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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:

Happy Presidents Day! Fill in the missing letters to reveal a list of **PRESIDENTIAL NICKNAMES**. (*Note: The number in parentheses indicates the number of words in the answer.*)

And if you would like to know which president each nickname refers to, see this week's **Hangman** game!

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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ANSWERS

1. DUBYA
2. SILENT CAL
3. TRICKY DICK
4. TIPPECANOE
5. OLD HICKORY
6. MR. NICE GUY
7. OLD KINDERHOOK
8. THE TRUST BUSTER
9. THE COMEBACK KID
10. THE SCHOOLMASTER
11. GIVE 'EM HELL HARRY
12. THE KING OF CAMELOT
13. THE TEFLON PRESIDENT
14. THE GREAT EMANCIPATOR
15. THE SAGE OF MONTICELLO