

Modal Switchit: Impossibility

Borrow:

- Can I borrow these books?
- Can I borrow your book?
- Can I borrow some money?
- Can I borrow a colored pencil?
- Can I borrow your car?

Clean:

- Can you clean my room?
- Could you clean your locker?
- Can I clean the board?
- Could you clean your desk?
- Can you clean my shoes?

Cook:

- Can you cook dinner for me?
- May I cook spaghetti?
- I like you, but can you cook?
- Can you cook Japanese food?
- Can you cook Mexican food?

Do:

- Can you do the dishes?
- Can you do my homework?
- Can you do karate?
- Could you do the ironing?
- Can you do the splits?

Drink:

- Can you drink wine?
- Can I drink some whisky?
- Can you drink vinegar?
- Can I drink your beer?
- Can you drink lemon juice?

Eat:

- Can you eat spicy food?
- Can you eat a big hamburger?
- May I eat all the cake?
- Can I eat your ice cream?
- Can I eat some cookies?

Have:

- Can I have some gumballs?

May I have another slice?
Can I have a date with you?
Can I have your iPhone?
Woof! Could I have a cookie?

Make:

Can you make breakfast for me?
Can you make my bed, too?
Can I make you some coffee?
Can you make it to the finish?
Can you make me some tea?

Play:

May I play your guitar?
Can I play the piano?
Can you play the bagpipes?
Can you play the accordion?
Can you play the harp?

Speak:

May I speak Japanese?
Can you speak French?
Can you speak English quickly?
Can you speak Italian?
Can you speak German?

Teach:

Can you teach me chemistry?
Can you teach me English?
Can you teach me arithmetic?
Can you teach me kanji?
Can you teach me IT?

Use:

Can I use your computer?
Can I use your power saw?
Can you use an abacus?
Can you use hula hoop?
Can you use a pogo stick?

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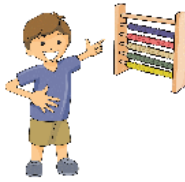
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MODAL SWITCHIT RULES

1. Deal 7 cards to each player.
2. Place the pack facedown and turn over the top card.
3. 1st player answers with "No, I can't." plus reason, or "Yes, I can." plus qualifier, then plays a card matching the color or category and ask 2nd player the question.
4. A special Switchit card changes the color of the next card to be played.
5. If a player cannot play, then a card is taken from the pack.
6. The object of the game is to get rid of all your cards.
7. Remove pack after a winner is found and continue playing.