

Concentration

The Deal

Any player shuffles the pack and spreads all the cards out, face down all over the table, one at a time, so that no two cards touch or overlap at the corners

Object of the Game

The goal is to collect pairs of cards of the same rank, such as two sixes or two queens

The Play

The first player may be decided in any way. He turns up any two cards on the table, leaving the first card face up until he has turned the second. If the two cards form a pair, the player takes them and puts them face down in front of him in a pile, and then he turns up two more cards. Whenever the two cards turned up do not form a pair, the player, after a pause of at least five seconds, turns both cards face down again, leaving them in exactly the same position on the table. It is then the next player's turn (the player to the left). Play proceeds in the same manner.

The player who takes in the greatest number of pairs is the winner.

