



Frisbee

A Frisbee is a light, plastic disk about 10 inches in diameter; propelled with a flip of the wrist for recreation or competition.

The first plastic flying discs, or Plato Platters, were introduced on January 13, 1957. The California-based Wham-O Company changed the name to Frisbee since the Plato Platter was the same shape of the pie tin and many children were already using the term "frisbie" because of the pie tins tossed around by college students in the 1920's. The story goes that Yale students used to toss around pie tins from the Frisbie Baking Company of Bridgeport, Connecticut, that supplied pie to the Yale Campus.