SYMBIOSE

2 to 4 players
15 minutes
8+ years

LES CATACOMBES DE PARIS



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COMPONENTS

36 Large cards



1 Scoresheet



DISTRIBUTION



ANATOMY OF A CARD



The **Object**
in the foreground

The **Terrain**
in the background

The **Points**
at the bottom

GOAL OF THE GAME

In SYMBIOSE LES CATACOMBES DE PARIS each player collects eight cards in front of them in order to form their **Ossuary**.

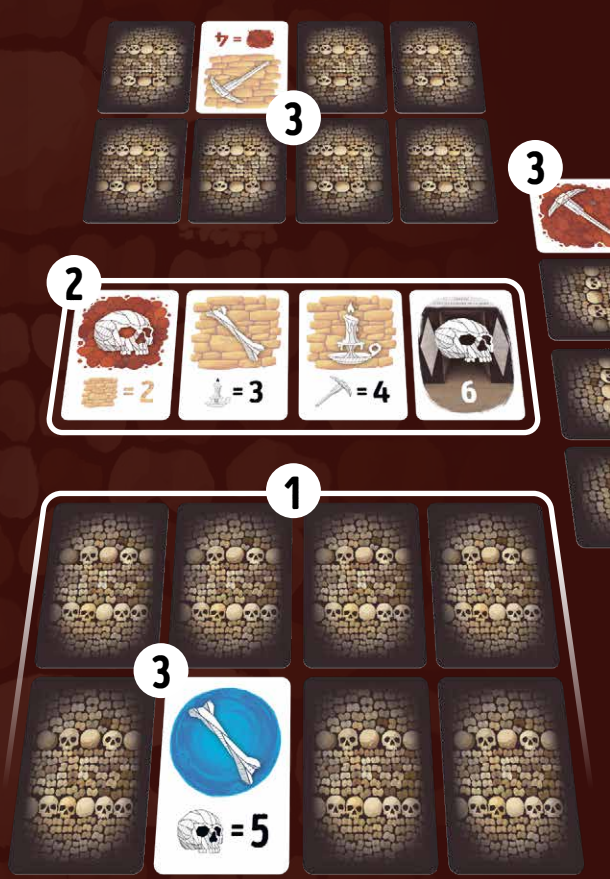
The goal of the game is to have the **Ossuary** with the highest number of points.

The Catacombs of Paris constitute the largest underground ossuary in the world!

SETUP

1. Shuffle all the cards and deal **eight cards face down** to each player to form their **Ossuary**.
2. Place **four cards face up** in the center of the table to form the **Gallery**.
3. Each player simultaneously reveals one card from their Ossuary face up.
4. Determine the order of play: the last person to have been in the **Paris Catacombs** starts, then play proceeds in turn order clockwise.





GAME TURN

1. Take a **card from the Gallery** (A).
2. Choose a **card from your Ossuary** (B).
3. Exchange the **card from your Ossuary** (B) with the **card taken from the Gallery** (A).
4. Leave **card** (A) face up in your Ossuary.
5. Put **card** (B) face up in the Gallery.

Caution, If the card chosen from your Ossuary (B) was already face up, **reveal another one of your cards as well,** (C) **for example**.

At the end of your turn, you will therefore always have a new card face up in your Ossuary.



THE POINTS

Each of your cards earns **variable points** or **fixed points**.

If these points are variable according to an Object or a Terrain, your card scores according to its placement in your Ossuary:

- In **your left column**, it scores based on your opponent's entire left Ossuary.
- In **your two central columns**, it scores based on your entire Ossuary.
- In **your right column**, it scores based on your opponent's entire right Ossuary.

If these points are fixed, the card earns you the points indicated regardless of its placement.



END OF THE GAME

The game ends once all players have **eight cards face up** in their respective Ossuary.

Count the **points scored** by each of your cards and write them down on the scoresheet.

Add up the points of all your cards. **The person with the highest score wins the game**.

In case of a tie, victory is shared. You now live in perfect symbiosis, congratulations!



DUEL MODE
1VS1

In **Duel** Mode, you will play with a **Gallery of eight cards**.

During setup, add four face-down cards to the **Gallery** in addition to the four face-up cards.

On your turn, you can choose any of the eight cards in the **Gallery**. **When you choose a face-down card, look at it before deciding where to place it in your Ossuary.** ***Be sure to place the replacement card face up.***

At the end of the game, if any cards remain face down in the **Gallery**, flip them face up.

When counting points, your two cards on the **Gallery** side score points based on the eight cards in the **Gallery**.



TEAM MODE
2 VS 2

*In **Team** Mode, you will play in two versus two. You **team** up with the only player not adjacent to you.*

Setup and turns work the same way as in normal mode.

The difference lies in the scoring: your cards on the sides score points based on the eight cards of your **teammate**.

At the end of the game, **add up the points of both Ossuaries in your team**. The **team** with the highest score wins the game.




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Explore the universe of the **Paris Catacombs** in this collector's edition of the card game **Symbiose**!
Opened to the public in 1809, the Catacombs of Paris constitute the **largest underground ossuary** in the world.
The site houses the remains of several **million Parisians** transferred to former limestone quarries as cemeteries were progressively closed.