

Goliath 926.278.006

# Goliath The Floor is Lava! Family Edition

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

Welcome to *The Floor is Lava! Family Edition*, an exciting action game designed for 3 or more players aged 5 and up. This game transforms any floor into an adventurous survival course where players must avoid the imaginary 'lava' by stepping only on designated safety stones. This Family Edition includes more bricks, additional cards, and 10 unique ways to play, offering extended fun and challenges for everyone.



Image 1.1: The game box for Goliath The Floor is Lava! Family Edition, showcasing the game's theme and components.

## 2. WHAT'S IN THE BOX

Before starting, ensure all components are present:

- 38 x Coloured Foam "Safety Bricks"
- 50 x Action Cards
- 1 x Turntable (with arrow and base)
- 1 x Instruction Manual



Image 2.1: An overview of all game components, including foam safety bricks, action cards, and the spinner.

### 3. SETUP

Follow these steps to prepare the game:

1. **Clear the Play Area:** Choose an open space, indoors or outdoors, where players can move freely. Ensure the floor is clean and free of obstacles.
2. **Distribute Safety Bricks:** Scatter the 38 coloured foam "safety bricks" randomly across the play area. Ensure there is enough space between them for players to step or jump.
3. **Prepare Action Cards:** Shuffle the 50 action cards thoroughly and place them face down in a draw pile within easy reach of all players.
4. **Assemble Turntable:** Attach the arrow to the turntable base. Place the assembled turntable in a central location where all players can see and reach it.
5. **Starting Positions:** All players begin by standing on a safety brick.



Image 3.1: A visual representation of the game setup, with the spinner, action cards, and foam tiles ready for play.

#### 4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS: HOW TO PLAY

The objective of *The Floor is Lava!* is to be the last player remaining by avoiding the 'lava' (the floor) and staying on the safety bricks.

1. **Player Turn:** The youngest player starts. On your turn, spin the turntable.
2. **Move to Safety:** The turntable will indicate a colour. You must move to a safety brick of that colour. If the spinner lands on a hand or foot symbol, you must use that body part to move to the next brick.
3. **Avoid the Lava:** You cannot touch the floor (lava) between safety bricks. If you touch the floor at any point during your move, you are out of the game.
4. **Action Cards:** If the spinner lands on an "Action Card" space, draw a card from the pile and follow its instructions. These cards introduce challenges or modify gameplay.
5. **Elimination:** Players are eliminated if they touch the floor, cannot make a valid move to a safety brick, or fail to follow an action card's instruction.
6. **Winning the Game:** The last player remaining on the safety bricks wins the game.



Image 4.1: Detail of the game spinner, which dictates player movement, and a stack of action cards.

## 5. GAME VARIATIONS

The Family Edition offers 10 unique ways to play, adding variety and new challenges. Refer to the included instruction manual for detailed rules on each variation. Some examples include:

- **Lava Twist:** Introduces specific movement restrictions or requirements.
- **Red Lava / Green Lava:** Designates certain colours of bricks as safe or unsafe for a round.
- **Hot Spot:** Creates temporary danger zones on the floor.
- **Disappearing Stones:** Removes safety bricks from play as the game progresses, increasing difficulty.

## 6. MAINTENANCE AND CARE

To ensure the longevity of your game:

- **Cleaning Foam Bricks:** The foam safety bricks can be wiped clean with a damp cloth and mild soap if they become dirty. Allow them to air dry completely before storing.
- **Card Care:** Keep action cards dry and flat to prevent bending or damage. Store them in the game box.
- **Storage:** Store all game components in the original box in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures.
- **Inspection:** Periodically check components for wear and tear. Replace any damaged parts if necessary.

## 7. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter any issues during gameplay:

- **Missing Components:** Refer to the "What's in the Box" section. If any components are missing upon opening, contact Goliath customer support.
- **Rule Clarification:** If there is a dispute over a rule, refer to this instruction manual. For complex situations not covered, players can agree on a house rule before continuing.
- **Spinner Malfunction:** Ensure the spinner arrow is properly attached to its base. If it does not spin

freely, check for any obstructions or damage.

## 8. SPECIFICATIONS

<b>Brand</b>	Goliath
<b>Model Number</b>	926.278.006
<b>Number of Players</b>	3+
<b>Estimated Playing Time</b>	20 Minutes
<b>Age Range</b>	5 years and up
<b>Included Components</b>	38 coloured foam "safety stones", 50 action cards, 1 turntable, instructions
<b>Material Type</b>	Cardboard & Foam
<b>Item Weight</b>	540 Grams
<b>Item Dimensions</b>	14 x 3.5 x 10.5 inches

## 9. WARRANTY INFORMATION

This product comes with a **2-Year Manufacturer Warranty**. Please retain your proof of purchase for any warranty claims. For details regarding warranty service or claims, please contact Goliath Games customer support.

## 10. SAFETY INFORMATION

**WARNING:** Not suitable for children under 3 years due to small parts. Choking hazard! Adult supervision is recommended during play, especially with younger children. Ensure the play area is clear to prevent trips and falls.