

Take a piece for free



Here are the answers - how many of the free pieces did you spot?

If you played different moves in some of the pictures, then you need to practise **looking to see if the other person can take you back** before you decide to take them.

In number 10 there are two free pieces on offer, but the knight is worth more points.

12 chessboard diagrams illustrating pieces that can be taken for free:

- 1:** A white king on e1 and a black king on e8. A white queen on e2 has an arrow pointing to the black king on e8.
- 2:** A white king on e1, a black king on e8, a white queen on d2, and a black rook on a8. An arrow points from the white queen to the black rook.
- 3:** A white king on e1, a black king on e8, a white queen on d2, a black rook on a8, and a black rook on f8. An arrow points from the white queen to the black rook on f8.
- 4:** A white king on e1, a black king on e8, a white queen on d2, a black rook on a8, and two black knights on c3 and c5. An arrow points from the white queen to the black rook on a8.
- 5:** A white king on e1, a black king on e8, a white queen on d2, a black rook on a8, a black knight on a1, a black knight on f3, a black knight on g3, and a black knight on h3. An arrow points from the white queen to the black knight on a1.
- 6:** A white king on e1, a black king on e8, a white queen on d2, a black rook on a8, a black knight on f3, a black knight on g3, and a black knight on h3. An arrow points from the white queen to the black knight on h3.
- 7:** A white king on e1, a black king on e8, a white queen on d2, a black rook on a8, a black knight on a1, a black knight on f3, a black knight on g3, and a black knight on h3. An arrow points from the white queen to the black knight on h3.
- 8:** A white king on e1, a black king on e8, a white queen on d2, a black rook on a8, a black knight on a1, a black knight on f3, a black knight on g3, and a black knight on h3. An arrow points from the white queen to the black knight on a1.
- 9:** A white king on e1, a black king on e8, a white queen on d2, a black rook on a8, a black knight on a1, a black knight on f3, a black knight on g3, and a black knight on h3. An arrow points from the white queen to the black knight on h3.
- 10:** A white king on e1, a black king on e8, a white queen on d2, a black rook on a8, a black knight on a1, a black knight on f3, a black knight on g3, and a black knight on h3. An arrow points from the white queen to the black knight on h3.
- 11:** A white king on e1, a black king on e8, a white queen on d2, a black rook on a8, a black knight on a1, a black knight on f3, a black knight on g3, and a black knight on h3. An arrow points from the white queen to the black knight on h3.
- 12:** A white king on e1, a black king on e8, a white queen on d2, a black rook on a8, a black knight on a1, a black knight on f3, a black knight on g3, and a black knight on h3. An arrow points from the white queen to the black knight on h3.

