

The Jester

Quick Start Guide

So you've looked at everything in the box and have no idea how to start, where to begin, or even what a good first step might be. Maybe this is your first box and you aren't sure how things work. Or maybe things just aren't clicking for you on this particular box. Maybe a few starting hints will blow the case wide open and will be all you need to help solve the mystery.

Beginning the investigation:

1. Read all interviews and documentation.
2. Look at The Fool card.
3. Unscramble every word and then place the words in an order that makes sense.
4. Match up what's on the back of the card with something else in your box and use the message from The Fool card to eliminate the group of people referenced.
5. Examine the crumpled note.
6. Use what's written on the back of that memo to decode the snakes and ladders puzzle.
7. Go in the order of the colors that are mentioned.
8. Start at the bottom of the snakes and ladders puzzle and move up on the page, writing down all letters in red squares.
9. Do the same thing for the other two colors mentioned.
10. Use the guest list and a notable fact about some of the guests along with that snakes and ladders message to eliminate some of the employees.

If you need more help past this point, consult the puzzle hint files or join us in the Hint Group on Facebook!