. In this case, it would be player C.

7: Which player would collect this trick (hand)? (Player A: 6 Diamonds, Player B: King Hearts, Player C: 10 Diamonds, and Player D: Queen Spades)

Player A starts with Diamonds so whoever played the highest Diamond in this trick takes the hand. In this case, it would be player C again.

8: Is it a good idea to pass all of your spades? (assuming you don't have all high-card spades)

Often times, beginners will try this to get rid of a suit so that whenever a suit is played, they can play whatever they want on top of it. However, with Spades, in the passing phase, if you get passed a Queen, King, or Ace, you are now in huge trouble.

9: Cooperation is allowed in Hearts. Can you show other people what cards you have?

You are allowed to tell others what cards you have, but you can not directly SHOW them what card you have. (You can lie about what cards you have.)

10: Which player would collect this trick (hand)? (Player A: 2 Clubs, Player B: Ace Clubs, Player C: Jack Clubs, and Player D: 4 Hearts)

This was a tricky question. Since the 2 of Clubs is played, it is the first turn. However, we see that Player D has broken hearts. Therefore this hand is illegal.