As a topiary expert you've been hired to grow a very specific tree. Your client will want a certain composition of flowers and shape to the tree. Can you grow your tree to fullfill their very stringent request?

#### Components:

18 Cards

## Card Example:



Each card is made up of 4 tiles (quadrants). Each tile will either be blank, or have red, blue or purple flowers

## Setup:

The deck has 18 total cards, all with a unique flower pattern on the front and either a Construction or Composition requirement on the back. Randomly select one Construction card and one Composition card.

Shuffle the remaining 16 cards with the flower patterns upward. The top card is your starting card. Lay the next 2 cards down in front of you. These 2 cards are your in play options. Set aside the remaining deck as your draw pile.

#### Board to build tree



Draw Pile







In Play Card options

Build Requirement Cards





# Gameplay:

- 1. Select 1 of the 2 in play cards
- . Place this card on the board to build your tree
- 3. Replace the played card from your draw deck
- 4. Continue playing cards in this manner until all cards have been played

#### **Card Placement:**

- You must cover at least 1 section of the existing tree
- 2. You can cover at most 1 empty tile of the tree
- 3. You can not completely cover 1 card with another card.
- All played cards must be kept horizontally.
  You can rotate the card but it must be played horizontally.

#### **Examples - Card Placement:**

 You must cover at least I section of the existing tree

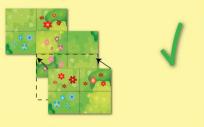








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3. You can not completely cover one card with another card





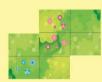




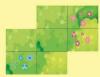
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- \*\*The number of flowers in each tile does not matter. Only the number of tiles with that specific type of flower matters.
- \*\*Flower colors can also be identified by the number of flowers Red - 3 flowers per tile Blue - 4 flowers per tile Purple - 5 flowers per tile

## Winning

Satisfy both requirements for Composition and Construction once all cards have been played and you win!

Add the Compostion and Construction cards to the bottom of your tree as the trunk to officially complete your tree.



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