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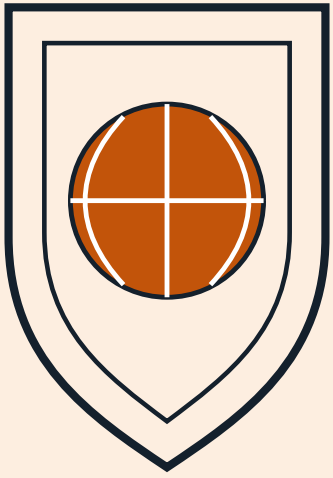
# LANE BANDIT



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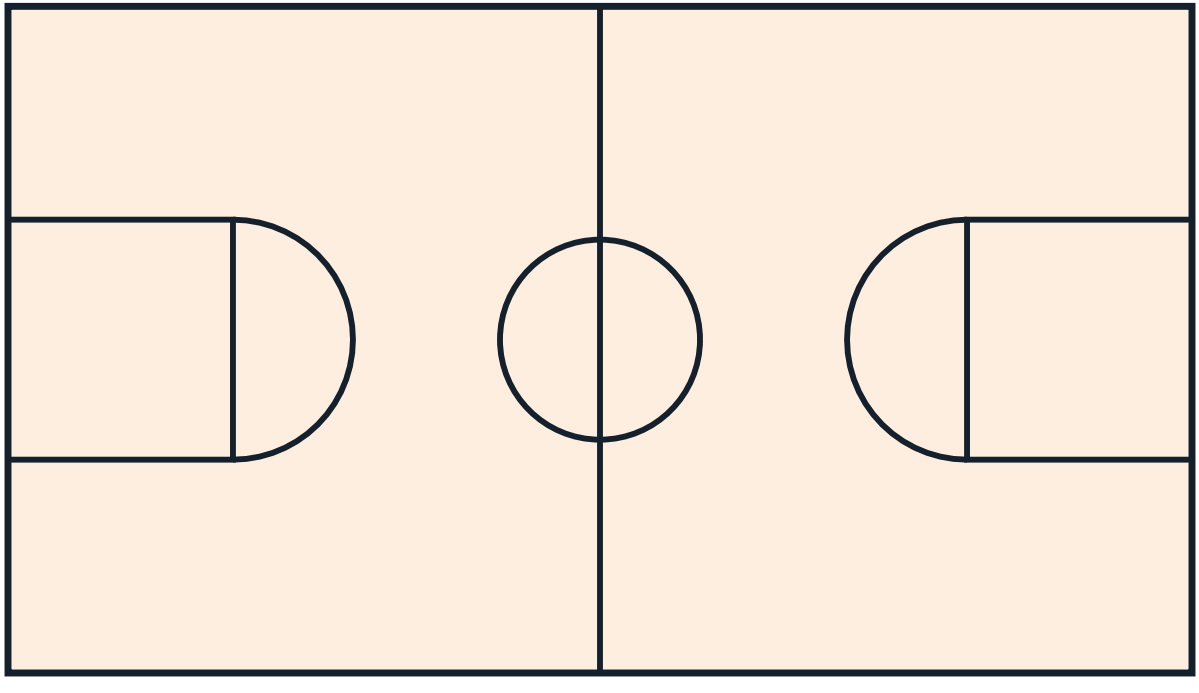
# Meet Lane Bandit!

Four lanes, one gold flash: pick the lane the ball will attack.

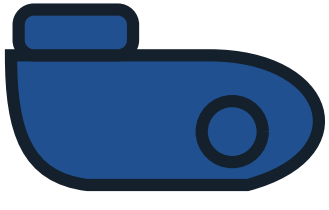


# Where It Is Played



# The Gear





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# How to Play

Fast breaks come at you down one of four lanes. A gold flash telegraphs the target lane a beat early; pick that lane in time for the steal. The breaks come faster as the 60 seconds run.



# Scoring

- Correct lane: +3 (a steal).
- Steal with a perfect read (instant pick): +5.
- Streak bonus: from 3 straight steals, every steal pays +2 extra.

# Top Tips

- Trust the gold flash over your guess — the flash is always true, and hesitation is the only way to miss a telegraphed lane.
- Centre your attention on the gap between lanes 2 and 3; it splits your reaction distance evenly.
- Protect the streak late: with the +2 bonus live, a safe correct read beats a perfect-read gamble.

# More of the Basket & net Family

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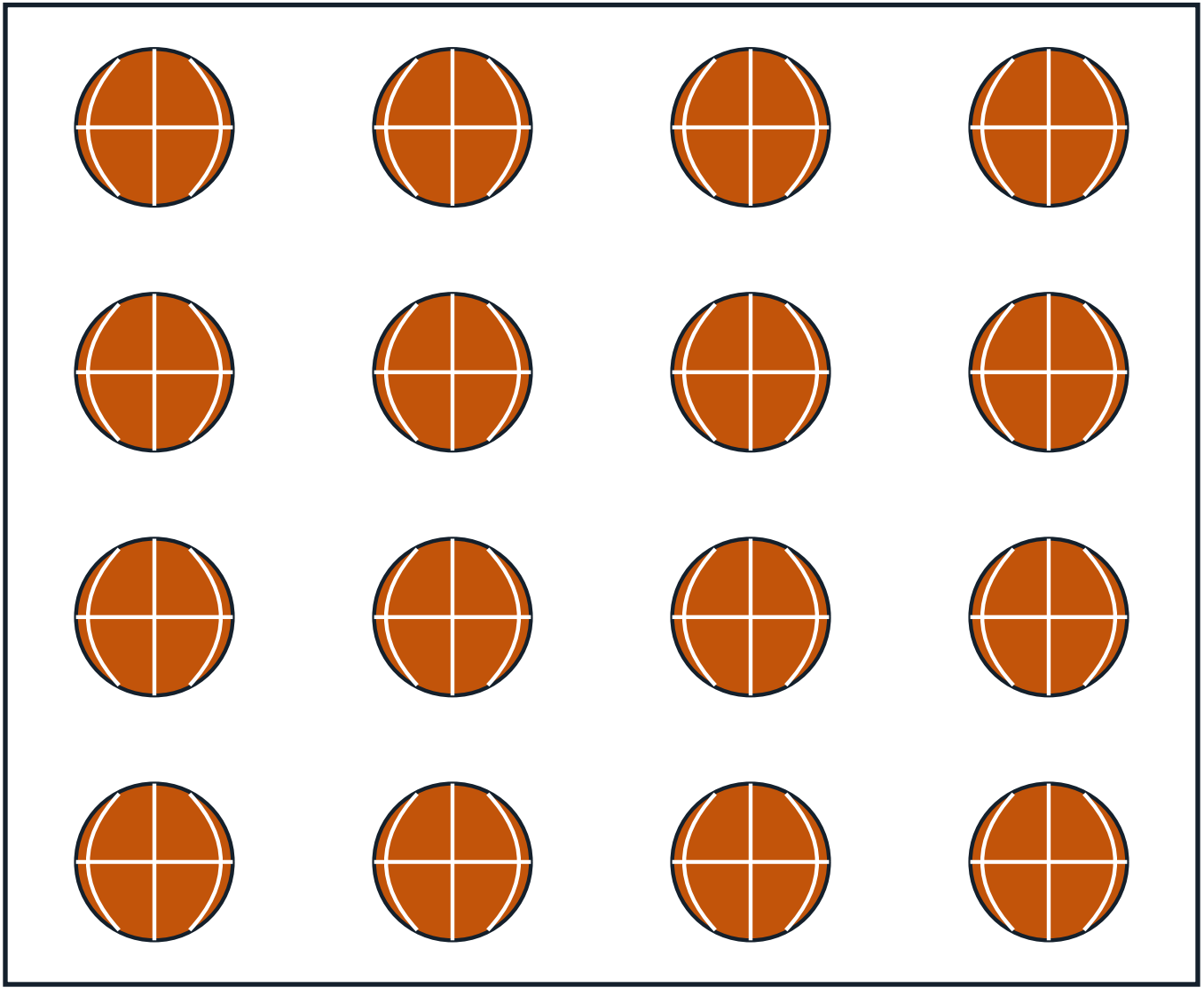

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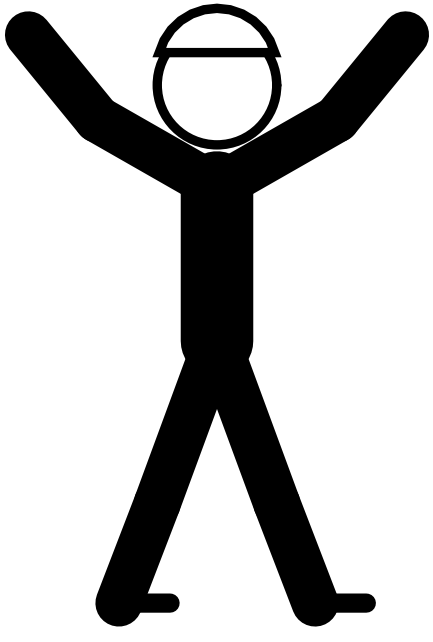

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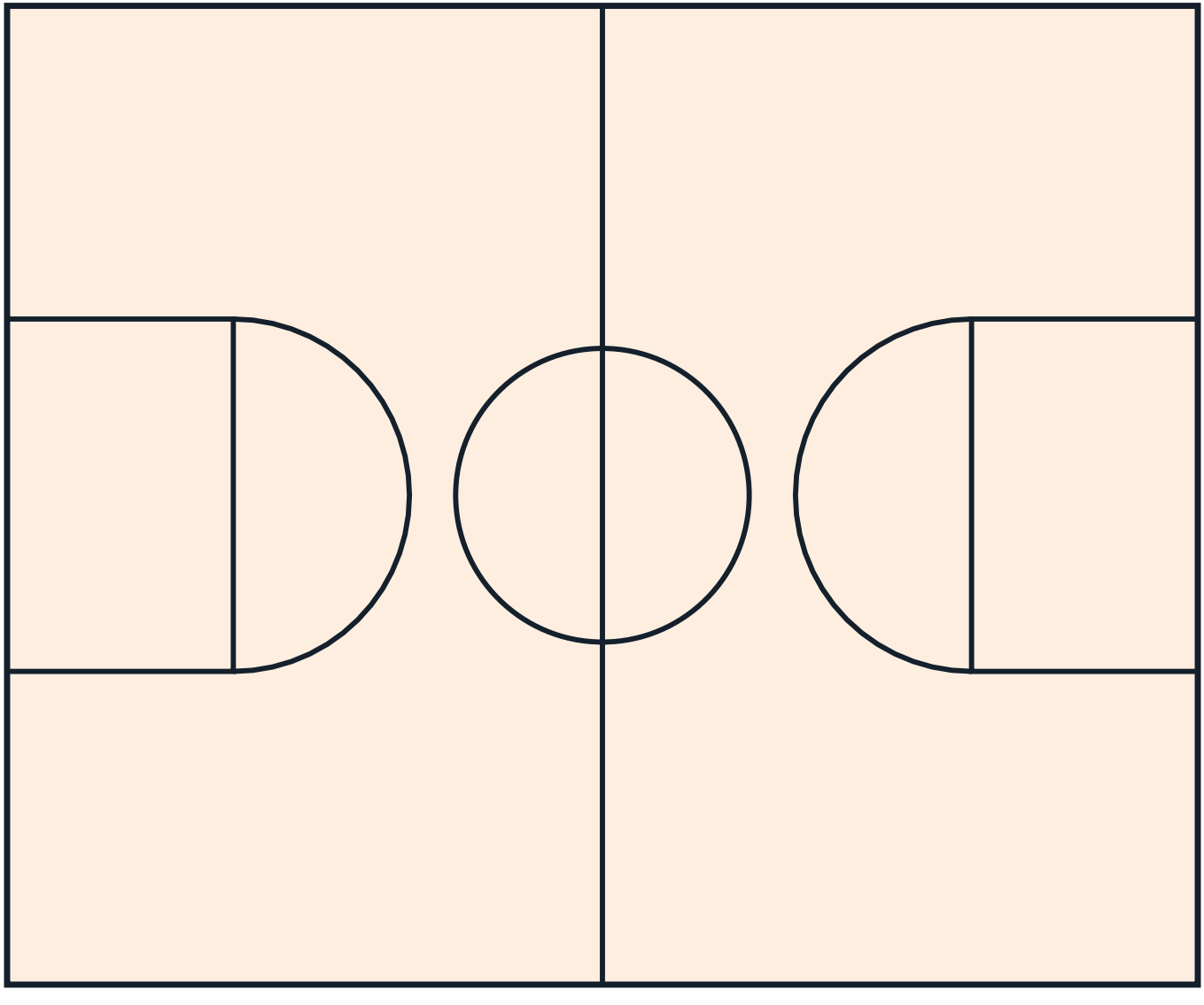
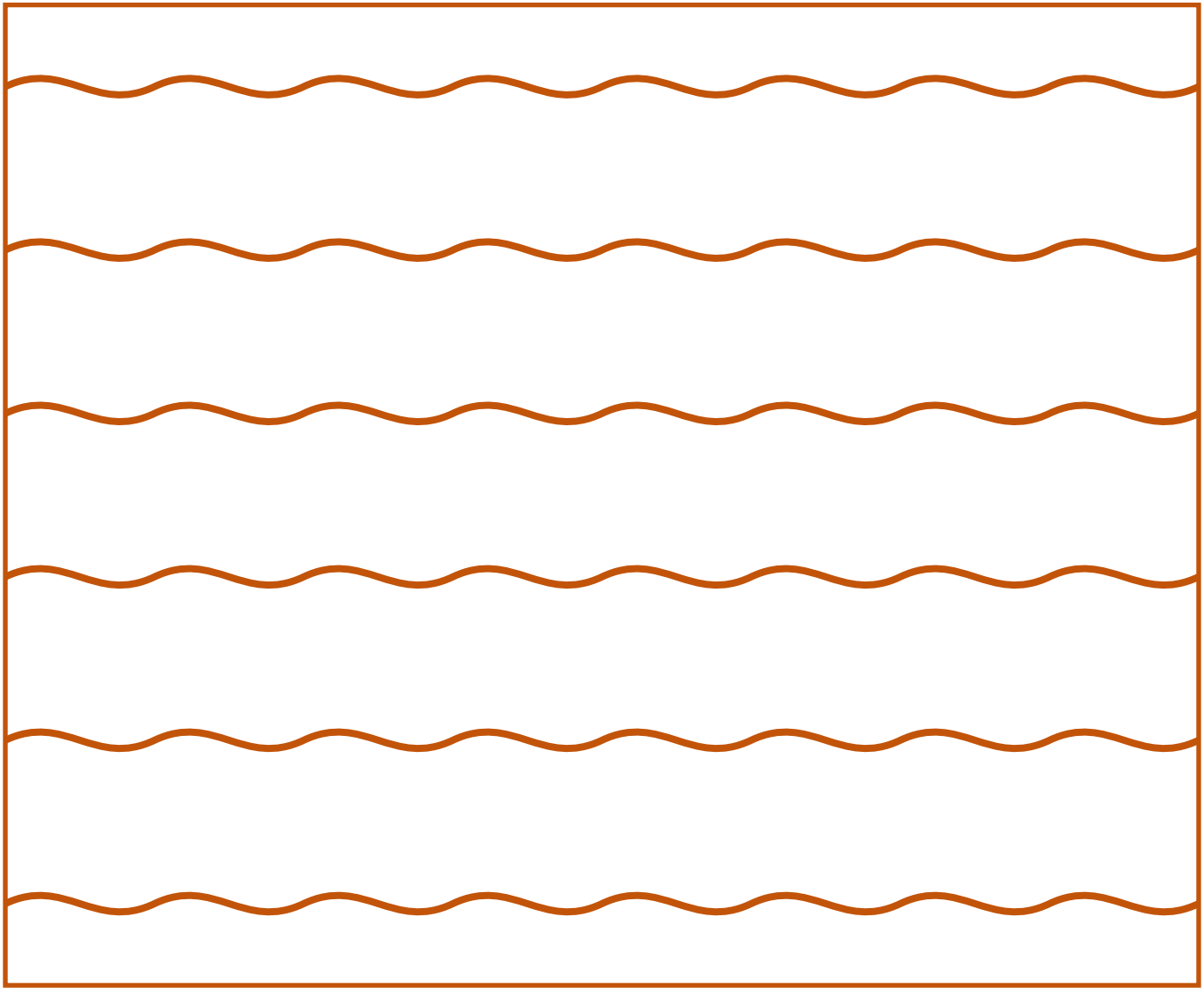


# At School and College



# Play It Near You



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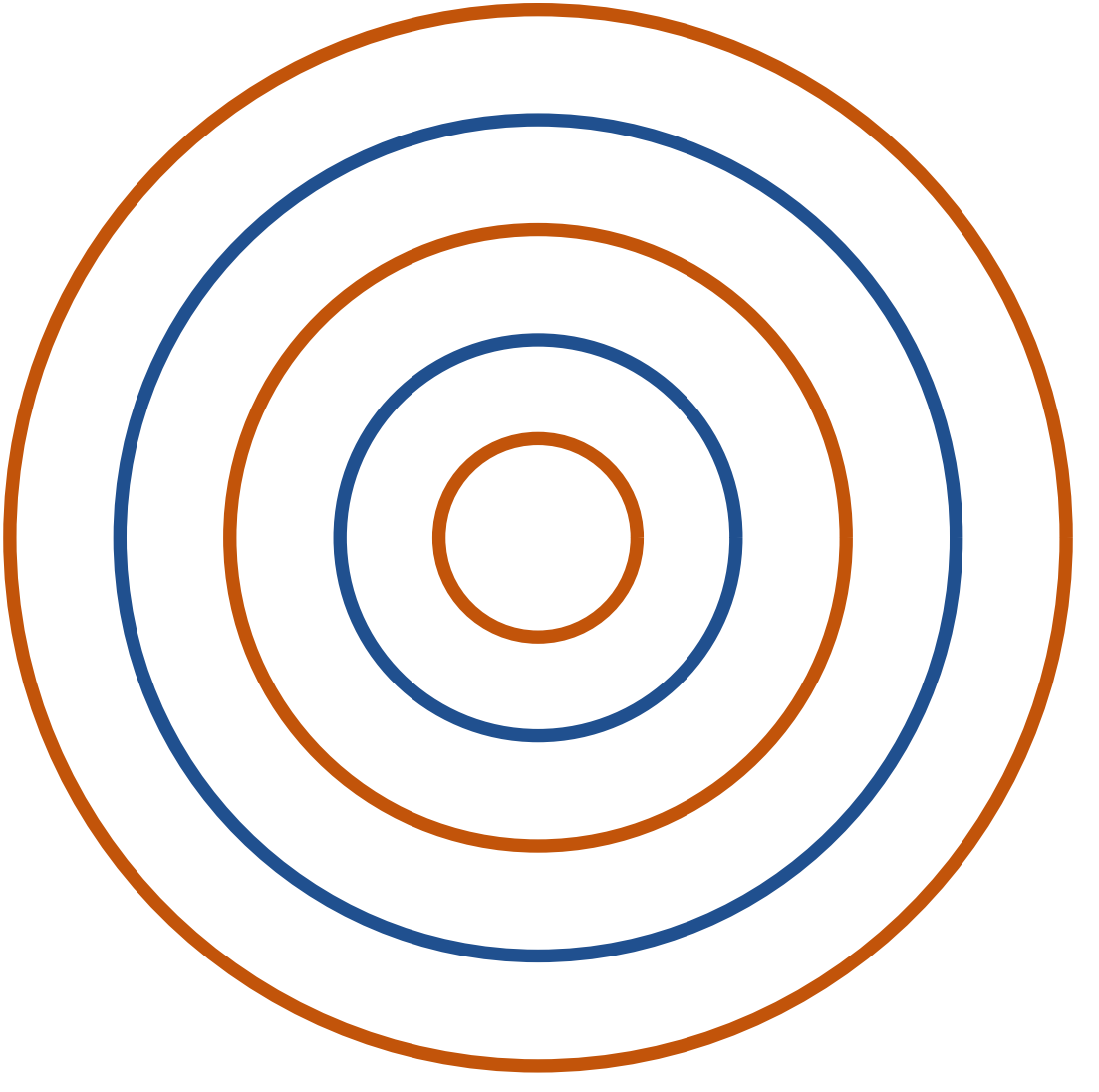

# The Basket & net Family

Every sport belongs to a family of games that share its shapes and skills. Here are some of this book's closest relatives — each with a cartoon book and a colouring book of its own.

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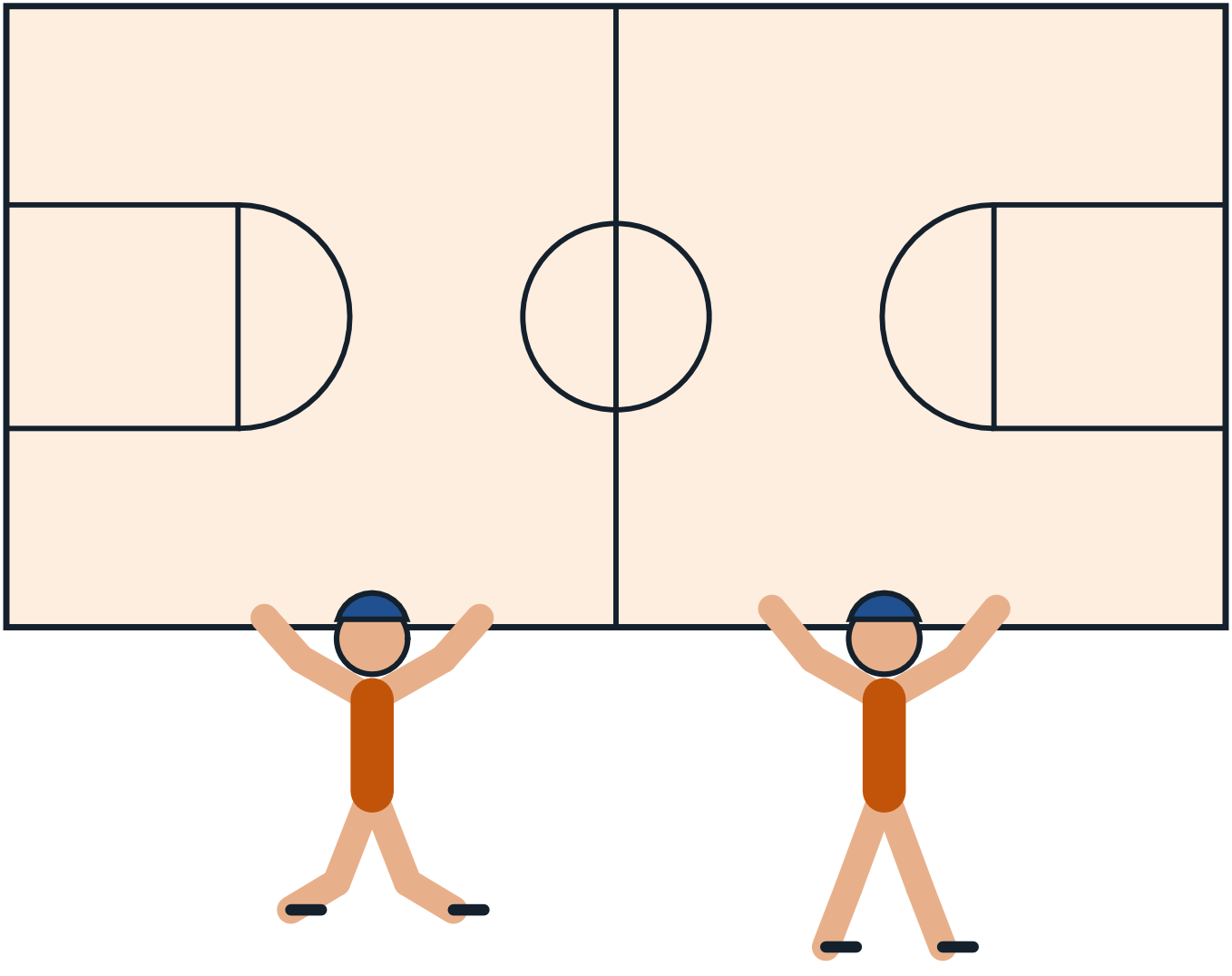
# Game Day!



# The Sport on Earth Mark

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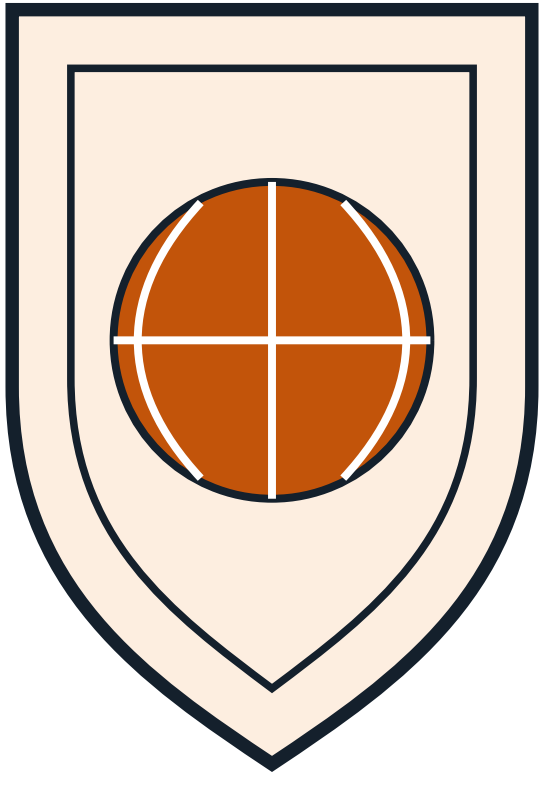
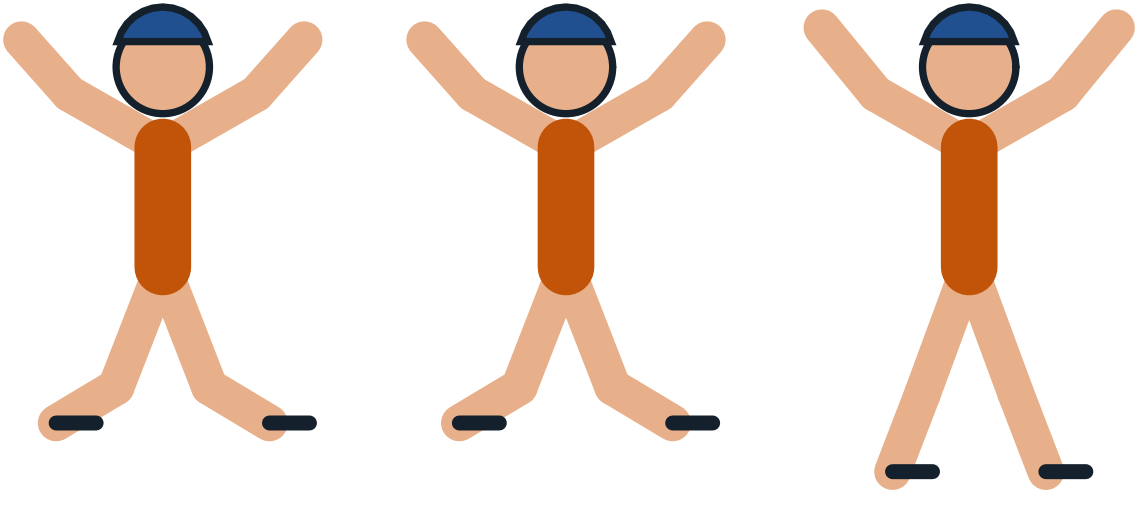
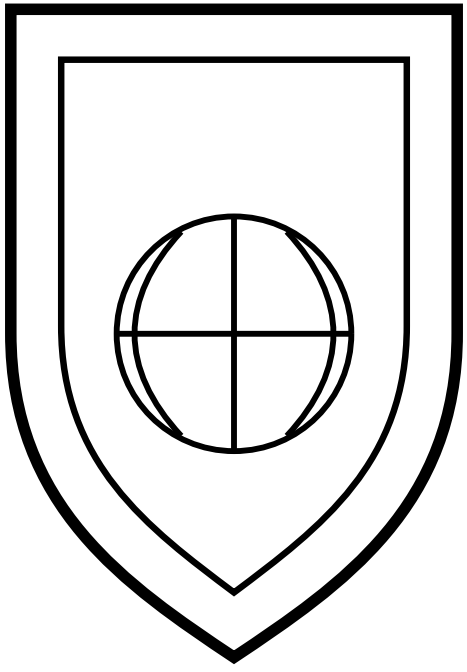


# Moves of the Game



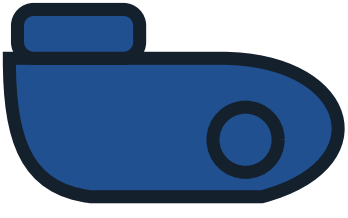
# Design a Badge



*Draw and colour a badge for your own team.*

# The Gear Parade





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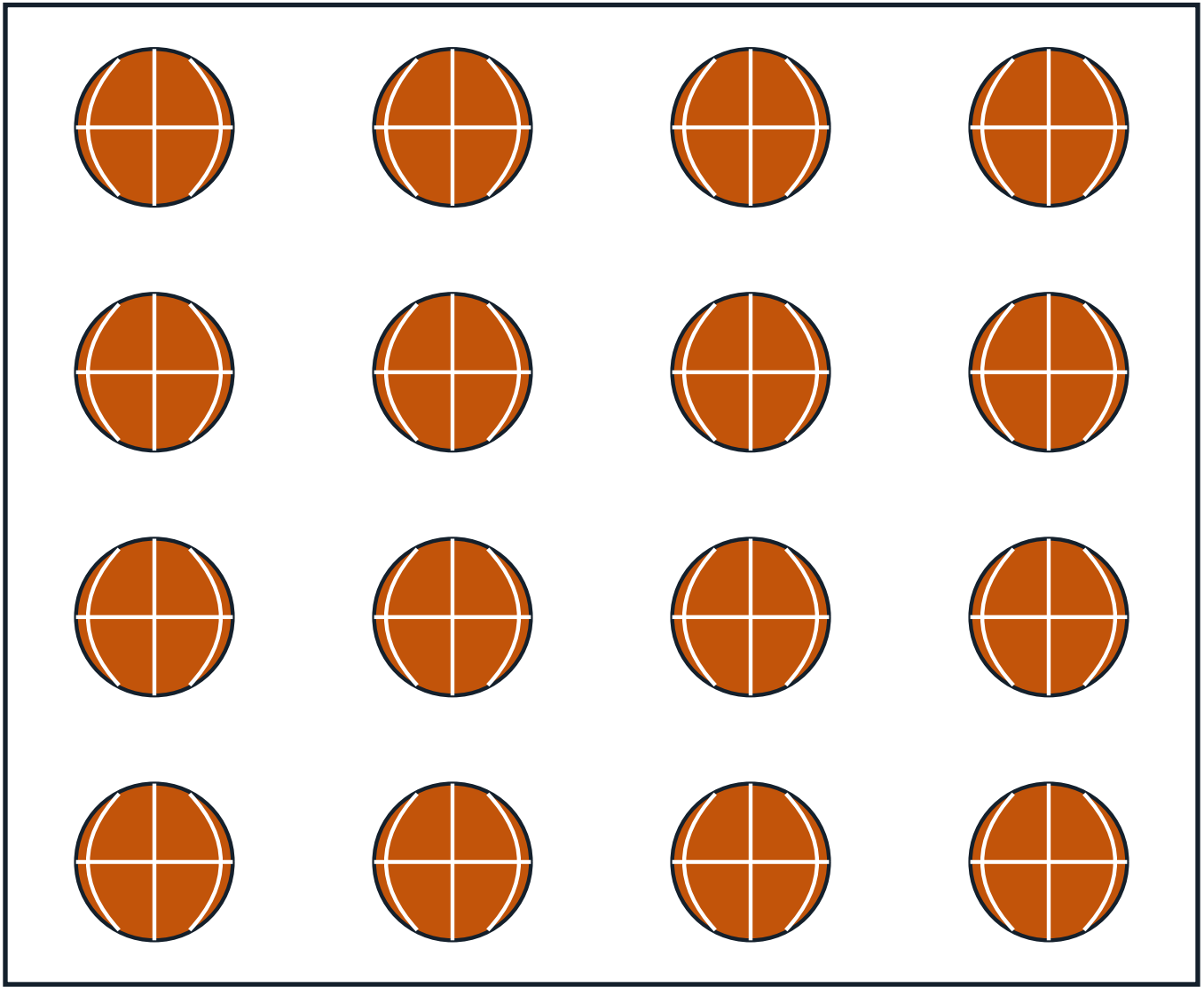
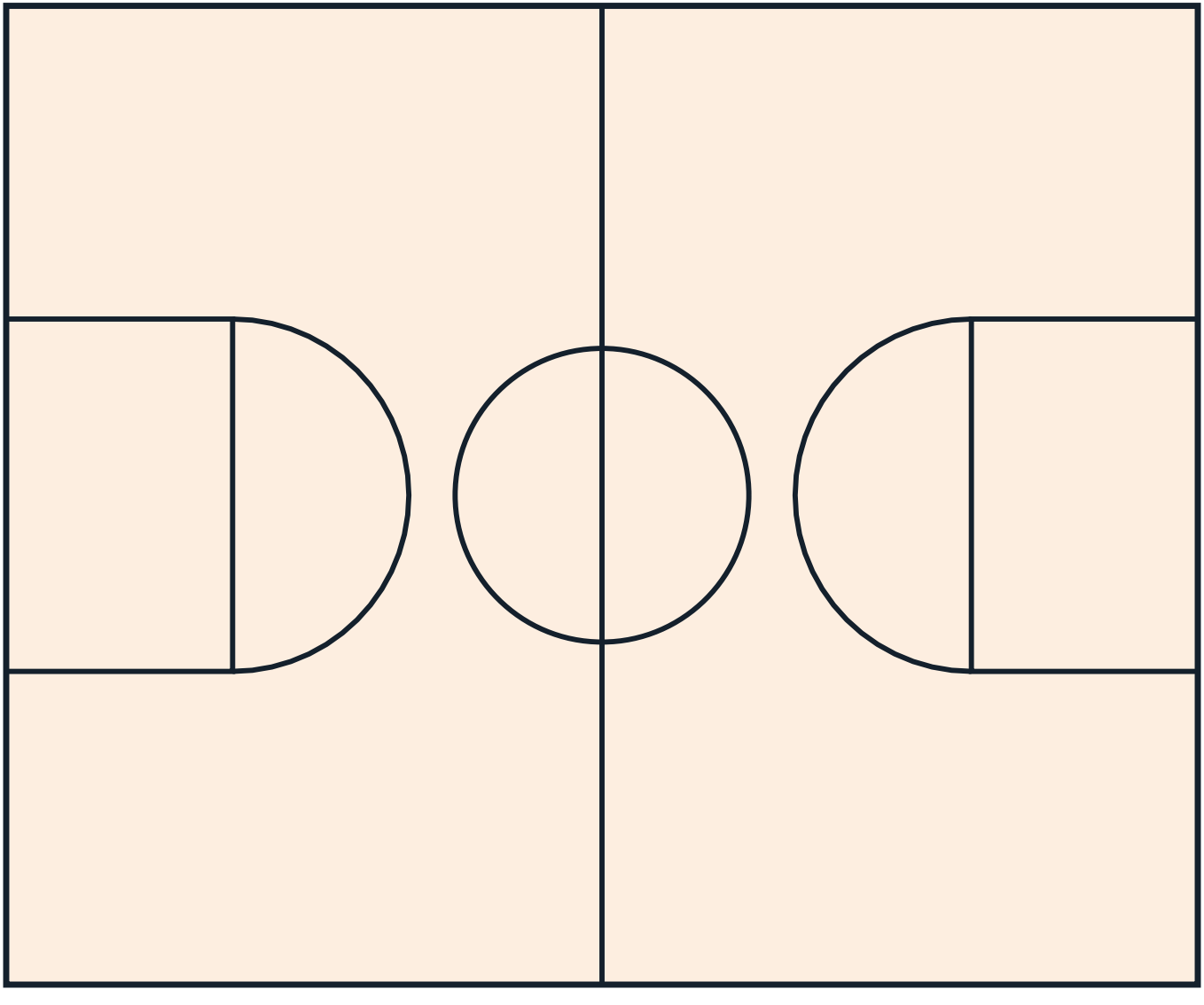


# The Arena From Above



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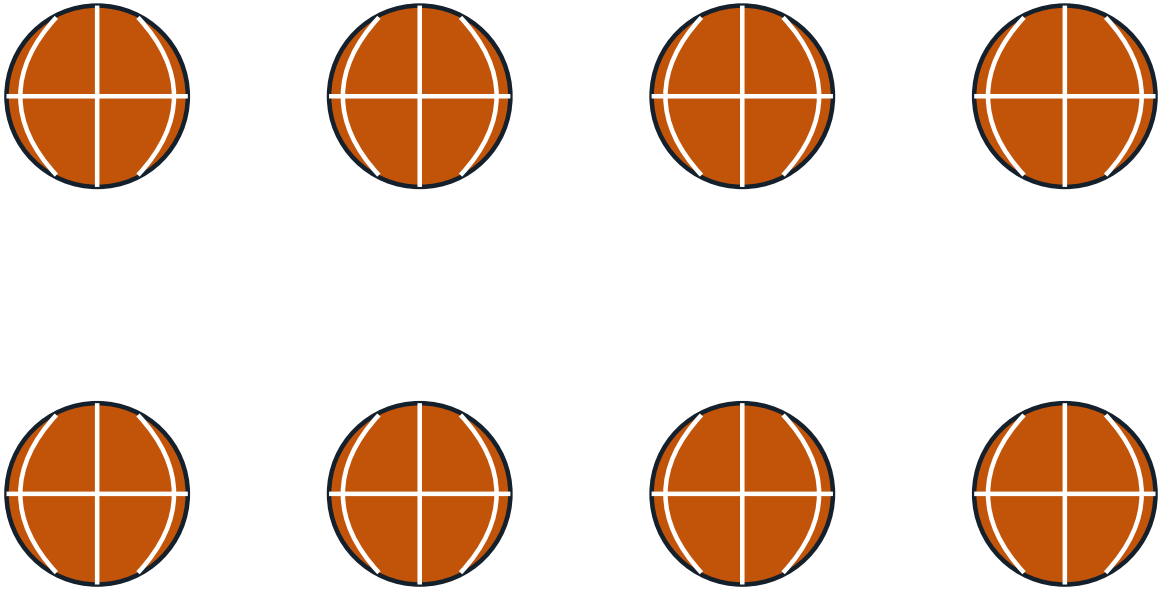


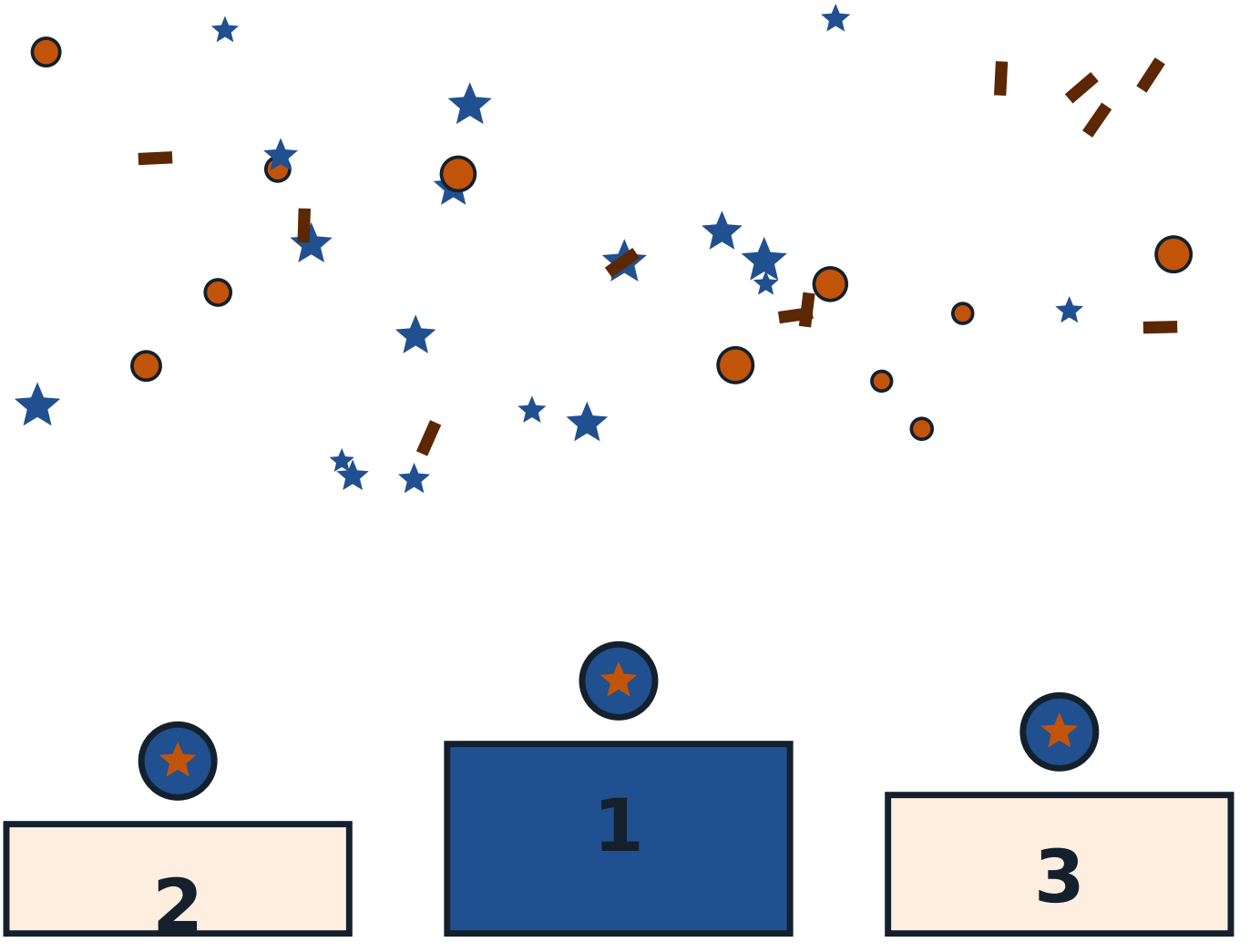
*How many can you count? Write the number here: _____*

# My Favourite Part of Lane Bandit

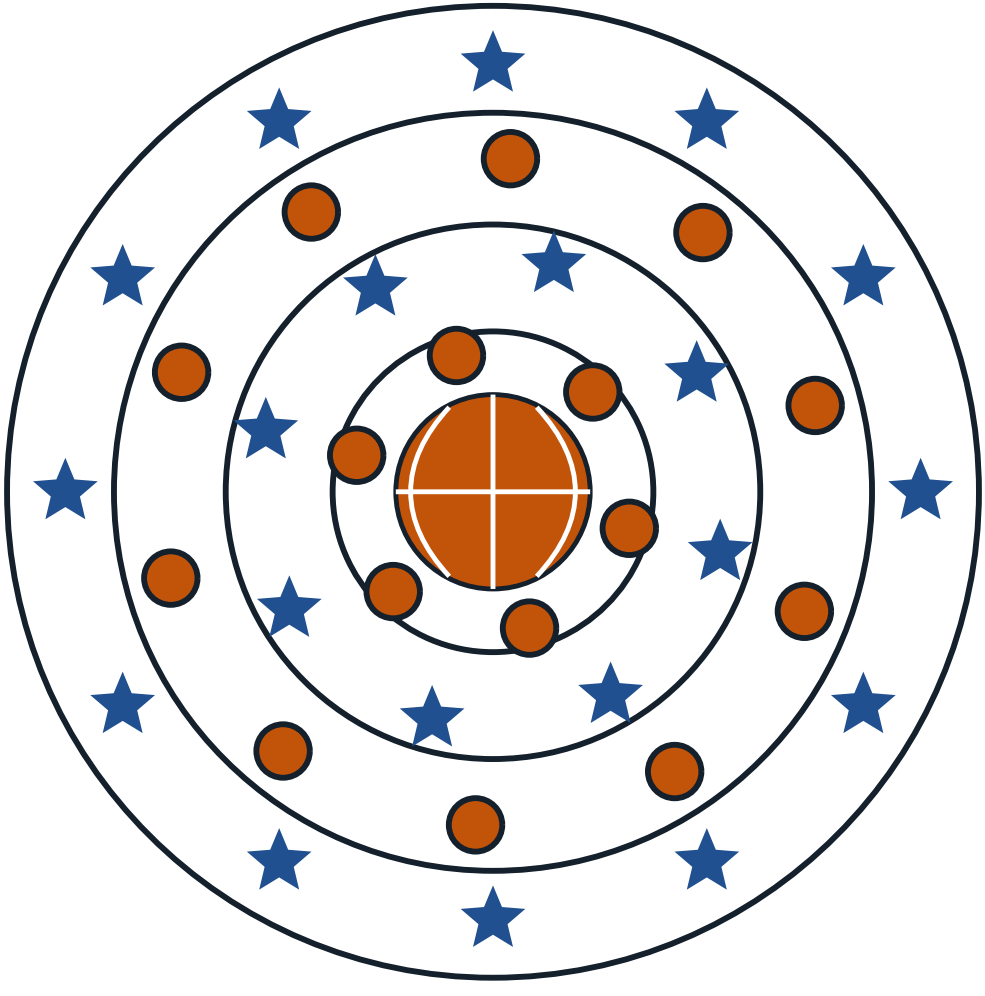
# Gear Close-Up



# Champions!



# The Mandala of the Game



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# My Notes

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