

Cornhole House Rules

Setup

- The boards shall be placed between 21' or 27' feet apart
- The boards shall be placed on a level surface
- There shall be no obstructions between the boards

Game Play

- Each Player or Team should select 4 bags of same color or design
- Each player (if teams, the team shall designate one player) shall throw two bags, the player with highest score shall go first (if no player scores, the single bag closest to any part of the board shall be counted as the winning bag).
- The team that won the honors to go first shall begin the game by throwing bag at the opposite board (the player's feet must stay behind the front edge of the board on their side.
- The players then alternate each throwing their four bags.
- The players on the other side count the points, and the player or team with the most points in that round win the round and have the honors to go first in the next round.

Scoring

- A bag that makes it through the hole is worth three points, a bag on the board is 1 point, a bag that either ends up on the ground or hits the ground and then lands on the board is 0 points.

WINNING - The player/team to reach or exceed 21 points first wins the game.

Modified Rules (Check if in effect):

_____ Cancellation: The points cancel each other out, for example, if player 1 gets a total of 5 points and player 2 has a total of 4 points, then player 1 would carry forward 1 point ($5 - 4 = 1$)

_____ Exact to 21: A player must earn exactly 21 points. If the player goes over during the round, then they are reset to the number of points that they started the round with.

_____ Win by 2: Exactly as it sounds, the game continues until one team wins by two (this option cannot be used when playing exactly to 21).

_____ Tie Breaker: If the game is tied at 21 at the end of a round (inning) then the game continues to another round and the team that scores the most points in that subsequent round is declared the winner.