




NOTES ON PLAY

- There are no right or wrong answers to any of the questions, and Question Cards can be played multiple times if you are with a new group of players.
- Players will decide how long a player has to determine an answer.
- This game is best played if you abide by all the instructions in Steps #3 and #4 in the 'On Your Turn' section. We promise. 
- The Abide cards simply determine what number you read from the Question Card on your turn, while adding some "ins and outs" with three random cards that can help or hurt your chances of winning.
- We recommend playing this game with 4-6 players, because fewer players makes the game too easy, and too many players makes it too confusing when matching players' answers.
- To print FREE replacement answer sheets, visit our website at **LoadedQuestions.com**. 
- We hope you get a chance to enjoy *The Big Lebowski*™ movie soon. In the meantime, we hope you enjoy this game!



 A coffee can plays a role at the end of *The Big Lebowski*™ and signals the end of this game's rules. All of the artwork featured in this game was created by and is under license from artist, Dave Perillo.

If you have any questions, comments or feedback about this game, you can always send us an email from www.LoadedQuestions.com, which features more Loaded Questions® games and all of our other 'creative games for active minds'.

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4-6 PLAYERS / AGES 17-ADULT

This is not 'Nam. There are rules...and here they are in the simplest form we deemed possible. And you don't need to know a single thing about *The Big Lebowski*™ to enjoy/win this game...for this is a game of 180 creative, discussion-fueled Loaded Questions®...and you get to write any answer you want. Along the way, you and your fellow players collect money by (a) guessing 'which player wrote which answer' on your own turn and (b) writing the 'favorite' answer on everyone else's turn. The player with the most amount of money after three full rounds wins the game.

What is the reference to Loaded Questions®, Dude?

Loaded Questions® is a popular board game based on the idea that a single open-ended question can spark countless answers and hours of creative discussion. This concept is especially true when people react to and discuss elements of pop culture. Because the inventor of Loaded Questions® is such a fan of *The Big Lebowski*™ and considers the cult classic film a creative masterpiece meant to be watched and discussed, he thought this game was a logical place to start asking some new Loaded Questions®. Enjoy!

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- **10 Question Cards** (180 Loaded Questions®)
- **55 Money Cards** (including one \$2,000 card; three \$1,500 cards; sixteen each of \$1,000, \$750 and \$500 cards; three \$250 cards)
- **21 Abide Cards** (one for each of the 18 questions on the Question Cards + three special rules cards)
- **Answer Pad**
- **6 Pencils**



SET-UP

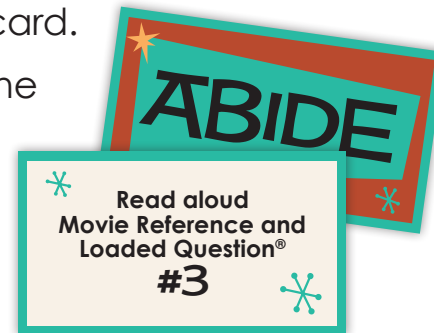
1. Shuffle and place the deck of Money cards facedown in the middle of the play area.
2. Shuffle and place the deck of Abide cards facedown in the middle of the play area.
3. All players take an answer sheet/pencil and write their name at the top of their sheet.
4. Pick any one of the 10 Question Cards to use during the game. (This will be the only card you need during the game.) The remaining 9 cards can be placed back in the box.
5. The shortest player takes the Question Card and starts the game by following the rules below. Play moves clockwise.
 - We recommend you start every game by reading aloud the introduction on the inside cover of the Question Card in play.



Every Question Card features one or more of *The Big Lebowski's*™ main characters (or toes) on the cover and 18 creative, open-ended Loaded Questions® inspired by the characters/movie. Every Question Card is marvelous, so pick one and start playing!

ON YOUR TURN...

1. Pick and read aloud the top card from the Abide deck. Place the card face-up next to the Abide deck. Abide by the card.
2. Open up the Question Card and read aloud the corresponding movie reference and related Loaded Question®. (You may want to read the question twice as a reminder for players.)
3. All other players (not you) secretly write their personal answer to the question on their answer sheet.
 - Use one line per answer and work your way down the answer sheet.
 - There are no right or wrong answers, and your answers are not meant to reference the movie. You can write anything you want, but **write neatly**. Humorous/creative answers will help you win.



4. All answers are collected, shuffled, and read aloud by the player to your right. (You will not see the handwriting, because the player to your right is reading the answers aloud.) After hearing **ALL** of the answers, you must **FIRST** pick your favorite answer and **THEN** guess which player wrote which answer.
 - It helps to hear the question again before answers are read aloud.
 - The reader should familiarize himself/herself with the answers before reading them aloud.
 - Players should be discreet when answers are read aloud, and when you are selecting your favorite answer and guessing 'who wrote what'.
 - Whether you like an answer because it was hilarious, honest, creative or ridiculous, you get to decide your 'favorite'. It's just, like, your opinion, man.
 - The right side of your answer sheets can be used to jot down notes when you're trying to guess players' answers...or you can just doodle like Jackie Treehorn.

5. After you have guessed **ALL** answers (not one at a time), the player to your right reveals which player wrote which answer. For every correct match, pick a Money card from the top of the deck. After you have taken your Money card(s), the player who wrote your favorite answer picks one card from the top of the Money deck. (We recommend keeping the dollar amounts of your Money cards secret until the end of the game.) Following your turn, the Question Card is passed to the player to your left and play moves clockwise until every player has played three questions (three turns).



HOW TO WIN

- The player with the most amount of money after three full rounds wins the game. Even if you only have a few Money cards at the end of the game, your amount might be greater than the player who picked the lower denomination cards. In the end, it's just a game, man.
- If there are no Money cards left before the end of the three rounds, the game is over and the player with the most amount of money wins.