Choose the color of your tokens. Each player takes all the tokens of one color. (If you have more than four players, see the special instructions for team play on the back page.)

Open up the board, take all the goodies out of the box, and set them up so everyone can see everything.

You’re ready to start Cadoo! The youngest player goes first.
2. Get started

Object of the Game
Be the first to get a Cadoo (four tokens in a row—across, up and down, or diagonally) to win!

On Your Turn
1. Roll the die to see which kind of card you get—SOLO or COMBO.
2. Draw your own card and read it out loud so everyone can hear you. Your card tells you what to do and how to place tokens if you succeed.
3. Start the timer when you’re ready to begin your Cadoo challenge. Can you beat the timer? Congratulations! You’re on your way to a Cadoo.
4. Pass the die to the player on your left. Your turn ends after one card.

3. Place your tokens

IF YOU SUCCEED ON A SOLO CARD
Way to go! Put one token on any open spot. No one can place a token on top of yours.

IF YOU SUCCEED ON A COMBO CARD
Excellent! You put one token on any open spot, and the player who shouted out the right answer puts a token on top of yours. Both of you can use that spot to go for your four-in-a-row Cadoo. If nobody guesses correctly, you may not place tokens on the board.

4. Get a Cadoo to win

Be the first to get a four-in-a-row Cadoo and you win! But you can win only on a SOLO card! Say you have three tokens in a row and you roll a COMBO. You can still do the COMBO, and you still get to place tokens if you succeed—you just can’t choose the spot that would complete a Cadoo. Only a SOLO card gives you a chance to go for that fourth winning spot.

For Example
Blue would have to roll a SOLO to play for this spot and get a Cadoo. If Red shouts out Blue’s COMBO answer, Blue can’t choose this spot, because it would give Red a four-in-a-row Cadoo on a COMBO.

What if nobody gets a Cadoo?
This happens sometimes. Keep playing until the board is full. The player with the most tokens on the board wins the game.