Before and After

One deck of cards (face cards removed)

2 Players



Shuffle the cards and deal out 6 cards to each player.

Place 2 cards face up in the middle of the workspace.

The remainder of the cards are placed in a deck face down.

To play:

Players take turns. Players look at the 6 cards in hand for numbers that come *just before* or *just after* the face up number cards.

If on a turn, a player has a card that comes just before or after a face up number card, it is placed on top of that number card. Players play as many cards as possible on a turn. At the end of the turn, the player takes as many cards as needed from the deck to have 6 cards in hand again.

If on a turn a player cannot play the cards in hand, 2 more cards can be taken from the deck and put on top of the 2 cards in the middle and the player can try again. If the player still cannot play any cards the turn is over.

The game is over when all cards have been used or no one can play any more cards.

The player holding the fewest cards WINS!