# Christmas Party Games for Adults

Choose a few seasonal activities that fit your room, group size, and energy.

Host guide / A4 / Friends & adult social / Choose 1–3 games, 5–15 minutes each

Read the guide privately first if this activity has hidden answers. Print single-sided at Actual size / 100%. Cut only sheets marked CARDS. Keep answer keys with the host.

## What you need

- Paper and pens for several options

- Optional: timer, blank cards, or common household objects

- Optional: scissors, tape, an empty box, an opaque bag, and a small bowl for folded prompts

## How to run it

1. Tell guests that games are optional and name the time limit before starting. Ask the group to choose from two or three activities rather than planning a long program.

2. Read the selected card’s materials and instructions. Use household substitutes when possible, and offer a seated alternative for activities that involve movement.

3. Let one volunteer host the activity. Keep teams flexible and do not require holiday knowledge, gift purchases, or personal disclosures.

4. Stop at the agreed time or when the group wants to return to conversation. Thank everyone who participated, including people who watched.

## Choose a game for the gathering

A relaxed holiday party might need only one activity. For a larger group, choose something that everyone can join at once, such as a seasonal category round or collaborative story. For a smaller table, use a prompt, drawing, or guessing game.

The cards are written for mixed adult groups and avoid assumptions about how each guest celebrates. Hosts can call the event a winter gathering or year-end party if that better fits the group.

- Keep the opening activity short and easy to explain.

- Offer a quiet option for anyone who does not want to perform.

## Make materials easy to find

Most activities use paper, pens, a timer, or items already in the room. If a card mentions a prop, a verbal or paper version is usually enough. Do not require guests to bring a gift, wear a costume, or share a personal holiday memory.

A host can print or handwrite selected activity cards in advance. Keep one copy of each set of rules nearby, assign a timekeeper if needed, and leave the rest of the evening open.

- Use no-cost household substitutes.

- Avoid food tasks that require tasting or ignore dietary needs.

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## Keep the tone welcoming

Some guests may celebrate differently or not at all. The games focus on seasonal objects, winter settings, and ordinary gathering moments rather than religious knowledge. Avoid teasing someone for not knowing a song, custom, or movie.

Let people join late or leave an activity early. If a game creates awkwardness, switch to a simple question round or return to the meal. The host can keep the mood relaxed by not treating points as important.

- No drinking or mandatory gift exchange.

- No physical contact, forced disclosure, or elimination.

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| R_GAMES_CHRISTMAS-001 / Christmas party game<br>Winter Word Chain | R_GAMES_CHRISTMAS-002 / Christmas party game<br>Holiday Memory Sketch |
| R_GAMES_CHRISTMAS-003 / Christmas party game<br>Cozy Gathering Playlist | R_GAMES_CHRISTMAS-004 / Christmas party game<br>Paper Snowflake Relay |
| R_GAMES_CHRISTMAS-005 / Christmas party game<br>Seasonal Category Sprint | R_GAMES_CHRISTMAS-006 / Christmas party game<br>Mystery Mug Clue |

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| R_GAMES_CHRISTMAS-007 / Christmas party game<br>Kind Note Exchange | R_GAMES_CHRISTMAS-008 / Christmas party game<br>Year-End Tiny Win |
| R_GAMES_CHRISTMAS-009 / Christmas party game<br>Wrap-a-Box Design | R_GAMES_CHRISTMAS-010 / Christmas party game<br>Winter Scene Story |
| R_GAMES_CHRISTMAS-011 / Christmas party game<br>Seasonal Charades | R_GAMES_CHRISTMAS-012 / Christmas party game<br>Name That Scent — Verbal Edition |

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| R_GAMES_CHRISTMAS-013 / Christmas party game<br>Gift Bag Guess — No Touch | R_GAMES_CHRISTMAS-014 / Christmas party game<br>Paper Garland Team Build |
| R_GAMES_CHRISTMAS-015 / Christmas party game<br>Holiday Table Trivia — Shared Memories | R_GAMES_CHRISTMAS-016 / Christmas party game<br>Two-Minute Winter Itinerary |
| R_GAMES_CHRISTMAS-017 / Christmas party game<br>Seasonal Caption Cards | R_GAMES_CHRISTMAS-018 / Christmas party game<br>Cooperative Puzzle Sketch |

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| R_GAMES_CHRISTMAS-019 / Christmas party game<br>Warm-Drink Menu Pitch | R_GAMES_CHRISTMAS-020 / Christmas party game<br>Find a Shared Favorite |
| R_GAMES_CHRISTMAS-021 / Christmas party game<br>Paper Place-Card Doodle | R_GAMES_CHRISTMAS-022 / Christmas party game<br>Cozy Object Story |
| R_GAMES_CHRISTMAS-023 / Christmas party game<br>Winter Sound Match | R_GAMES_CHRISTMAS-024 / Christmas party game<br>Group Thank-You Round |

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## Hosting questions

## How many Christmas games should a host plan?

One or two short activities are usually enough. Keep the rest of the gathering open.

## Do guests need to bring a gift or know holiday trivia?

No. These games use optional household materials and do not test holiday knowledge.

## Can someone watch instead of play?

Yes. Every activity is optional, and hosts should make that clear before starting.

## References


Reviewed for adult holiday gathering activity context; all activities and instructions here are original.

https://www.partycard.app/blog/christmas-party-games-for-adults

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https://thehostingdesk.pro/christmas/christmas-party-games-adults-no-supplies


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