



GAME GUIDE

Ultimate Texas Hold'em



THE STAR
SYDNEY

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Ultimate Texas Hold'Em is a Poker style game where you don't have to fold until you've seen all of the community cards!

HOW TO PLAY

To play, place a wager in both the Ante and Blind playing areas – these wagers must be of equal value to be valid.

You also have the option of placing a Trips wager. If your final five card hand is higher than three of a kind, you win!

You will receive two hole cards and have the option of folding, checking or placing a Play wager of 3 or 4 times your Ante wager. The earlier you bet, the higher you can bet.

The dealer will then reveal the three-card flop. If you haven't already made a Play bet, you can fold, check or place a Play wager of 2 times your Ante wager.

The dealer will then reveal the final two community cards. If you haven't already made a Play bet, you can either fold or place a Play wager of equal value to your Ante wager.

The dealer will then reveal their hole cards – to qualify to play against you, the dealer needs at least a pair.

PAYOUT ODDS

ANTE WAGERS

Ante wagers will:

WIN when your hand has a higher poker value than the dealers hand; or

LOSE when your hand has a lower poker value than the dealers hand; or

PUSH when your hand has an equal poker value to that of the dealer; or

PUSH when the dealer hand does not qualify with one pair or higher.

If the dealer hand qualifies with One Pair or higher and you have a higher-ranking poker hand than the dealer, the dealer shall pay your Ante wager at the odds of 1 to 1 and Play wager at the odds of 1 to 1.

BLIND WAGER

Regardless of whether the dealer's hand qualifies, your Blind wager will:

WIN when your hand has a poker value of a straight or higher and is a higher poker value than the dealer's hand; or

LOSE when your player hand has a lower poker value than the dealers hand; or

PUSH when your hand has a poker value less than a straight but is greater than the dealer's hand; or

PUSH when your hand has a poker value equal to that of the dealers hand.

In order for the Blind wager to win, your hand must be of a higher ranking than the dealer's hand and be at least a straight. Winning Blind wagers shall be paid at the below odds:

HAND	ODDS
Royal Flush	500 to 1
Straight Flush	50 to 1
Quads	10 to 1
Full House	3 to 1
Flush	3 to 2
Straight	1 to 1

TRIPS WAGER

The Trips optional wager is based solely on the best 5-card combination that you can make from your two hole cards and the five community cards dealt.

Regardless of whether the dealer's hand qualifies, Trips wagers shall:

WIN when your hand has a poker value of three of a kind (Trips) or higher; or

LOSE when your hand has a poker value less than three of a kind (Trips).

Winning Trips wagers shall be paid at the below odds:

HAND	ODDS
Royal Flush	50 to 1
Straight Flush	40 to 1
Quads	30 to 1
Full House	8 to 1
Flush	7 to 1
Straight	4 to 1
Trips	3 to 1

PLAY WAGER

Regardless of whether the dealer's hand qualifies, Play wagers shall:

WIN when your hand has a higher poker value than the dealers hand; or

LOSE when your hand has a lower poker value than the dealers hand; or

PUSH when your hand has an equal poker value to that of the dealer.

Winning Play wagers will be paid at odds of 1 to 1.