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Prime Time Rhyme

Estimated play time: Approximately 15 minutes

Number of players: Unlimited

Supplies needed: Scoring board/pad; noisemakers

Suitable for visually impaired players.

Overview:

There are three answers to each question, and they all rhyme.

Instructions:

1. This game can be played by individuals or in teams.
2. Read the first three definitions. Discussion is permitted among teammates. Prior to the start of the game, a method to signal when a team is ready to answer must be determined. Ringing bells and New Year's blowers are just two inexpensive noisemakers. Raised hands work, but the host must be vigilant to watch for whose hand went up first. The host always has the final say in any disputes.
3. After a player/team is recognized as the first to signal, they may give an answer. If the first answer is incorrect, the other teams may 'buzz' in and answer.
4. Scoring: Give 10 points for each correct answer.

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QUESTIONS

1. An intense, usually upsetting, surprise; Blackboard writer; A bird of prey
2. What you might find police doing in your neighborhood, especially at night; Ten-pin or candlepin; Walking casually
3. A devious or underhanded plan; To experience thoughts and images during sleep; A screech or howl that expresses great emotion or pain
4. To make an image less clear or distinct; A cowboy's heel device/tool; For each
5. Chess piece; Actor Mr. Penn; Involuntary reflex when you are tired or bored
6. To do as you are told; Sherbet; Craft that uses a hook and yarn
7. Capital of Arkansas; Wake-up tool; Secondary earthquake that follows a larger, primary earthquake
8. A state of mental or emotional strain or tension; An estimation or conjecture; The print media
9. Phenomenon in which one celestial body passes in front of another; Fritos or Doritos; Gratuities
10. Group of Caribbean islands north of Cuba and south of Florida; Nightwear; Scripted films or TV shows that are drawn from true stories

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ANSWERS

1. Shock; Chalk; Hawk
2. Patrolling; Bowling; Strolling
3. Scheme; Dream; Scream
4. Blur; Spur; Per
5. Pawn; Sean; Yawn
6. Obey; Sorbet; Crochet
7. Little Rock; Alarm Clock; Aftershock
8. Stress; Guess; Press
9. Eclipse; Chips; Tips
10. Bahamas; Pajamas; Docudramas