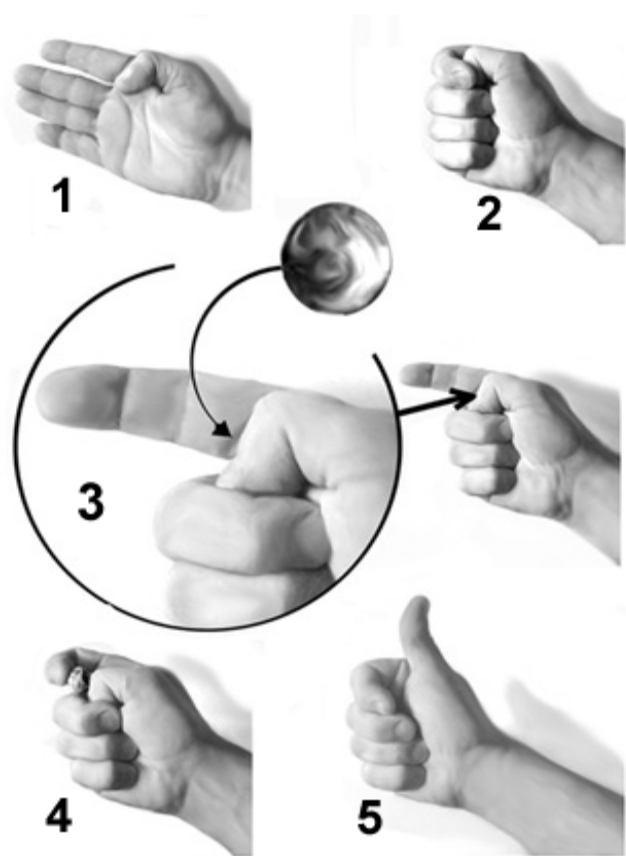


How to Hold and Shoot a Marble (right-handed pictured)

- 1.) Bend your thumb and
- 2.) Wrap your finger around your thumb, making a fist. Keep the top of your thumb knuckle level with the top of your first finger.
- 3.) Open your first finger. Notice the tip of your thumb is held in place by your second finger. Place your shooter marble against the middle of your thumb knuckle and
- 4.) Wrap your first finger around the shooter marble to hold it in place.
- 5.) To Shoot: Flick your thumb out.



Shooting

Place the back of your hand to the ground.

One knuckle must be on the ground at all times while shooting.

DON'T lift your hand off the ground - called HISTING!

DON'T move your hand forward - called HUNCHING!

If your shooter slips from your hand, only goes 10", call SLIPS and you can shoot again.

Shooting Stance

Today, boys and girls shoot marbles with both knees on the ground (see left.) Traditionally, boys shot with one knee on the ground - right-handed players with their right knee to the ground. In both stances, the shooting arm is positioned in front of and between the knees.

