

# Thistlewick Island Pairs Game

**Preparation:** Carefully cut out all the individual boxes below and stick them all to some card (e.g. a cereal box) so that you can't see through the paper when you turn it over. Without looking at them, mix them up and place them face down in a new 4x4 square like the one below.

The object of the game is to try to find pairs of the same image by turning over the boxes. You can only turn 2 boxes over at a time. If you turn over a pair, remove them from the square, but if they aren't a pair, turn them back over and choose 2 more boxes. Continue this until you've found all the pairs!

See how many turns it takes you to find all the pairs. Then see if your friends can beat you! If your friend has their own copy of this game, then why don't you race each other?

