

Run, Gingerbread Man, Run!

Help the gingerbread man get to the gingerbread house.

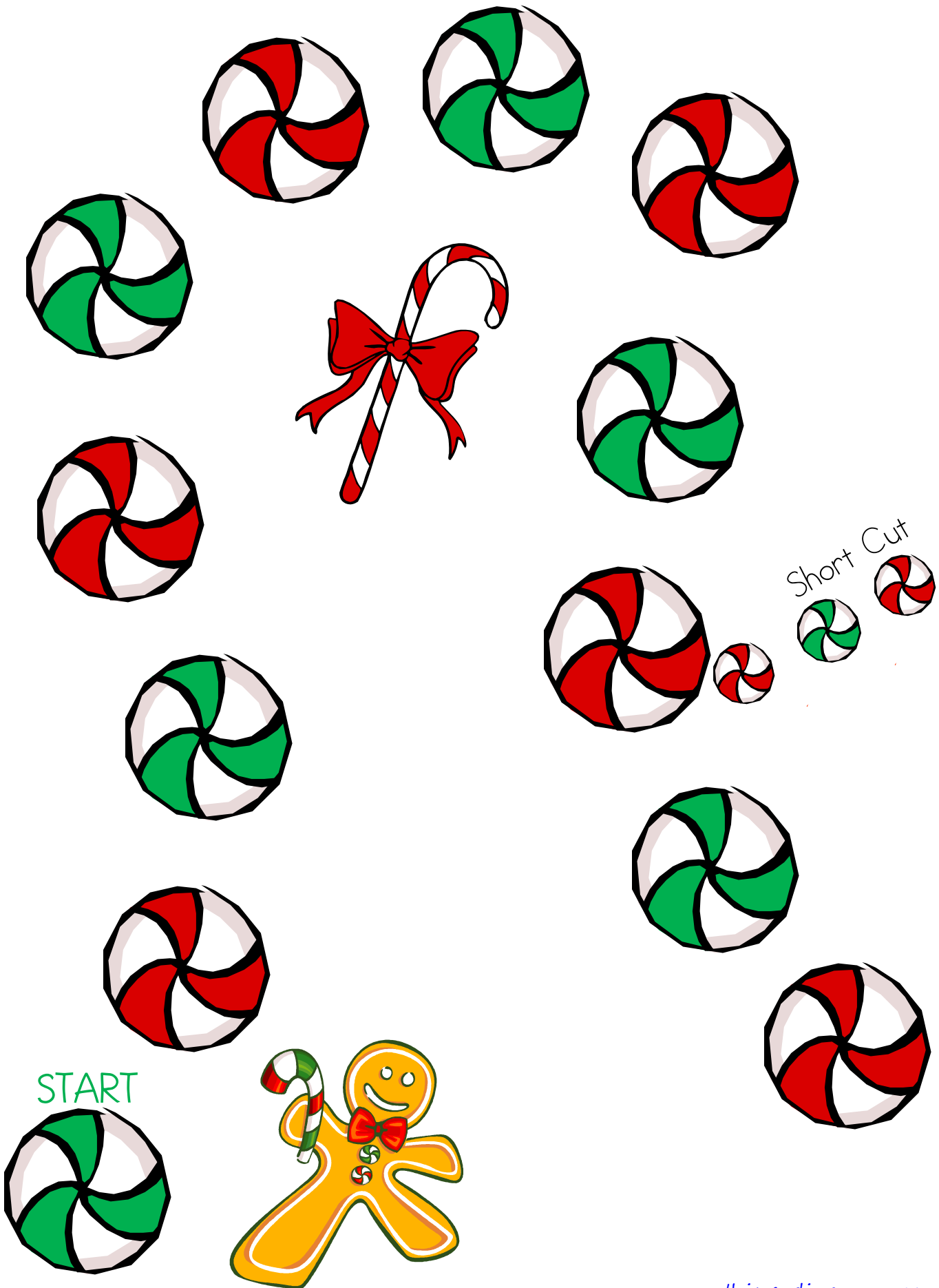
To Prep:

- Print game board onto paper and paste into a file folder or side-by-side onto a piece of 11x14 construction paper.
- Place all Christmas syllable cards in a pile, face-down.

To Play: (for 2 players)

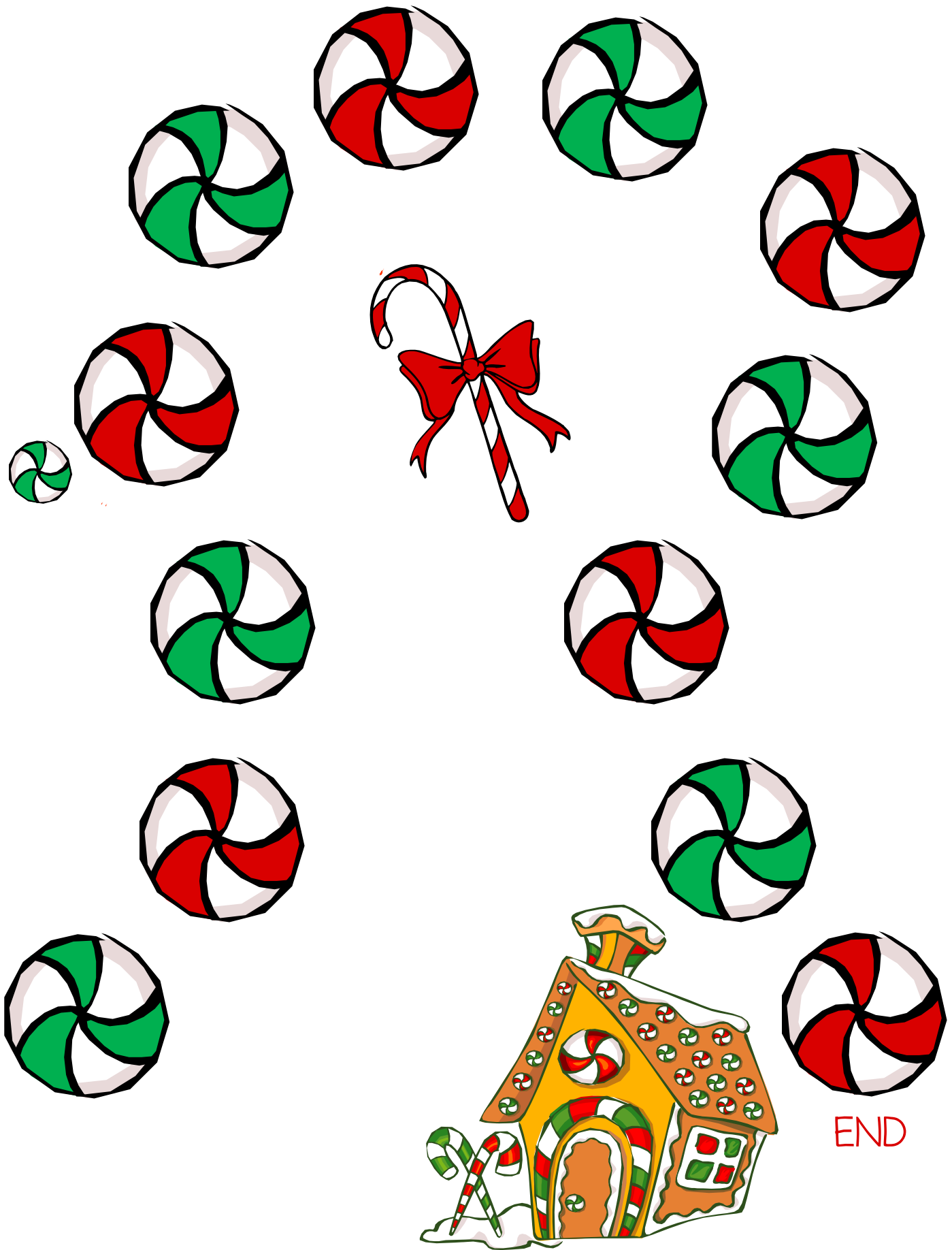
- Both players choose a manipulative of some kind to be their playing piece (ideas include pennies, beans, small pieces of Christmas candy). Playing pieces start on START.
- When it is a player's turn, he turns over the top Christmas Syllable card from the pile, says the word depicted in the picture, and tells how many syllables it has.
- The player then moves his piece that many spaces around the game board.
- The first player to reach the gingerbread house is declared the winner!





Short Cut

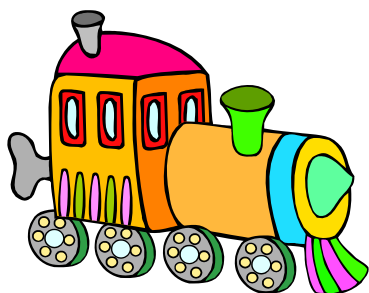
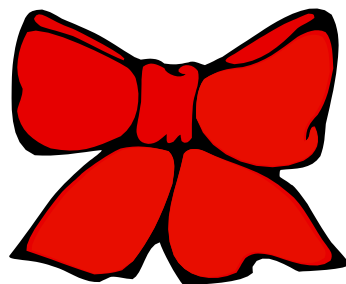
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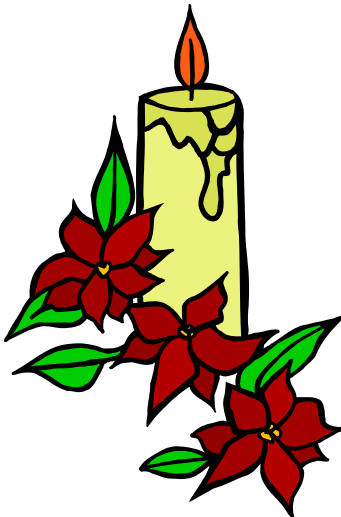
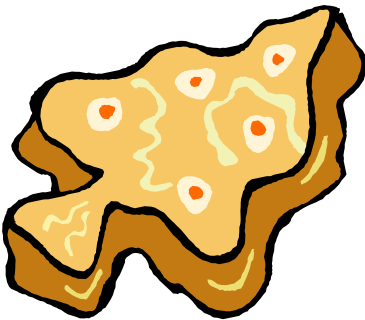
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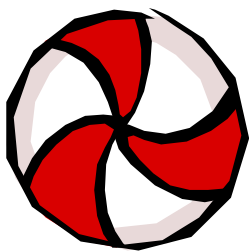
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Picture Key: wreath, tree, bow, train, bell, lights, sleigh, star, list



Picture Key: present, stocking, Santa, cookie, snowflake, reindeer, candle. letter, carols (or music)



Picture Key: peppermint, ornament, gingerbread

Print syllable cards onto cardstock and laminate for durability.

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