

Don't.....

Don't lead an unsupported A on the opening lead! An opening lead of an A promises the K also... Don't lead a doubleton (xx) unless it is your Partner's bid suit...then lead hi-low to show

just 2 cards...

Don't underlead an A on the opening lead...you may end up eating it...If declarer has a singleton K! or is able to

void themselves before you get another chance

Don't break a new suit for the opponent's...if you are stuck for a lead...Lead either a trump or something they will do

themselves anyway...i.e. the A K Q of hearts are always going to be good so lead to their sure trick.

Don't PASS your partner's takeout X!! Be sure to jump if you have 9/10 pts!! A plain bid infers you were forced!

Don't open the bidding without the proper requirements...your partner NEEDS to be able to trust you!!

If either you or your pard has bid...lead one of those suits...If you have a "TENACE" (AQxx) avoid leading that suit

**If I am at your table and you break a rule...You will get a GO TO JAIL card next Monday !
NOT PASS GO...NO \$200!**

Take out X requires xxx in all unbid suits and shortness in opponents bid suit or control + opening pts...

**Remember when you will be the dummy so you CAN
count shortness pts! Void=5... x=3... xx=1**

Overcalls show 8-16 pts...if you have more...you must X and bid! Promises 17/18 X and jump 19-21+

X and Pass...opening to 16

X and Bid....17/18

X and Jump bid 19-21 +

You CAN bid and then X but you cannot X and later bid without 17!