Cup Stacking – Game Instruction

Title: Cup Stacking Category: Indoor Subcategory: Kids Players: 1 or more

Time Required: 10–20 Minutes 🕎



Cup Stacking, also known as Speed Stacking, is a fast-paced activity where players race against time to stack and unstack cups in specific sequences. It's an exciting way to improve hand-eye coordination, focus, and fine motor skills, making it an ideal indoor game for kids.

Materials Needed

- 12 plastic or stacking cups (specially designed cups or disposable ones)
- Stopwatch or timer (optional)
- Flat surface (table or floor)

How to Play

Setup:

Provide each player with 12 cups and a stopwatch if competing solo. Use a flat surface to stack the cups.

Objective:

Stack and unstack the cups in specific formations (like 3-6-3 or 1-10-1) as fast as possible.

Rules:

- Players start with cups nested in one stack.
- Build the required pattern (e.g., 3 cups, 6 cups, 3 cups).
- Once the formation is complete, unstack back into one stack.
- If cups fall, players must fix them before continuing.
- Compete solo for best time or against others for fastest finish.

Winning:

Fastest stacker with a correct formation wins!

? Tips & Variations

- Use colored cups to add a memory or color sequence challenge.
- Create relay teams to build team spirit and competition.
- Incorporate timing apps for solo practice and improvement.
- Add music for a high-energy challenge round.