Alternate Activities

- Play the game again. This time say the letter you think is correct and the grammar rule. Move forward, only if you get both the error and the rule correct.
- After finishing the game, take the five headline cards and write an article for each. Make sure to use the headline in the article.

Introduction

You just got a fun and exciting job as an editor at your local newspaper! Your duties are to correct the errors found in each department’s headlines. You will be looking for errors in punctuation, capitalization, grammar, spelling, and verb tense. Impress your boss, by being the first to correctly edit all the errors, make your very own newspaper edition, and Go to Press!

Object of the Game: Collect one headline card from each of the five departments and return to the boss’s office.

How to Start

1. Separate the cards by color and place them face up next to the department that it matches.
2. Each player chooses a game piece and places it on one of the start spaces on the game board.
3. Each player rolls the die. The player with the highest number goes first. Play continues to the right.
How to Play

1. Roll the die.
2. From your space, move the amount of spaces the die shows. You can only move to spaces that are touching each other on at least one side. You can’t move diagonally. You will want to enter each department.
   • If you land on a square outside an entrance, you may enter the department on that roll.
   • If you roll a higher number than you need to enter the department, you can go in.

Ex: If you roll a 4 and you only need to move 1 space, you may enter.

3. Once you are inside a department, choose a headline card from the top of the pile.
4. Read the card to yourself or aloud.
5. Choose the letter that you think is right and say it out loud.
6. Flip the card over and see if you were correct. The errors made on the front side of the card will be corrected and highlighted so corrections can be seen. You are looking at a perfectly edited sentence!

7. If you were right, keep the card and start your newspaper. Your turn is now over. It is now the next player’s turn.
   • Some cards might have two errors. You need to correct all the errors in order to keep the card.
8. If you were wrong, put the card at the end of the pile. Your turn is now over. You will need to stay in the department until you answer a card correctly. It is now the next player’s turn.
   • Players can only answer one headline card from the Copy Room.

The Copy Room-Free for all!

1. Once you are in the Copy Room, take a headline card from any department that you need. This will take the place of going to one of the departments.
2. Read the card.
3. Choose the letter that you think is right and say it out loud.
4. Flip the card over and see if you were correct. The errors made on the front side of the card will be corrected and highlighted so corrections can be seen. You are looking at a perfectly edited sentence!
5. If you were right, keep the card to continue making your newspaper. Your turn is now over. It is now the next player’s turn.
   • Some cards might have two errors. You need to correct all the errors in order to keep the card.
6. If you were wrong, put the card at the end of the pile. Your turn is now over. You will need to stay in the department until you answer a card correctly. It is now the next player’s turn.

How to Win

1. Continue playing until someone has collected a headline card from each of the five departments. (Entertainment, Sports, Weather, Business, and Local News)
2. Make your way back to the boss’s office by rolling the die on each turn.
3. If you are lucky and land on a “Boss’s Office” square, you can go directly to the boss’s office.
4. If you land on a square outside an entrance to the boss’s office, you can go in.
5. The first person to enter the boss’s office with a complete newspaper yells, “Go to Press!” and wins.