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# Giant Party Pick Up Sticks Game Rental

*Includes: 23 sticks & 1 die*

**Players:** 1 or more.      **Recommended Ages:** 6+

**Object:** To be the player with the most points at the end of the game. Alternatively, players can agree before the start of the game how many points are required to win the game. For example: 250, 500 or 1000 points. The first player to reach the agreed to point total wins the game!

**Setup:** The first player gathers and holds all the sticks vertically with their hands over the playing area. The player quickly releases their hand and lets the sticks scatter below.

**How to Play:** The same player proceeds to attempt to pick up the sticks one by one in the following manner:

- **First, roll the die included with the set:** The color on the die that is face up determines which color stick the player must attempt to pick up without moving *any* other sticks whatsoever.
- **The only stick that is allowed to move is the one the player is trying to pick up:** If any other stick moves, that player's turn is over and play passes to the next player to the left.
- **If the color of the stick on the die is not available:** The player should roll again.
- **If only one color is available:** The player should just attempt to pick up that color.
- **If a player is successful in picking up up the black stick:** That player is permitted to use the black stick as an aid to remove other sticks.
- **If a player successfully picks up all the sticks:** That player begins again and continues to play until they lose their turn.

**How to Score:** As each player finishes their turn, record the points earned by that player by adding up the value of the sticks successfully removed by that player using the chart below.

Number of Sticks	Color	Point Value
1	Black	25 pts
4	Red	10 pts
5	Blue	5 pts
6	Green	2 pts
7	Yellow	1 pt

If a player picks up in order a red, blue and green stick, that player earns a bonus of an **extra 17 points** (the equivalent of doubling their value).