



Kagami Biraki Word Bingo

先生が読んだ単語に○。たて・よこ・ななめにそろえば
BINGO!

Class _____ No. _____ Name _____

Card A

mirror	blade	barrel	judo
knife	mochi	lid	soup
orange	hammer	samurai	open
luck	sake	decoration	offer

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Card B

luck	blade	open	barrel
mochi	soup	orange	samurai
offer	knife	lid	hammer
decoration	judo	sake	mirror

先生用（読み上げる単語）：decoration, mirror, offer, blade, luck, hammer, barrel, lid, knife, orange, sake, judo, mochi, samurai, open, soup



Kagami Biraki Board Game

3～4人で。さいころをふって進もう！★のマスに止まったら、下の課題に英語で答えよう。

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25	26 Back 3	27	28 ★10	29	30 GOAL
24 ★9	23	22 ★8	21	20 Go 3	19
13 ★5	14	15	16 ★6	17	18 ★7
12	11 Back 2	10 ★4	9	8 ★3	7
1 START	2	3 ★1	4	5 ★2	6

★1 Say: "Today we break the New Year rice cake and eat it."

★2 Say: "We don't use a knife. We use a wooden hammer."

★3 What does "decoration" mean in Japanese?

★4 What does "mirror" mean in Japanese?

★5 What does "offer" mean in Japanese?

★6 True or False? Many people in Japan do kagami biraki around January 11.

★7 True or False? People usually cut the rice cake with a knife.

★8 True or False? Kagami means mirror.

★9 Spell the word: You look into it to see your face.

★10 Spell the word: A sticky Japanese rice cake.

Back=戻る / Go=進む。答えられなかったら1回休み。消しゴムやコインをコマに使おう。



Role Play

ペアで会話を読もう。役を交代して3回！

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 Daniel, an exchange student from the United States, visits his friend Mai's home on January 11. Mai's family is breaking their kagami mochi.

音声はここから
Listen here

- Daniel** Why are you hitting that rice cake with a hammer?

- Mai** It's kagami biraki. We break our New Year rice cake today and eat it.

- Daniel** Wouldn't a knife be easier?

- Mai** Maybe, but we don't cut it. Cutting sounds unlucky, so we say we open it.

- Daniel** Open a rice cake? That's a funny way to say it.

- Mai** I know! Now we'll put the pieces in sweet bean soup. Want some?

- Daniel** Yes, please! My judo club does kagami biraki this Saturday, too.

☐ 1st time ☐ 2nd time (switch roles) ☐ 3rd time (try without looking!)

Your turn! 自分たちの会話を作ろう

Daniel: Why are you _____

Mai: It's kagami biraki. _____

Daniel: Wouldn't a knife _____

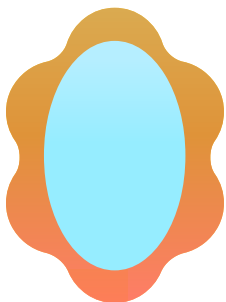
Mai: Maybe, but we _____



Write a Kagami Biraki Card

英語でカードを書こう。絵に色をぬって、メッセージを書いてプレゼントしよう！

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Dear _____ ,

From _____

Useful phrases 使える表現

- **Today we break the New Year rice cake and eat it.** 今日はお正月のお餅を割って食べるんです。
- **We don't use a knife. We use a wooden hammer.** 包丁は使わないで、木づちを使います。
- **We say open, not cut, because cut sounds unlucky.** 「切る」は縁起が悪いので、「開く」と言います。
- **I hope you have a wonderful day!** すてきな1日を！
- **Thank you for always helping me.** いつも助けてくれてありがとう。