

PLAY AID



1. HEYDAY PHASE

In clockwise order each player conducts a player turn: Pay action => Place action tile and time tile(s) on time track => conduct main action:

- Tax Collector: Take coins (no action tile, only hourglasses)
- **New Starting Player:** Take coins; becomes new starting player in the following Decline Phase (action tile, no hourglasses)
- Philosopher*: Train new persons
- Navigator: Build a city or hometown + rewards of one region
- Scribe*: Take new civilization cards
- Chronicler: Play 1 civilization card

*The costs of the action tile determine the efficiency of the action

ADDITIONAL ACTIONS:

- Oracle and Temple: Return any 3 wooden cubes => train 1 person
- Oracle: Return 1 wooden cube => exchange persons up to two times
- **Temple:** Return 1 wooden cube => receive 1 "virtual" person

The round ends when all players have filled all spaces on their time tracks. A player may not voluntarily pass!





2. DECLINE PHASE

- Determine new starting player
- Clean up of time track, remove wooden cubes from hometowns and civilization cards
- · Advance game turn marker and check for era change
- Activate cities and civilization cards
- · Check card limit

FINAL SCORING AFTER THE 6TH ROUND:

- **Score cards in hands:** Half of the victory points (rounded up; no bonuses etc.)
- Hand cards that cannot be fulfilled: Lose half of the victory points (rounded up)
- Receive 1 victory point per 10 coins
- Receive 1 victory point per 2 wooden cubes on oracle and temple
- Penalty for hourglasses on the time track:

Number of tiles	1	2	3	4+
Negative victory	-2 victory	-4 victory	-8 victory	-16 victory
points	points	points	points	points