

Before Esther **REVEALS** her identity to the King, she tells Mordechai to **ASK** her community to support her by fasting. This gives Esther the courage to present her true self to the King who **OFFERS** her the support she needs.



REVEAL-ASK-OFFER

Purim Matching Game

with a twist!

TO START:

1. Print and cut out the cards below. Each player should have 3 cards of each type. Players will write on the side with Purim characters and leave the other side blank. Player 1 has Esther and Mordechai cards 1, 2, 3, along with three King A cards. Player 2 has Esther and Mordechai cards 4, 5, 6 along with three King A cards. If you have more than 2 players, print additional cards and add numbers accordingly, i.e. Player 3 would have Esther and Mordechai cards labeled 7, 8, 9. King A cards do not have a number.
2. On the Esther “REVEAL” cards, write three different challenges you have.
3. On the Mordechai “ASK” cards, write specific ways you would like to be supported with your challenges.
4. On the King A “OFFER” cards, write ways you like to help or support others. Players keep these cards for the “Purim Twist” part of the game.

RULES OF GAME:

1. Gather the completed Esther and Mordechai cards, shuffle them, and place them face down in rows on a table or floor.
2. Like matching/memory card games, flip 2 cards at a time to try to match Esther and Mordechai cards. Esther – REVEAL 1 needs to match with Mordechai – ASK 1.
3. If a player makes a match, they take those cards and keep playing until they don’t make a match. The next player does the same thing and so on.
4. *Purim Twist*: If a player has a King A – OFFER card that they think meets the needs of the Mordechai – ASK card, they can take another player’s match and put it in their pile. In other words, if a player has an OFFER of help or support that is the same or very similar to the ASK, that match can be taken by that player. (YOU MAY ONLY TAKE A MATCH ONCE.)
5. When there are no cards left on the table, the player with the most matches wins.



Esther—REVEAL 1



Mordechai—ASK 1



King A—OFFER



Esther—REVEAL 2



Mordechai—ASK 2



King A—OFFER



Esther—REVEAL 3



Mordechai—ASK 3



King A—OFFER



Esther—REVEAL 4



Mordechai—ASK 4



King A—OFFER



Esther—REVEAL 5



Mordechai—ASK 5



King A—OFFER



Esther—REVEAL 6



Mordechai—ASK 6



King A—OFFER



Esther—REVEAL



Mordechai—ASK



King A—OFFER



Esther—REVEAL



Mordechai—ASK



King A—OFFER



Esther—REVEAL



Mordechai—ASK



King A—OFFER



Esther—REVEAL



Mordechai—ASK



King A—OFFER



Esther—REVEAL



Mordechai—ASK



King A—OFFER



Esther—REVEAL



Mordechai—ASK



King A—OFFER