

HOW TO PLAY

# SEVEN CARD STUD POKER

1. In seven-card high stud poker, the player receives two cards dealt face downward and one card dealt face upward. At the casino's discretion, the player with the high or low card opens.
2. If two or more players have a card of the same value, the low or high card must be determined by the rank of suits as follows: spades, hearts, diamonds, and clubs from highest to lowest.
3. On all subsequent rounds, the player with the best hand showing opens.
4. The players receive three additional cards dealt face upward and a final card dealt face downward, with a betting round after each card.
5. This game can be played High only, High/Low split or Low only.
  - A. For High/Low split the low qualifier may be defined at the time the game is spread. (Often the low qualifier is eight or better, unpaired, straights and flushes being ignored).
  - B. A player can win both the high and the low.
  - C. Aces play as high for the high hand and low for the low hand.
  - D. In the game of seven card stud low poker (often called Razz), the lowest ranking hand wins the pot. The lowest ranking hand is Ace, two, three, four and five of any suit or suits.
  - E. In the game of seven card stud poker, the highest-ranking hand wins the pot.
  - F. In the game of seven card High/Low split poker, the player with the best high hand and the player with the best low hand split the pot.
  - G. A player who wins high or low and ties a player for the other receives three quarters of the pot. A player may win both high and low at the same time.
  - H. If the chips contained in the pot are not divisible by two, the player with the high hand must be awarded the odd chip after the remaining pot is split equally.

