

Lotto Primo

A first Lotto game for 1 – 3 children from 3 years.

Game type:	Picture search and placement game
Players:	For 1 – 3 children from 3 years
Contents:	3 picture boards and 12 picture tiles, 1 instructions
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Note for parents

It is a good idea if the children look through the cards first before starting the game so that they can learn to recognise the motifs. It will also help if you name the motifs that they should find.

Aim of the game

To be the first player to fill their board with the correct matching tiles.

Course of the game

If only one child plays, all boards are placed on the table in front of them and the tiles are spread out face-up within reach. Now the child can place the tiles row for row until they are all correctly placed.

A game leader (perhaps Mum or the eldest child) will be needed to name the pictures on the tiles **when two or three children are playing**. Each child receives a board which they place on the table in front of them. The tiles are then mixed up and placed face-down in a pile.

The job of the game leader is to take each tile off the pile, to name it and show it to the players who then check their boards to see if the tile belongs to them. The player who sees that it belongs to them must call out and will be given the tile to place on their board. If no one recognises the tile, it is put back at the bottom of the pile and the game continues with the leader calling out the names of the motifs until the first player fills his board.

End of the game

The winner is the first player to fill their board.

Variation

„Listen carefully!“ is a more difficult version of the game, whereby the leader only names the tile motif but doesn't show it. Try it out!