

# Dragon Poker

## Rules of Play

Dragon Poker is a game where the player competes against the dealer for a higher-ranking hand based on three cards dealt to each player and the dealer. 53 cards are comprised of a unique deck with the following composition, ranked highest to lowest:

- Gold Dragon (Wild Card) – 1 Card
- Red Dragon – 3 Cards
- Blue Dragon – 3 Cards
- Phoenix – 7 Cards
- Tiger – 8 Cards
- Panda – 9 Cards
- Monkey – 10 Cards
- Rabbit – 12 Cards

Note: All dragons have the same rank for determining the higher ranking hand.

1. To begin, players must place an Ante and Ante Bonus wager of equal amounts. Players may also place the optional 3 Card Bonus and Dragon Bonus side wagers.
2. Each player and the dealer will then receive three cards.
3. The three-card hands are ranked, in order from highest to lowest, as follows:
  - 1) Trips – Three of the same card with three Dragons being the highest-ranking trips and proceeding in order by card rank.
  - 2) Pair – Two of the same cards with two Dragons being the highest-ranking pair and proceeding in order by card rank.
    - a) If the player and dealer have the same pair, the rank of the third card will determine the higher hand.
    - b) If the player and dealer have the same pair and same third card, the hand is a push.
  - 3) High Card – A hand consisting of three different cards with the rank determined by the highest -ranking card.
    - a) If the player and dealer have the same high card, the rank of the next highest card will determine the higher hand and if the top two cards are the same, the rank of the third card will determine the higher hand.
    - b) If the player and dealer have the same three cards, the hand is a push.
  - 4) The Gold Dragon can be used as a wild card for any of the characters or can be used as a dragon. If it is used as a Dragon, it remains a Gold Dragon.
    - a) The Gold Dragon can be used to make trips or a pair.
    - b) The Gold Dragon with a pair will make trips.
    - c) A Gold Dragon with two different cards will make a pair of the higher-ranking card.

4. After reviewing their cards each player has the option to make a Play wager in the amount equal to the Ante wager or fold and forfeit the Ante and Ante Bonus wagers.
5. After each player has made a decision, the dealer will reveal their hand and settle all wagers.
6. If the player's hand is ranked higher than the dealer's hand, the Ante and Play wagers are paid 1 to 1 and the Ante Bonus is paid according to the pay table below (sample).

#### Ante Bonus

<b>Outcome</b>	<b>Pay</b>
Three Dragons	30 to 1
Trips	4 to 1
Pair of Pandas or Better	1 to 1
Winning Hand	Push

7. If the dealer's hand is ranked higher than the player's hand, the Ante, Ante Bonus, and Play wagers lose.
8. If the dealer's hand and the player's hand tie, the Ante, Ante Bonus, and Play wagers push.
9. The 3 Card Bonus side wager is based on the ranking of the player's three cards. If the player's hand contains a Pair of Tigers or better, the 3 Card Bonus side wager pays odds according to the pay tables below.

#### 3 Card Bonus

<b>Outcome</b>	<b>Pay Table 1</b>	<b>Pay Table 2</b>
Three Dragons	40 to 1	40 to 1
Three Phoenix	30 to 1	30 to 1
Three Tiger	20 to 1	15 to 1
Other Trips	10 to 1	10 to 1
Two Dragons	4 to 1	4 to 1
Two Phoenix	2 to 1	2 to 1
Two Tigers	1 to 1	1 to 1

10. The Dragon Bonus side wager wins if the player's hand contains a Gold Dragon or better, according to the pay table below.

### Dragon Bonus

<b>Outcome</b>	<b>Pay</b>
Three Red Dragons	1,000 to 1
Three Blue Dragons	1,000 to 1
Three Dragons With Gold Dragon	200 to 1
Three Dragons	60 to 1
Two Dragons	7 to 1
Gold Dragon	5 to 1

Note: The Dragon Bonus side wager may be offered as a progressive.