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Dear Parents!

Congratulations on your purchase of a quality product from Cubes.Art™.

You have made the best choice because with Chess Junior™ you can quickly and easily learn the rules of chess.

Chess is a strategy board game for 2 people. The game is played with 16 white and 16 black (counterpart) pieces on a square board with 64 fields.

This guide provides you with explanations of the rules of movement for the rook, bishop, king, pawn, knight and queen as well as 12 junior games that build upon one another and have a reduced number of pieces.

The playing time of a junior match ranges from 5 to 20 minutes.

After learning the rules of movement in the figures' paths, important chess situations such as the 'Capturing', 'Cover', 'Counter-Attack', 'Threat', 'Double Attack' and 'Forced Move' will follow.

A typical 'stalemate' and 'checkmate' are explained in the learning steps 10 to 12.

The starting positions and the initial number of figures serve as an example and should be varied.

Tip: Children prefer to start playing with all of the pieces. Therefore, only take the required pieces from the game box.

Have fun and good luck playing chess.



Pirate Chess

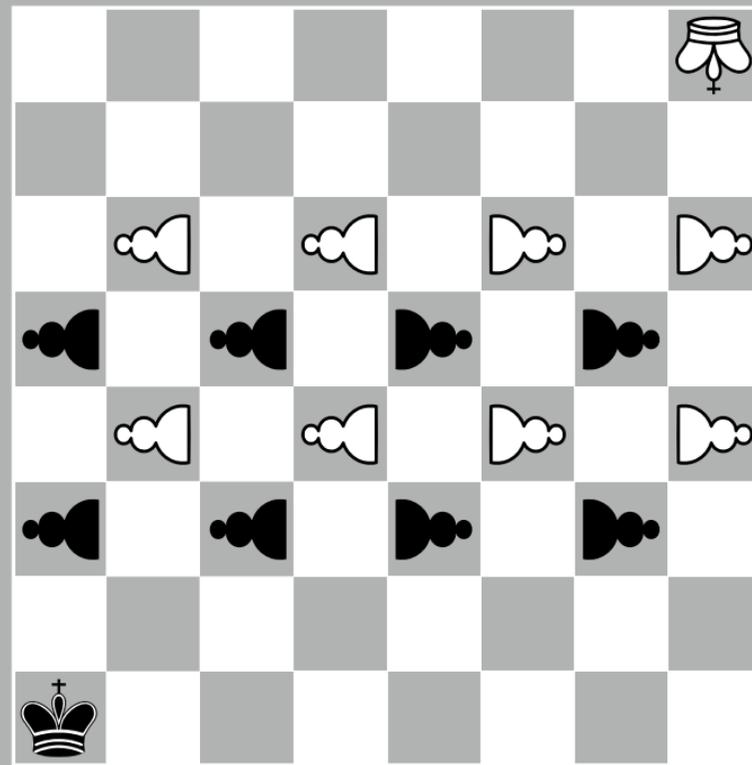
Set the pieces up as shown on the right. The players take turns alternately and only move the kings. The junior player opens.

The two kings are pirates and collect the treasures. The player who has collected the most treasure (black and white pawns) at the end, wins.

Warning: If a pirate moves to a field across from the other pirate, it must return to its starting field again.

For advanced players: Instead of kings, one white and one black knight can be used as pirates.

Starting Position



1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12



Awesome!

You've done it and mastered the important chess rules. Thus, you have obtained the skills to play the game properly and put the opponent's king in checkmate.

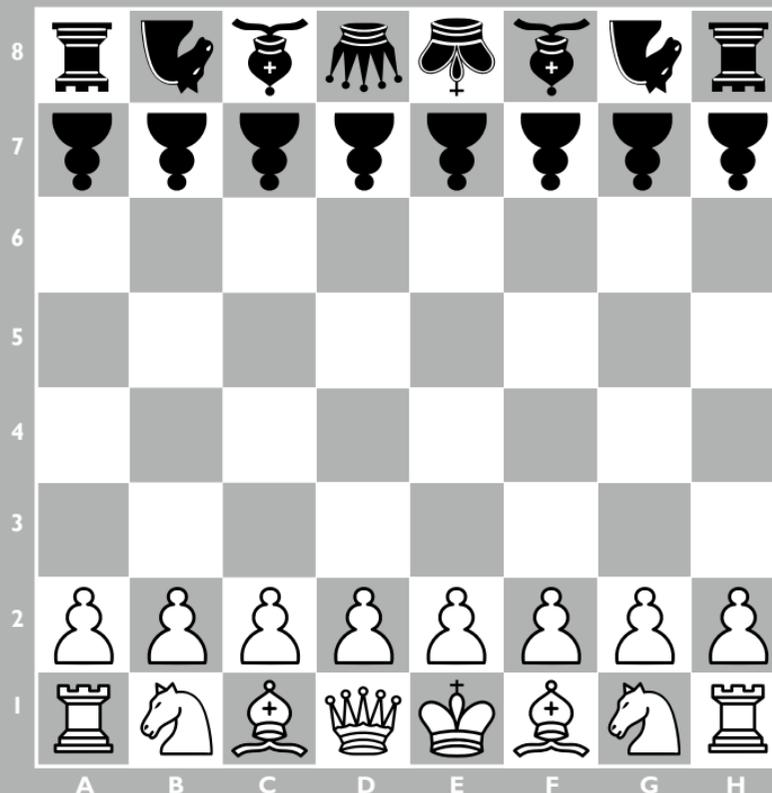
Now we continue with 'castling', 'pawn promotion', the notation, learning opening rules, typical tactical themes and position evaluation.

Get to know chess-pals and ask about current course offerings in your school, a chess club near you or at your (regional) Chess Federation.

Have Fun!

PS: With the junior games, you can teach your friends with your knowledge and inspire them to play chess!

Tournament Initial Position





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