

# SIDEWALK TIC TAC TOE

A GAME THAT STAYS WITH US OUR ENTIRE LIVES!

## SUPPLIES NEEDED

- Chalk
- Small rocks
  - Paint five rocks with an X
  - Paint five rocks with an O

## STEPS TO PLAY TIC TAC TOE

1. Use your sidewalk chalk and draw the tic tac toe board on the sidewalk. (You can also use sticks you find in the yard.)
2. Decide who will be the X and who will be the O.
3. Take turns lightly tossing your rock. Try to get three in a row.
4. Once there is a winner (or a tie) clear the board and play again!
5. Keep score on the sidewalk using the chalk.



## DID YOU KNOW?

In the Middle Ages secret societies called the game "the Magic Square." In the 1800s, the game was called "Tit-Tat-Toe" in England. In 1952, a computer program called "OXO" was a crude Tic-Tac-Toe game. This became the world's first video game.



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