Card Game Instructions

In groups of 2 or 3, students play a card game similar to “Go Fish” using cards illustrating furnishings to reinforce old and new vocabulary. Each card has a picture of a piece of furniture and lists two other pieces that belong in the same room. The object of the game is for each player to collect the three furniture cards for each room. Students take turns asking the player next to them if he or she has a piece of furniture for a particular room in the house. If that player does not have it, he or she says, “No, I don't have (name of item). Go shopping!” The first player then picks a card from the deck on the table. However, if the second player does have the item, he or she hands it over to the first player. When a player gets all three items that belong in a particular room, he or she puts these cards down on the table. The player who furnishes the most rooms wins.