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## Designing and Making a Board Game



What is your favourite Board Game? Why is it your favourite game to play? Is it a game you play with just one person or with a group? Does it use tokens or cards? Do you ask questions in it? Is there a prize at the end for the winner?

### Part 1: Research

Can you design and make your own board game? If so, you will need to do some research first. Think about what type of board game you want to create. You may want to look at some in your home that you might have. What makes them good and how could they be improved.

Make some notes on a piece of paper which you can use later on.

### Part 2: Creating and Making

Now that you've researched your board game, you should have a clear idea about the type of board game you want to create. You will need to consider the following:

- How many players will there be and will they use a token to move around the board?
- What will the board look like?
- What is the point of the game? Get the treasure? Escape the haunted house?
- Will there be cards used and if so, how many questions will you have to write?
- How will you make it?

You can now spend some time creating your board game.

### Part 3: Evaluating

Once your board game is finished, you will need to play it! Whilst doing so, make some notes about what is good about your game and what needs improving. You might suddenly find that you've not got enough questions or that the game is a little too confusing. After your first go, improve your board game.

Finally, congratulations! You can now play your board game with your friends (after lockdown) and family.

