

Rules for Playing  
Parker Brothers  
**DOUBLE PICKUP STICKS**



**OBJECT:**

The object of this game is to score the highest number of points.

**EQUIPMENT:**

There are 82 sticks of various colors.

**PLAY:**

The first player picks up all the sticks in one hand, holding them about the center with one end of the sticks resting on the table. He opens his hand quickly and lets all the sticks fall to the table. This same player now picks up one stick at a time *without moving any of the other sticks*. As soon as he moves any stick other than the one he is picking up, his turn ends. The next player must pick up all the sticks and drop them again in the same manner. Play continues in this manner. A player may use one or both of his hands in picking up a stick.

**THE BLACK STICKS:**

Whenever a player picks up a black stick, he may use it as an aid in picking up the other sticks.

**SCORING VALUE:**

<i>Color</i>	<i>Scoring Value</i>
Black	25 points each
Blue	15 points each
Green	15 points each
Yellow	5 points each
Red	5 points each

**WINNING THE GAME:**

After each player has had a turn, the game ends. The player with the highest score *wins the game*.

**GROUP PLAY**

When there are more than 4 players, it is fun to divide the sticks in half. This allows two players to play at the same time and speeds up the game.

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Questions on the rules for this game will be answered gladly if correct return postage is enclosed with your letter. Address:

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