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Poppin Hoppies Board Game from University Games Review

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Our house has been overrun with Poppin Hoppies!!

We have been reviewing a board game from University games and the girls just love it.



The game comes with a board, 4 Poppin Hoppies figures and 7 Poppin Hoppies.

Game play is quite simple although it does get a tiny bit more complicated as you continue.

The 7 Poppin Hoppies are spring-loaded and on suckers, they all get pushed down at the same time and the youngest player says go.

Now the fun begins.... The Poppin Hoppies randomly start hopping into the air and all players have to try to catch as many as they can. At this point usually much giggling and squealing takes place from both my girls.



Each time a Hoppie is caught successfully the player earns a plastic piece of the corresponding colour and players use the pieces to construct their figure. This is where it starts to get more complicated for younger players, you can only construct your figure with the following rules:

1) same coloured pieces can not touch, 2) each figure must have pieces of all 4 colours, and 3) figures can not have more than two pieces of one color. The first player

to construct his figure wins!

Poppin' Hoppies is aimed at children 5 years and over but my youngest has totally enjoyed watching while we play it and joined in with the squealing and excitement.

I love how simple this game is, no batteries needed (massive plus) and it has wonderfully simple game play for younger children to understand.

If nothing else the excitement and suspense it creates is addictive for all the family, old or young.



Poppin Hoppies (age 5+ RRP £16.99) is made by University Games and is available to buy from [Argos](#) and Amazon.