

## **RANK OF THE SUITS:**

1. Spades are the 1<sup>st</sup> HIGHEST suit
2. Hearts are the 2<sup>nd</sup> HIGHEST suit
3. Diamonds are the 3<sup>rd</sup> HIGHEST suit
4. Clubs are the 4<sup>th</sup> HIGHEST suit

**MAJOR Suits:** Spades and Hearts

**MINOR Suits:** Clubs and Diamonds

**DECLARER:** is the person who wins the contract and he is the one who plays the hand

**DUMMY:** is the partner of the declarer and he does not play the hand

**DEFENDERS:** are the two players who did not win the contract. They try to stop the declarer from making their contract

**DECK:** 52 cards with 13 cards in each of the four suits: Spades, Hearts, Diamonds and Clubs