



Board games

Today's world is high-tech and fast paced. When we are not working or studying, we are busy tapping on our phones, tablets or computers. Thus, some people like to write off board games as old-



But this is hardly the case. Board games can be tons of fun and a great way to truly reconnect with friends and family. They are also the perfect way to unwind and unplug from the busy world.

CHESS

The classic. If your chessboard is gathering dust because you think it is too boring, dust it off and be ready to be pleasantly surprised. What sets chess apart from other games is that it relies on pure logic and not

luck or strength. Think before you move, plan ahead and get yourself in a position to win. That final checkmate will make you extremely happy and even if you do not win, you can give a pat on your own back for time well spent.

MONOPOLY

This fast-trading property games is another classic. Build houses and hotels and see if you can bankrupt everyone else. You never know when the roll of the dice will land you



with a massive rent to pay, so keep an eye on that colourful bundle of money. In fact, after you have prepared your properties to make money, jail may be the safest place to be! This wonderful game will make you lose track of time.

SETTLERS OF CATAN

Settlers of Catan is a highly rated board game and has won several awards. Each player starts the game with two roads and settlements on the board. On each player's

turn, different resources, such as brick, wool, ore, grain, or lumber will be produced to help the settlers build new roads, settlements and even cities on the board. New settlements will be erected and new resource gained, as the players build more roads across the island. This earns the player victory points. Play continues until one player gains 10 victory points and wins the game. This strategic game about area control, resource management and negotiation