## Black King is in check you may not castle until you get out of check without moving you king.



The White King can't castle on the Queen side because the queen is in the way.

The Black King can't castle on the King side because he would castle into check. He can castle on the queen side \square



The White King can't castle on the King side because he would castle through check. He can castle on the queen side

## **Castling**

If you have not moved your Rook or King it may be possible to castle. Castling is the only time you can move two pieces at one time. You move the King two space across the rank toward the rook you want to castle with, then you wrap the rook around the king.

You may not castle if

- 1. You have moved either the rook or the king
- 2. You are in check
- 3. Your King will be in check after castling
- 4. Your King passes through check
- 5. There is a piece in the way of castling.