

Acceptable Use Policy

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This Acceptable Use Policy ("AUP") describes permitted and prohibited uses of the Jacado Games website, available at <https://jacado.games>, including its games, scoreboards, hall-of-fame features, account-related features, premium-access features, communications with Jacado Games, and any related online functionality made available through the website (collectively, the "Website").

By accessing or using the Website, playing a game, submitting a score, appearing in a hall of fame, creating or using an account, purchasing or using premium access, contacting Jacado Games, or otherwise interacting with the Website, you agree to comply with this AUP in addition to the Jacado Games Terms and Conditions, Privacy Policy, Refund Policy, Code of Conduct, Accessibility Declaration, and any other policy or instruction published by Jacado Games.

Jacado Games may interpret, apply, and enforce this AUP at its discretion, subject to applicable law. Jacado Games may suspend, restrict, block, remove, reset, refuse, or terminate access, scores, submissions, hall-of-fame entries, premium benefits, or account-related features where Jacado Games believes that use of the Website is unlawful, abusive, harmful, unfair, fraudulent, technically disruptive, or otherwise inconsistent with this AUP.

1. Purpose of Jacado Games

Jacado Games is intended to provide casual, logic-puzzle, score-based, and entertainment-oriented games through the Website. The Website is intended for lawful, fair, respectful, reasonable, and non-abusive use.

Users may use the Website to play available games, improve their skills, submit legitimate scores where this functionality is available, participate in scoreboards or hall-of-fame features where offered, use premium features where lawfully obtained, and communicate with Jacado Games for legitimate support, feedback, or reporting purposes.

2. General Prohibited Activities

Users may not use the Website for any illegal, harmful, abusive, deceptive, unfair, or unauthorized purpose. Prohibited activities include, but are not limited to:

- Violating any applicable law, regulation, court order, third-party right, contractual obligation, platform rule, or marketplace requirement.

- Using the Website for fraud, scams, deception, impersonation, phishing, identity misuse, payment abuse, unauthorized access, or other dishonest conduct.
- Submitting false, misleading, offensive, unlawful, defamatory, privacy-invasive, or inappropriate information, including names, aliases, emails, messages, scores, hall-of-fame entries, support requests, or feedback.
- Using the Website in a manner that could expose Jacado Games, its users, service providers, marketplaces, payment providers, or infrastructure partners to legal, operational, security, privacy, reputational, or financial risk.
- Encouraging, assisting, enabling, or concealing any violation of this AUP.

3. Fair Play, Cheating, and Score Integrity

Scores, rankings, leaderboards, and hall-of-fame entries must reflect legitimate gameplay. Jacado Games may remove, hide, correct, reset, refuse, downgrade, or disregard scores or entries that appear invalid, suspicious, manipulated, abusive, technically inconsistent, or unfair.

- No bots, scripts, macros, automated play, artificial score generation, browser-console manipulation, memory manipulation, network manipulation, request replay, forged requests, or similar methods.
- No exploitation of bugs, timing issues, client-side behavior, server-side behavior, browser behavior, caching behavior, race conditions, or implementation weaknesses to obtain unfair scores or advantages.
- No reverse engineering, decompilation, disassembly, source-code extraction, protocol analysis, traffic manipulation, or data manipulation for the purpose of cheating, score manipulation, circumvention, copying, or unauthorized access.
- No sharing, selling, transferring, publishing, or promoting methods intended to cheat, manipulate scores, bypass protections, unlock premium functionality unlawfully, or interfere with fair play.
- No use of multiple accounts, aliases, email addresses, devices, sessions, networks, VPNs, proxies, automation services, or similar methods to manipulate scores, rankings, promotions, availability, enforcement, or fraud controls.

Jacado Games has no obligation to publish, preserve, investigate, explain, restore, or prove the validity or invalidity of any score, ranking, or hall-of-fame entry. Jacado Games decisions regarding score integrity and fair-play enforcement are final, unless mandatory law requires otherwise.

4. Security and Technical Misuse

Users must not interfere with, damage, overload, disrupt, scan, probe, test, bypass, reverse engineer, compromise, or attempt to gain unauthorized access to the Website, its games, infrastructure, source code, data, APIs, hosting environment, score systems, premium-access systems, security controls, or related services.

- No hacking, vulnerability exploitation, credential attacks, brute-force attacks, scraping, crawling, data harvesting, denial-of-service activity, malware, malicious code, unauthorized automation, or circumvention of technical protections.
- No attempt to access, extract, copy, corrupt, delete, modify, transmit, or manipulate data, logs, code, configuration, accounts, scores, emails, hall-of-fame records, or other information without authorization.
- No use of the Website to distribute spam, malware, phishing content, deceptive material, unlawful content, or other harmful payloads.
- No use of excessive requests, automated traffic, load-testing tools, scraping tools, security scanners, vulnerability scanners, browser automation, or similar tools unless expressly authorized in writing by Jacado Games.
- Security issues must be reported responsibly. Users must not publicly disclose, exploit, weaponize, sell, or use suspected vulnerabilities or implementation defects to harm Jacado Games or its users.

5. Accounts, Premium Access, Purchases, and Entitlements

If the Website or related Jacado Games services provide account-related features, premium access, paid features, App Store-related entitlements, website-based premium access, licenses, trials, coupons, promotions, or other benefits, users must use them lawfully and only as permitted by Jacado Games and by the applicable payment provider, marketplace, or platform.

- No payment fraud, chargeback abuse, refund abuse, unauthorized payment method use, stolen payment information, false purchase claims, false entitlement claims, or manipulation of transaction records.
- No attempt to bypass premium restrictions, license checks, entitlement checks, account limits, device limits, feature limits, geographic limits, usage limits, trial limits, or anti-fraud controls.

- No resale, rental, transfer, sublicensing, sharing, pooling, or commercial distribution of accounts, access rights, premium benefits, licenses, coupons, or entitlements unless Jacado Games expressly permits it in writing.
- No use of unauthorized, stolen, leaked, forged, modified, duplicated, or generated license keys, purchase receipts, transaction IDs, access tokens, authentication tokens, or entitlement identifiers.
- Jacado Games may suspend, revoke, disable, or refuse access, premium benefits, scores, accounts, or entitlements associated with suspected fraud, abuse, policy violations, payment failure, refund, chargeback, unauthorized transfer, marketplace reversal, or technical manipulation.

6. User Submissions and Hall-of-Fame Information

Users are responsible for all information they submit to the Website, including names, aliases, emails, scores, hall-of-fame details, messages, support requests, bug reports, feedback, suggestions, and other communications. User submissions must be lawful, accurate, appropriate, non-abusive, and submitted by a person authorized to provide them.

- Do not submit another person's email address, name, personal information, score, account information, or contact details without authorization.
- Do not submit offensive, obscene, sexual, violent, discriminatory, harassing, threatening, hateful, defamatory, misleading, promotional, spam-like, or privacy-invasive content.
- Do not submit content that infringes copyright, trademark, trade secret, publicity rights, privacy rights, contractual rights, or any other third-party rights.
- Do not use hall-of-fame or scoreboard functionality for advertising, political messaging, harassment, personal attacks, public shaming, scraping, data collection, or any purpose unrelated to legitimate gameplay.
- Jacado Games may remove, edit, abbreviate, hide, refuse, archive, preserve, or disclose user submissions where reasonably necessary to operate the Website, enforce policies, protect users, comply with law, preserve evidence, or protect Jacado Games.

7. Privacy and Personal Data

Users must respect the privacy and personal data of others. The Website must not be used to collect, publish, infer, expose, store, transmit, or misuse personal data without appropriate authorization and legal basis.

- Do not upload, submit, publish, or distribute private, confidential, sensitive, or personal information about another person without permission.
- Do not use the Website to harvest emails, user identifiers, scoreboard information, hall-of-fame details, or any other data for marketing, profiling, spam, scraping, surveillance, or resale.
- Do not attempt to identify, contact, pressure, harass, or target other users based on scoreboard or hall-of-fame information.
- Do not use the Website in a way that violates privacy, data-protection, consumer-protection, child-protection, or electronic-communications laws.
- For information about Jacado Games handling of personal data, users should review the Jacado Games Privacy Policy.

8. Children and Minors

Users who are minors should use the Website only with appropriate parental or guardian involvement where required by law. Parents and guardians are responsible for supervising minors' online activity and for deciding whether the Website is appropriate for them.

- Users must not knowingly submit personal information of a child or minor without the required authorization.
- Users must not target, exploit, manipulate, harass, groom, endanger, or attempt to contact minors through the Website.
- Jacado Games may remove or restrict content, scores, hall-of-fame entries, accounts, premium access, or communications where it believes that a minor's privacy, safety, or legal rights may be affected.

9. Intellectual Property and Commercial Misuse

All rights in the Website, games, designs, graphics, code, text, names, logos, trademarks, game mechanics as implemented, audiovisual elements, user interface, scoring systems, documentation, and related materials belong to Jacado Games or its licensors, except where expressly stated otherwise.

- No copying, cloning, scraping, mirroring, framing, republishing, redistribution, resale, sublicensing, modification, derivative use, or commercial exploitation of the Website or its content without prior written permission.

- No use of Jacado Games names, logos, marks, screenshots, designs, rankings, score data, hall-of-fame information, or game content in a way that suggests sponsorship, endorsement, partnership, ownership, or authorization unless expressly approved in writing.
- No automated extraction, dataset creation, benchmarking, model training, analytics harvesting, or commercial data use based on the Website unless expressly authorized in writing by Jacado Games.
- No attempt to remove, obscure, alter, or bypass copyright notices, attribution notices, technical protections, or access controls.

10. No Gambling, Betting, or Regulated Use

The Website is intended for casual entertainment and skill-based puzzle play. Users may not use the Website, scores, rankings, game results, hall-of-fame entries, accounts, or premium access for gambling, betting, wagering, lotteries, contests of chance, financial speculation, prize manipulation, regulated gaming, or similar activities unless Jacado Games expressly provides such functionality under applicable law. Jacado Games does not authorize users to create unofficial betting, wagering, prize, or gambling systems based on the Website.

11. Interference with the Website or Other Users

Users may not interfere with the Website or with any other person's ability to use the Website. Prohibited interference includes:

- Disrupting, degrading, overloading, or impairing the Website or its infrastructure.
- Using excessive, abusive, automated, repetitive, or abnormal requests.
- Blocking, evading, or manipulating security controls, rate limits, access controls, anti-fraud controls, score-validation controls, or availability controls.
- Creating confusion, false reports, false support requests, fake disputes, false abuse claims, or other operational burdens.
- Using the Website in a way that harms Jacado Games, other users, service providers, payment providers, app marketplaces, hosting providers, or other third parties.

12. Enforcement

Jacado Games may take any action it considers appropriate to protect the Website, users, service providers, business operations, intellectual property, legal rights, and reputation. Enforcement may occur with or without notice, depending on the issue.

- Warning a user or requesting that behavior stop.
- Removing, hiding, editing, refusing, correcting, resetting, or disregarding scores, names, aliases, emails, hall-of-fame entries, messages, feedback, or other submissions.
- Restricting, suspending, terminating, blocking, or rate-limiting access to the Website, accounts, features, games, scoreboards, premium functionality, or related services.
- Revoking, disabling, refusing, or limiting premium access, purchases, entitlements, accounts, coupons, promotional benefits, licenses, or score-related benefits.
- Preserving and reviewing relevant logs, records, communications, transaction identifiers, technical data, and security information for investigation, enforcement, fraud prevention, operational protection, legal compliance, or dispute handling.
- Reporting serious, illegal, abusive, payment-related, marketplace-related, security-related, or harmful conduct to service providers, payment processors, app marketplaces, hosting providers, registrars, law-enforcement authorities, regulators, or other relevant parties where appropriate or required.

Failure by Jacado Games to enforce this AUP in one case does not waive its right to enforce this AUP later. Jacado Games is not required to monitor all activity, detect every violation, explain every enforcement decision, or provide evidence of internal detection methods.

13. Reporting Violations

If you believe this AUP has been violated, contact Jacado Games using the contact details published on <https://jacado.games>. Reports should include enough information to help Jacado Games understand the issue, such as the relevant game, score, hall-of-fame entry, date, screenshot, browser/device details, account or email information if relevant, and a clear description of the concern.

Jacado Games may review reports at its discretion. Jacado Games is not required to respond to every report, disclose internal investigation results, reveal security methods, mediate disputes between users, or restore removed content, scores, or access.

14. Relationship with Other Policies

This AUP operates together with the Jacado Games Terms and Conditions, Privacy Policy, Refund Policy, Code of Conduct, Accessibility Declaration, and any other policy or instruction published by Jacado Games. If there is a conflict between this AUP and the Terms and Conditions, the Terms and Conditions will apply to the extent of the conflict, unless mandatory law requires otherwise.

15. Changes to This Policy

Jacado Games may update this AUP from time to time. Updated versions will be published or otherwise made available with a revised "Last Updated" date. Continued use of the Website after an updated version is published means acceptance of the updated AUP, unless mandatory law provides otherwise.

Quick Summary

Area	Rule
Fair play	No cheating, automation, score manipulation, bug exploitation, or unfair play.
Security	No hacking, probing, scraping, disruption, unauthorized access, or circumvention.
Hall of fame	Submissions must be lawful, accurate, appropriate, and authorized.
Premium access	No payment abuse, false entitlements, license manipulation, or refund abuse.
Privacy	Do not misuse emails, personal data, scoreboard data, or hall-of-fame information.
Enforcement	Jacado Games may remove content, reset scores, restrict access, or revoke benefits.