

# BRINGO

## ORIGINAL EDITION

**BRINGO** was born out of necessity (thanks COVID-19!) as a fun way to connect remotely with friends, family, colleagues, and even strangers in play! **BRINGO** is fun, easy, customizable, and self-isolation friendly! It's intended to be played via video call, on any platform that allows for the amount of people playing.

In the spirit of innovation and adaptability, it is encouraged to **take this game and make it your own**. Don't like the rules? *Change 'em!* Want to do make a Star Wars Edition? *May the Forage be with You!* A music edition where you fetch only vinyls from your shelf? *Rock n' Roll!* Whether you **follow, break, or make the rules**, take pics and tag **#bringo** on social media!



## HOW TO PLAY

ALL AGES!  
3+ PLAYERS

- ALL: Choose a game master!** This person will administer the game.
- GAME MASTER: Select COUNTDOWN music!** Use this [one](#) or search for your own.
- GM: Choose your ITEMS!** Fill in the sample table, or create your own. Keep hidden!
- GM: Players ready? Any questions?** Get your timer ready and have your list handy.
- ALL: Mute your mics**, and keep your volume up.
- GM: Test audio.** Make sure your countdown music is audible and all mics are muted.
- ALL: Let's Begin!** Once the Game Master calls out an item - for example **"BANANA"** - you have **45 seconds** to **FIND** and **BRING** a BANANA back to your seat. If you don't have the item, do nothing.
- GM: Start music.** 45 second countdown begins.
- GM: Stop music** and yell **"TIME'S UP!"**. When everyone is back say: **"FLASH!"**
- ALL: Flash** your item to the camera and note your **score**. (Now is a great time for screenshots!)
- GM: Check for winners** every round, and/or wait for a BRINGO!

### How To Win?

When you reach **10 points**, unmute your mic and yell **BRINGO!**

### What If There is a Tie?

If 2 or more players get 10 points, it's time for a **BRING-OFF!**

- Winners will be given 30 seconds to retrieve an item.
- The first player to return with the item **WINS!**
- If 2 or more players return at the same time, continue naming items while decreasing the time limit by 15-second increments, until a winner emerges!



## POINTS

- Give yourself **1 POINT** for each:
- Item you **FIND and BRING** back
  - Item you **FIND** without leaving your **seat**



## EASY

Most will have this  
Excellent starters

A book  
Mug  
Spoon

## AVERAGE

Some will have this  
Keep the pace going

A *specific* book  
Cast iron pan  
Rice

## OBSCURE

Most won't have this  
Slow the game down

Old CDN dollar bill  
Unicorn magnet  
Tripod

## GIVENS

Usually 2 pointers!  
Hurry the game along

Keyboard  
Piece of paper  
Smartphone

SAMPLE  
ITEM  
LIST

GAME  
KEEPER'S  
CARD

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WITH  
SAMPLE  
ITEMS



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Book	Red pen	Decaf coffee	Pen (any colour)
Plastic water bottle	Atlas or Almanac	N-95 mask	Keyboard
Toilet paper	Pink highlighter	Non-English dictionary	Telephone
USB cable	Reusable water bottle	Loofah	Paper
Toothbrush	Stuffed animal	Sticky tape lint roller	Mouse
Spoon	Sunglasses (put them on)	A shiny hat (put it on)	Computer
Bread	Sourdough bread	Wok	Post-it note
Mug	Reusable face mask	Costume mask (put it on)	Item of clothing
Plastic bag	Disposable gloves	Bread made AT HOME	Calendar
Headphones	DVD	First Aid kit	Stray hair

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