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4 plate boards, 40 cupcake cards, 1 recipe board (showing the 10 different cupcakes on the reverse)

Setting up

- Each player chooses a plate board, on which they will place the cupcake cards that they collect during play.
- One of each of the ten different cupcake cards are spread, face up, on the table. To help younger players to find the different cards, the ten different cupcake cards are shown on the reverse of the recipe board.
- The rest of the cupcake cards are shuffled and placed, face down, in a pile on the table.

Object

To collect the most cupcake cards on your plate board.

To play

- The youngest player starts by picking up the top cupcake card from the face down pile. If the card matches one of the face up cupcake cards on the table, they pick up the card and place the matching pair, face up, on their plate.
- If the card matches the top cupcake card on their own pile, they
 may add the card to their pile (if the card also matches a face up
 cupcake card on the table, they may add both cards to their pile).
- If the card does not match one of the face up cupcake cards on the table, or the top card on their own pile, the player checks to see if the card matches one of the top cards on the other players' plate boards. If it does, they ask that player "Would you like a cupcake?" The other player should be encouraged to reply "yes please" and to say "thank you" as they take the cup cake to add to the pile on their plate board.
- If a player picks up a cupcake card which doesn't match any of the face up cards (on the table or on top of any player's pile) they place that card, face up, with the other cards on the table.
- Play then passes to the next player and continues in this way until there are no more face down cards to pick up.

The winner

The winner is the player with the most cupcake cards on their plate board when there are no more face down cards to pick up.

When you have finished playing

Why not make and decorate your own delicious cupcakes, using the delicious recipe on the supplied recipe board?



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