

OPENING 1NT

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A BALANCED HAND

OPENING 1♣ & 1♦

13 to 21

With a 3-card
or longer suit.

RESPONDING TO 1NT

0-7 POINTS :: Bid 2♦, 2♥, or 2♠ with a 5-card or longer suit. Otherwise, Pass.
These are **SIGNOFF** bids.

8-9 POINTS :: Bid 2NT with no 8-card or longer major suit fit. This is an **INVITATIONAL** bid.

10-15 POINTS :: Bid 4♥ or 4♠ with a 6-card or longer major suit. These are **SIGNOFF** bids.
Bid 3♥ or 3♠ with a 5-card major suit. These are **FORCING** bids. Otherwise, bid 3NT. This is a **SIGNOFF** bid.

OPENING 1♥ & 1♠

13 to 21

With a 5-card
or longer suit.