

This is a game for two or three people.

**Goal:** Use the pentomino pieces to cover the game board.

How to play: Work with your partners to cover a 6-inch by 10-inch grid with 12 pentomino pieces so there are no squares on the grid that are left uncovered and no places where part or all of a pentomino piece is outside the grid. If playing with two people, each person starts with 6 pieces. If playing with three people, each person starts with four pieces. Take turns placing the pieces on the board. Talk about the best order to play the pieces so the whole board is covered!

**How the game ends:** You have completed the game when you have successfully covered the entire game board with pentomino pieces.

