

Commercial Games That Use Mathematics

Many games you have at home or see at the local store involve mathematical thinking. Children develop their skills in an almost effortless way when they play these games with each other and adults.

Counting, Adding, and Subtracting

- ❖ Chutes and Ladders
- ❖ Monopoly
- ❖ Racko
- ❖ Sorry!
- ❖ Trouble
- ❖ Uno
- ❖ Yahztee

Attributes, Patterns, and Geometry

- ❖ Crazy Eights-traditional card game
- ❖ Jigsaw Puzzles
- ❖ Rummikub
- ❖ Tangrams



Strategy and Spatial Perception

- ❖ Battleship
- ❖ Checkers
- ❖ Clue Jr. and Clue
- ❖ Connect Four
- ❖ Jenga
- ❖ Memory Games
- ❖ Othello
- ❖ Phase 10

More excellent games can be found on the internet by searching under "educational math games".