## **Grammar City**

Aim Grammar and speaking practice.

**Level** lower intermediate – advanced (depending on Q.- card difficulty)

**Players** three or four

**Time** 50 – 60 minutes (with 6 or 7 Grammar Card sheets)

Materials One game board per group of players; one game board marker per

player; one die per group of 4 players); play money (approximately fifteen cut-up sheets of play money per group); question cards

#### **Setting up the Game**

- With **4 players**, assign one color per person: green, yellow, red, and blue.
- Each player receives \$800.
- The remaining money is set aside in a pile. This money is referred to as the 'BANK'.
- Each group receives one set of QUESTION CARDS (the teacher can select which cards are appropriate for the level of his/her learners).
- Each of the four players then chooses a board marker and places it on the START square.

### **Playing the Game**

- "Player 1" begins the game by rolling the die on the desk and moving his/her board piece forward accordingly.
- If "Player 1" rolls a "three" and lands on the Movie Theater, the owner of that property picks up a Question Card and shows it to "Player 1" make sure the answer at the bottom of the card is covered by a thumb! If "Player 1" correctly answers the question, he/she receives \$100 from the property owner. An incorrect answer means "Player 1" pays \$100 to the property owner. Play then continues as above with the other players taking turns and rolling the die.

- If a player lands on his/her own property, any money exchanged occurs between that player and the bank (Any of the other three players can act as the BANK and ask the question.).
- Landing on "PAY THE BANK \$100": That player must pay \$100 to the BANK, and immediately continue their turn with another roll of the die.
- Landing on "TELL A FUNNY OR INTERESTING STORY": \$200 is received from the BANK after telling a story in English, of course!
- Each player receives \$200 payment from the BANK each time he or she lands on or passes "START".
- **THREE PLAYERS:** See Page 2 below

### Winning the Game

Play continues until all the Question Cards have been used or until the time specified by the teacher is reached. The player with the most money is the winner.



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player; one die per group of 4 players); play money (approximately fifteen cut-up sheets of play money per group); question cards

#### **Three Players**

- With **3 players**, assign one color per person: green, yellow, red. Blue properties belong to the 'Bank'
- When a player lands on a blue Bank property, either of the other two players can pick up a question card and ask the question (as above, on Page 1). However, if the person who rolled the die answers correctly, then he/she receives \$100 from the Bank. If the person answers incorrectly, he/she must pay \$100 to the Bank.
- Play continues as normal, until all the Question Cards have been used or until the specified time is up.

My Notes





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