



A Blustery Board Game

Based on the Ling & Ting book series
by Grace Lin (Little, Brown Books for Young Readers)



For 2 to 4 Players / Ages 5+

The twins, Ling & Ting, are about to experience all the weather of the year. Which one of them will arrive at the double rainbow first? Blustery shifts in the weather will blow them forward and backward along the game board.

OBJECT

Be the first player to discover the double rainbow by landing on or passing the space marked FINISH.

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Game board
20 game cards
10 blank cards

NEED

Scissors
Glue stick or tape
Coins

SETUP

1. Read ***Ling & Ting: Together in All Weather*** or other Ling & Ting adventures by Grace Lin (Little, Brown Books for Young Readers).

2. The gameboard is in two pieces. Trim the white border off of the left side of the 2nd page of the gameboard. Run a glue stick along the right border of the 1st page of the gameboard. Lay the left edge of the 2nd page on top of the right edge of the 1st page until the two pages are lined up.

3. Cut out the game cards, shuffle them, and place them facedown on the game board. Color the blank sides for a brighter game!

SETUP (cont.)

4. If you would like to, cut out the blank cards and make your own game cards based on Ling & Ting's adventures.

5. Locate some game pieces. Ling & Ting have a funny lemonade stand adventure with nickels. Look for loose change to use as game pieces. The heads and tails sides of coins could help you distinguish between players. You can also come up with your own creative game pieces!

6. Place your game pieces on the START square.

GAMEPLAY

1. **Who goes first?** Flip a coin to see who goes first.

2. **Pick a card!** On your turn, draw a card. The card will tell you whether to "step" forward, step back, miss a turn, or swap spaces with another player.

3. **One piece per square!** No two game pieces can be on the same square. If you land on a square and there is already a game piece there, you can push the other player's game piece back one space. If there is a game piece on that square as well, push the other player's game piece back to the next free square.

4. **Sliding rainbows!** There are two rainbow slides on the game board. One will slide you back and the other will slide you forward. Follow the rainbow down to the connecting square.

5. **Winning!** Play as above until a player reaches or passes the square marked FINISH!

6. **Play By Your Own Rules!** You are as creative and mischievous as Ling & Ting. When you play again, make some game cards of your own invention or agree on new rules and challenges. If you come up with any good new rules or game cards, share them with Grace Lin on her Facebook page (Facebook.com/AuthorGraceLin/). She would love to hear about them!

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You can find Ling & Ting's adventures in the pages of the books by Grace Lin
(Little, Brown Books for Young Readers). www.GraceLin.com

<p>You are so “surprised” by a lightning strike that you miss a turn.</p>	<p>You made five cents selling lemonade. Take 5 steps to celebrate!</p>
<p>The sun is shining. Take 4 happy steps forward.</p>	<p>You lost your hat. Go back 2 steps to find it.</p>
<p>The wind blows you 2 steps forward. Whoosh!</p>	<p>You raked all the leaves. Good job! Take 4 steps forward.</p>
<p>You pretend to be sick to avoid shoveling snow. Miss your turn.</p>	<p>You trick your sister with “old Chinese Medicine.” Switch places with another player.</p>
<p>You stomp and splash in the puddles for 6 wet steps.</p>	<p>Your hat is caught in a tree. Take 1 step forward to get it down.</p>

<p>The snow is very deep. Shovel 1 laborious step forward.</p>	<p>You forgot your yellow umbrella. Go back 1 step to get it.</p>
<p>Spring is coming! Run forward 6 steps to meet the warm weather!</p>	<p>You mistake your hat for a flower. Scratch your head and miss a turn.</p>
<p>It is sunny and raining at the same time. Take 1 step forward and 1 step backward.</p>	<p>You are together in all weather. Join another player on his or her square and then bump the player back.</p>
<p>You put on a play about the weather. The audience loves it! Take 3 steps forward and take a bow.</p>	<p>You are a leaf in a play about the weather. The wind blows you back 3 steps.</p>
<p>You are a cloud in a play about the weather. Drift forward 3 lazy steps.</p>	<p>You want to try the rainbow slide. Move forward or backward to the nearest rainbow slide and zoom!</p>
