Word Race: Level 1

Race to the FINISH. Land on a ? square and answer a question card.

30 **FINISH**	29	28	27 **?**	26
21	22	23	24 **go on 2**	25
20 **?**	19	18	17 **back 2**	16
11	12	13 **?**	14	15
10	9 **go on 2**	8	7	6
1 **START**	2	3	4	5 **?**

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Question cards

Word Race Level 1: cut out all 24 cards.

1

Spell the word: cat

Answer: c-a-t

2

Say three animals.

Answer: Any three, for example dog, bird, fish

3

Finish: I ___ a girl.

Answer: am

4

What is the opposite of big?

Answer: small

5

Say a word that starts with b.

Answer: For example ball, book, bag

6

How do you say hello in the morning?

Answer: Good morning

7

Count from one to ten.

Answer: one, two, three ... ten

8

Spell the word: dog

Answer: d-o-g

9

Name three colours.

Answer: Any three

10

Make a sentence with the word like.

Answer: For example I like apples.

11

Which day comes after Monday?

Answer: Tuesday

12

What is the plural of book?

Answer: books

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Say five things you can see in the room.

Answer: Any five

14

Point to your nose and say the word.

Answer: nose

15

Finish: She ___ a cat.

Answer: has

16

Spell the word: sun

Answer: s-u-n

17

What do you say when you meet someone new?

Answer: Nice to meet you.

18

Unjumble: u b s

Answer: bus

19

Which colour do you get from blue and yellow?

Answer: green

20

What is the opposite of hot?

Answer: cold

21

How many legs does a dog have?

Answer: four

22

Finish: We ___ happy.

Answer: are

23

Name three foods.

Answer: Any three

24

Say the alphabet from a to e.

Answer: a, b, c, d, e

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How to play

Word Race Level 1

1. Play with two to five players. You need a counter each, one dice, and the 24 question cards in a pile, face down.
2. Take turns to roll the dice and move that many squares along the track.
3. If you land on a ? square, a partner takes the top card and reads the question aloud. Answer it correctly to stay. If you cannot, go back one square.
4. Squares marked go on 2 and back 2 do exactly what they say.
5. The first player to reach FINISH with an exact roll wins. In a big class, the winner of each group moves to a new group.
6. Teachers: the answers are printed small at the bottom of every card. For an extra challenge, ask for a full sentence.

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