## **GUESSTIMATE!**

A car game that helps you estimate distances and pass the time on long journeys.

To play this game you'll need to be driving in a car...

- On a road with markers on the side, such as cat eyes mounted on posts;
- On a road with visible oncoming traffic;
- On a road that isn't super busy and isn't super curvy;
- With speed somewhat constant (speed changes should only be in response to road conditions and rules, not to cheat the game).



- 1. Start a round by selecting the Caller and Guesser:
  - Single player: You will be both the caller and the guesser.
  - Two player: Take it in turns being the caller and then the guesser.
  - Multi player: Go around the car taking turns to be first the caller and then the guesser. This means that you will have turns where you are not an active player.
- 2. When the caller sees a car coming, the caller shouts "Guesstimate!"
  - Note: if the guesser is the driver, do not call cars around sharp corners, it will be distracting.
- 3. The caller then starts counting aloud as the driver's window passes the markers on the side of the road.
- 4. The guesser has until the caller reaches "2" to call out a Guesstimate of how many markers you will pass until the other car reaches you. If Guesser does not call a number, then their Guesstimate will be "0".
- 5. When the other car passes the driver's window, the caller stops counting.
- 6. Compare the actual number of markers passed with the Guesstimate.
- 7. The Guesser gets as many points as their Guesstimate is out. For example, if the actual number is 8 and...
  - Guesstimate is 5, the guesser gets 3 points.
  - Guesstimate is 9, the guesser gets 1 point.
  - Guesstimate is 8, the guesser gets 0 points.
- 8. Start a new round and choose a new guesser and caller pair.
- 9. Points are summed together over rounds. The person with the highest score is the loser. The game finishes when you reach your destination.





