

Word Trivia 12/8/24

# In the HOT Seat

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Estimated play time: Approximately 15 minutes

Number of players: Unlimited

Supplies needed: Scoring board/pad; noisemakers

Suitable for visually impaired players.

## Overview:

The answer to each question in this quiz is either a word, name, or phrase that contains the word **HOT**.

## Instructions:

1. This game can be played by individuals or in teams.
2. Read the first question. 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. Ballpark food.
2. Common symptom of menopause.
3. Perfect enclosed environment to raise plants.
4. Lustful; passionate ... or angry.
5. Description of a topic or issue that is highly charged emotionally or politically.
6. Sweet bread traditionally eaten during Lent.
7. Nickname of *M\*A\*S\*H*'s Major Margaret Houlihan.
8. Idiom for brand new, and usually exciting, news.
9. These are also called short shorts or Daisy Dukes.
10. An automobile, typically an old classic American car, that has been modified for speed racing.
11. To start a car by short-circuiting the ignition.
12. An unusual form of transportation in which passengers are carried aloft in a large basket.
13. To be in a situation of difficulty or trouble.
14. Classic Marilyn Monroe movie.
15. To take action as soon as an opportunity is available.

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## ANSWERS

1. Hot dog
2. Hot flash
3. Hot house
4. Hot-blooded
5. Hot button (Hot potato is also an acceptable answer.)
6. Hot cross bun
7. Hot Lips
8. Hot off the press
9. Hot pants
10. Hot rod
11. Hot wire
12. Hot air balloon
13. In hot water (In the hot seat is also an acceptable answer.)
14. *Some Like It Hot*
15. Strike while the iron is hot