

# Paddy Eger

Partner  
Difficulty Level: Moderate  
Math Operations: A, S  
Time: varies

## Line Up 4

**OBJECTIVES:** To block your partner by placing 4 of your markers in a straight row or on a diagonal.

**MATERIALS:**

equation cards to match student target numbers  
game board (basic cube)  
52 clear markers (26 of 1 color, 26 of a different color)

**BEST USE:** Review basic addition and subtraction facts.

**RULES:**

1. **Shuffle** equation cards and place them **face down** between the partners.
2. Each player takes one color of markers.
3. The youngest partner begins by taking the top card, reading the equation aloud and answering the equation. If the partner agrees the answer is correct, he says "Line Up". The player then puts one marker on any one square of the game board.
4. If the player's answer is wrong, the turn ends, and no marker is placed on the game board.
5. Used cards are discarded face up next to the unused equation cards.
6. The second partner takes a turn, etc.
7. Shuffle the equation cards after you use the last card if you need more equations to finish the game.
8. Play continues until one person makes a line of 4-in-a-row markers or there are no possible moves left to make 4-in-a-row.

**OPTIONS:**

- Use more challenging equation cards.
- Use multiplication and division cards.
- Use the stair-step game board.

