

2/5/23 Weekly Word Game

Take a BOW

Estimated play time: Approximately 15 minutes

Number of players: Unlimited

Supplies needed: Scoring board/pad; noisemakers

Suitable for visually impaired players.

Overview:

All the answers in this word definition game end with the consecutive letters OW.

Instructions:

1. This game can be played by individuals or in teams.
2. Read the first definition. 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. To cut the lawn.
2. To swear or promise.
3. A one-wheeled, hand-pushed gardening vehicle.
4. According to Irish lore, there's a pot of gold at the end of this.
5. To take and use something that belongs to another person ... with the intention of returning it.
6. Twenty-four hours from now.
7. The opposite of wide.
8. The color of sunshine ... and a famous submarine.
9. A figure, usually in the shape of a human, placed in a field to discourage birds from eating new seeds or young plants.
10. Arm joint.
11. To give permission; consent; authorize.
12. Underground home for a rabbit, gopher, or mole.
13. The fatty substance in the center of a bone where blood cells are produced.
14. Tony Soprano's daughter; or, an area of grassland, especially one used for hay.
15. Very small freshwater fish commonly used for bait.
16. A small house that has either just a single story, or has a second story built into a sloping roof (with dormer windows).

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ANSWERS

1. Mow
2. Vow
3. Wheelbarrow
4. Rainbow
5. Borrow
6. Tomorrow
7. Narrow
8. Yellow
9. Scarecrow
10. Elbow
11. Allow
12. Burrow
13. Marrow
14. Meadow
15. Minnow
16. Bungalow