

Peg puzzle

Start with pegs in all the holes but one. Jump a peg over another peg into an empty hole, remove the peg that was jumped over. Continue jumping pegs until there are no adjacent pegs to jump over. Goal is to have only one peg left when done.

See how you rate:

Leave four or more pegs – Pretty Bad: 0 points

Leave 3 pegs – Average – 10 points

Leave 2 pegs – Above Average – 25 points

Leave 1 peg – Genius – 50 points

Making Peg Puzzle

Print and cut out triangles. Spray adhesive onto paper and wood and place diagram onto wood. Cut out around outline of paper. Use an awl to place an indentation in the center of the 15 circles. Drill $\frac{1}{4}$ inch hole in each of the circles, stopping the drill just short of drilling through the wood. Sand and finish wood. If a different sized triangle is desired, the right diagram graphic can be resized smaller or larger before printing.

For the pegs cut a piece(s) of wood $\frac{1}{2}$ " x $\frac{1}{2}$ " x $4\frac{1}{2}$ ", turn to peg shape on diagram. The shaft should be just under a $\frac{1}{4}$ ", so it fits in the holes. The shaft sides should be straight for about a $\frac{1}{4}$ " so the peg does not wobble after being placed in a hole.

