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## Falmouth During the Revolutionary War Game Instructions

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- Ages 8+
- 2 - 4 players
- Setup:
  - In addition to the board and cards, this game requires a game marker for each player, one 6-sided die, 10 *fire markers* to represent fires, and 5 *water markers* to represent that a person is carrying water.
  - Each player chooses a game piece and randomly chooses a card from the deck. Find the location on the game board that matches the card you drew and place your piece there.
  - Put the location cards back in the deck and shuffle well. Spread the first five fires by turning over the top five cards on the stack, finding the matching locations on the board, and placing a *fire marker* on the appropriate spaces on the board.
  - Roll to see who goes first.
- On Your Turn:
  - Roll the dice.
    - If you rolled a 1, you may not move and the fire has spread. Turn over the top card on the deck and place a *fire marker* on that location.
    - If you rolled another number, you may move that number of spaces in any direction.
  - If you land on or move over a water source (blue spaces), place a *water marker* on or under your game piece to show your character is carrying water. You must have water to put out fires.
  - If you land on or move over a space with a *fire marker* and you are carrying water, you may use the water to put out the fire. Remove the *water marker*. You must return to a water source (blue space) to collect more water before putting out any more fires.
- How to Win: Work together to remove all fires from the board. When there are no fires, the team wins.
- How to Lose: If there are still fires on the board when you draw the last card in the deck or if you run out of *fire markers*, the team loses.

### ☛ Recommended game components:

Player Pawns:	<a href="https://www.thegamecrafter.com/parts#category=Pawns">https://www.thegamecrafter.com/parts#category=Pawns</a>
6-Sided Dice:	<a href="https://www.thegamecrafter.com/parts/d6-16mm-black">https://www.thegamecrafter.com/parts/d6-16mm-black</a>
Fire Markers:	<a href="https://www.thegamecrafter.com/parts/wink-orange">https://www.thegamecrafter.com/parts/wink-orange</a>
Water Markers:	<a href="https://www.thegamecrafter.com/parts/ring-blue">https://www.thegamecrafter.com/parts/ring-blue</a>
Playing Cards:	<a href="http://amzn.com/B00008VGRB">http://amzn.com/B00008VGRB</a>
Game Board:	<a href="http://amzn.com/B00T856TSU">http://amzn.com/B00T856TSU</a>