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1. INTRODUCTION TO LA BONNE PAYE

The objective of Hasbro Gaming La Bonne Paye is to manage your money effectively throughout the month, making strategic financial decisions to become the wealthiest player by the end of the game. This game is designed for **2 to 6 players** and is recommended for ages **8 years and up**. A typical game session lasts approximately **45 minutes**.

2. GAME COMPONENTS

Before starting, ensure all components are present:

- Game board
- 6 pawns
- 23 Acquisition cards
- 16 Loan cards
- 50 Mail cards
- 23 Event cards
- 6 Savings books
- 1 Payday card
- 1 stack of "La Bonne Paye" banknotes
- 1 die
- Game rules (this manual)



Image 2.1: Overview of the La Bonne Paye game board and components.



Image 2.2: Detailed view of game board sections and card piles.

3. SETUP

1. Place the game board in the center of the playing area.
2. Each player chooses a pawn and places it on the "Start" space.
3. Separate the cards into their respective piles (Acquisition, Loan, Mail, Event) and shuffle each pile. Place them face down on their designated spaces on the game board.
4. Designate one player as the Banker. The Banker is responsible for managing the game's money, including distributing salaries, handling loans, and collecting payments.
5. The Banker distributes the starting money to each player as specified in the detailed game rules.

6. Each player receives a Savings book.

4. HOW TO PLAY (OPERATING)

The game progresses through a series of "months," with each turn representing a day. Players move their pawns around the board, encountering various financial situations.

4.1 Player Turn

1. Roll the die and move your pawn the corresponding number of spaces.
2. Follow the instructions on the space you land on. These can include:
 - **Mail:** Draw a Mail card and follow its instructions (e.g., pay a bill, receive a gift).
 - **Acquisition:** Opportunity to buy or sell items.
 - **Event:** Draw an Event card, which can have various impacts on your finances.
 - **Payday:** Collect your salary from the Banker. This typically occurs at the end of each month (a full circuit of the board).
 - **Lottery:** A chance to win money.
3. Manage your money by paying bills, taking out loans, or making investments as required by the spaces or cards.

4.2 Financial Management

- **Savings:** Use your Savings book to track money deposited or withdrawn from your savings account.
- **Loans:** You may take out loans from the bank, but remember to pay them back with interest.
- **Investments:** Some spaces or cards may offer opportunities to invest, potentially yielding higher returns.

5. GAME END AND WINNING

The game typically ends after a predetermined number of months (e.g., 3 months, or as agreed upon by players). At the end of the final month:

1. All outstanding loans must be repaid to the bank.
2. Players count their total cash on hand, plus any money in their savings account, and the value of any assets they own.
3. The player with the highest total net worth (cash + savings + assets - debts) is declared the winner.

6. SPECIFICATIONS

Brand	Hasbro Gaming
Model Name	La Bonne Paye
Model Number	000324470
Number of Players	2 to 6 players
Estimated Play Time	45 Minutes
Recommended Age	8 years and up
Material	Cardboard
Product Dimensions (L x W)	40 x 27 cm
Item Weight	1.02 Kilograms

7. SAFETY INFORMATION

This product contains small parts and is not suitable for children under 3 years of age due to a potential choking hazard. Adult supervision is recommended during play, especially with younger children, to ensure safe handling of components.

8. MAINTENANCE

To ensure the longevity of your La Bonne Paye board game:

- Store all components in their original box in a dry place away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures.
- Clean the game board and plastic components with a soft, dry cloth. Avoid using abrasive cleaners or solvents.
- Handle cards and banknotes with care to prevent bending or tearing.

9. TROUBLESHOOTING

9.1 Missing Components

If any game components are missing upon opening the box, please contact Hasbro Gaming customer support for assistance.

9.2 Rules Clarification

For any questions regarding specific game rules or scenarios not covered in this manual, refer to the comprehensive rulebook included in the game box or visit the official Hasbro Gaming website for FAQs and additional resources.

10. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Hasbro Gaming products are designed for quality and enjoyment. For warranty information, product support, or to report any issues, please visit the official Hasbro Gaming website or contact their customer service department. Contact details can typically be found on the product packaging or the official website.

