

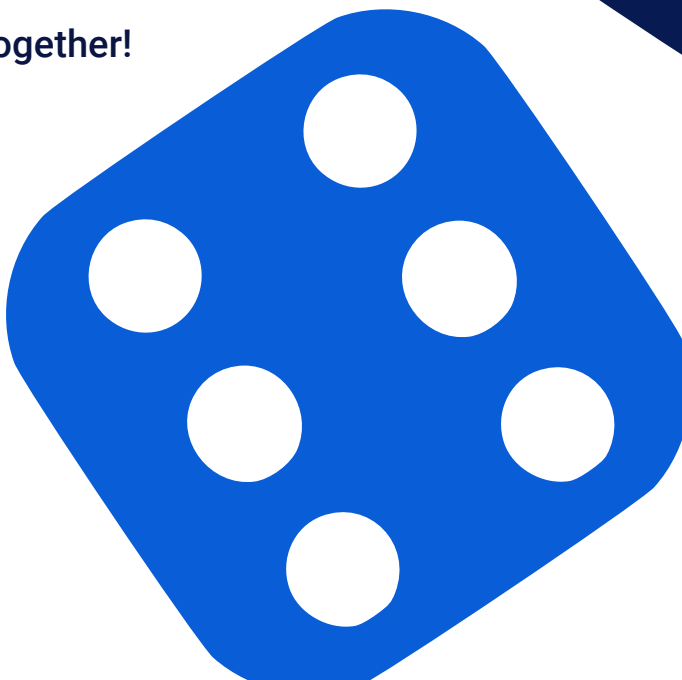
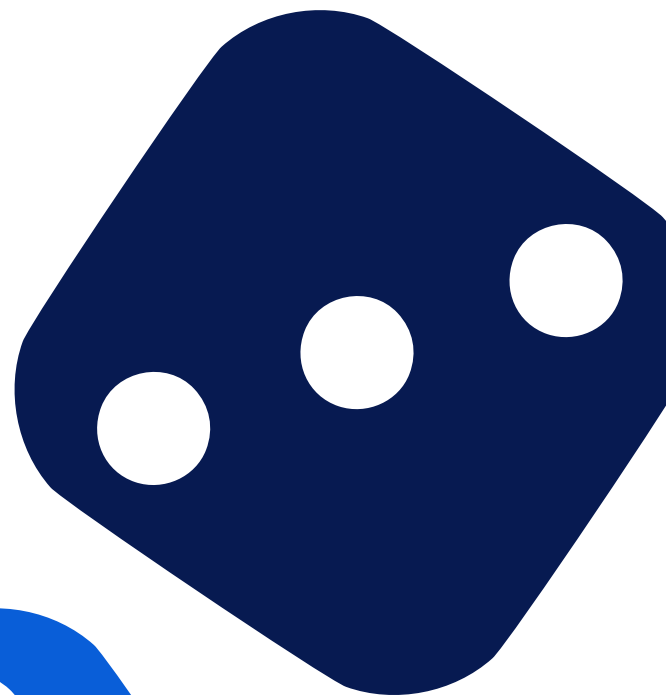
# SHUT THE BOX CARD GAME

## Instructions:

- Lay out the number cards in order from 1 to 9.
- Roll two dice. Add the numbers together.
- Flip down one or more cards that add up to the total.
  - Example: If you roll a 7, you could shut:
    - 7
    - 3 and 4
- Keep rolling and flipping until you can't make a match for your roll.
- Game ends when no more matches can be made.
- Add up any cards still showing — that's your score. Lowest score wins!

## Optional Variations:

- Use just one die for younger players.
- Try timed rounds for fluency practice.
- Play cooperatively and try to shut the whole box together!



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No box? No problem! You don't need a fancy game set to enjoy Shut the Box. Just print our card version, grab your scissors, and you're ready to play! We've even included a template to create your own paper dice—perfect for classrooms, road trips, or rainy days. All the hands-on math fun, no box required!

