

SHISHIMA

Traditional Kenyan Game.
Activity proposed by Belén Garrido.

Play a game of Shishima with bugs hopping around! Fold or cut out the Shishima board according to the instructions.



Each player has three game pieces. The game pieces are set on three consecutive points of the octagon, across from each other, like in the picture.

RULES

Players take turns moving their game pieces one space. A move must be to an adjacent corner, or to the center (shisima, the water). Jumping pieces is not allowed, and there cannot be two pieces on the same space.

To win the game, a player must get three of their pieces in a row, including one piece on the shisima.



How would you fold an octagon? And in how many ways can you win?

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1. Cut out the octagon and the water (shishima).
2. Glue the water to the center of game board.
3. Cut out the bugs.

