



Unit 2

Family board games

International cultural knowledge – Games

- 1 Popatrz na zdjęcie i przeczytaj tytuł artykułu. Grałeś/gralaś w opisaną grę? Jakie inne gry planszowe znasz?
- 2 Przeczytaj tekst.



FAMILY FUN:

A FAMOUS BOARD GAME

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Board games are games you play on a special board, with one or more players. You usually move an object around the board and there is often a dice with spots on.

B

Players throw the dice. The number of spots on top tells them how many moves they can make. So luck is sometimes important in these games.

C

Chinese board games like Go and Mah Jongg are still popular after 4,000 years. Today, we have home computers and video games, but children and adults love traditional board games too.

D

Board games are very popular for families to play at home. Traditional board games are good because family members of all ages can play together.

E

Monopoly is the best-selling board game. The British Monopoly board takes you to famous places in London – Whitehall, Oxford Street, Trafalgar Square.

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There are international versions for other countries in different languages. So, an elegant address in London like Mayfair becomes Rue de la Paix in the French version, and Schlossallee in the German version.

G

In Monopoly, you buy and sell houses, hotels and stations. When you win, you get rich. But when you lose ... don't worry. It's only Monopoly money, not real money!

WORD BOOSTER

Dopasuj wyrazy 1–5 do definicji a–e.

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| 1 dice | a typical of things people usually do now, and in the past |
| 2 throw | b make something leave your hand and move in the air |
| 3 luck | c success by chance, not because you do something |
| 4 traditional | d make a lot of money |
| 5 get rich | e small block with a number of spots on each side |

3 Dopasuj pytania 1–7 do odpowiednich luk A–G w tekście.

- 1 How do you usually play?
- 2 How do you win in Monopoly?
- 3 Do we still play board games today?
- 4 What are board games?
- 5 What is the world's number one board game?
- 6 What makes them successful?
- 7 Do people play Monopoly in other countries?

4 Przeczytaj zdania i wybierz prawidłowe odpowiedzi.

- 1 For games with dice, you sometimes need genius / luck.
- 2 Players like / don't like old Chinese board games now.
- 3 These games are popular because / but all the family can play.
- 4 You play British Monopoly in Oxford Street / English.
- 5 You win / don't win real money when you play Monopoly.

5 Odpowiedz na pytania.

What is your favourite board game? When do you play it, and who do you play it with?

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i INSIDE INFORMATION

- People in 103 countries play Monopoly.
- You can find Monopoly in 37 different languages.
- There is a special Braille edition for blind players.