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Replace the Missing Letters

Estimated play time: Approximately 15 minutes

Number of players: Unlimited

Supplies needed: Tokens (for scorekeeping); prizes (small) for winner(s)

Overview:

Fill in the missing letters to reveal a list of **CURRENT NEWS TOPICS**.

Instructions:

1. Write the first clue on a white board or easel large enough for all to see. Be sure to place empty lines where the letters are missing.
2. Allow players to shout out answers.
3. Instead of scoring, you might consider passing out a token (for example, a poker chip, or a piece of cardboard, or a spare button) to the first person you hear shout out the correct answer.
4. When the game is over, the person with the most tokens wins the game. You might consider giving him or her a lottery ticket or a special chocolate bar for that achievement.

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1. I_FL_ _ION (1)
2. T_E• _ _G• _ IE (3)
3. LI_• _HE_EY (2)
4. _ON_EY_OX (1)
5. _AR•I_• _ _RAI_E (3)
6. _LI_AT_• _ _ANG_ (2)
7. G_O_AL• _AN_EMI_ (2)
8. B_AC_• _I_ES• _AT_ER (3)
9. SA_ _•SE_• _AR_IA_E (3)
10. F_O_DS•I_• _ENTU_ _Y (3)
11. A_ _AUL_•WE_ _ON_• _AN (3)
12. RE_ER_A_•O_•RO_•V.• _A_E (5)
13. _B_•SE_R_H• _F_•A_ -A-LA_O (4)
14. _ANU_ _Y•SI_ _H•I_ _EST_ _ATI_ _ (3)

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ANSWERS

1. INFLATION
2. THE BIG LIE
3. LIZ CHENEY
4. MONKEYPOX
5. WAR IN UKRAINE
6. CLIMATE CHANGE
7. GLOBAL PANDEMIC
8. BLACK LIVES MATTER
9. SAME SEX MARRIAGE
10. FLOODS IN KENTUCKY
11. ASSAULT WEAPONS BAN
12. REVERSAL OF ROE V. WADE
13. FBI SEARCH OF MAR-A-LAGO
14. JANUARY SIXTH INVESTIGATION