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More Than A Name

Estimated play time: Approximately 15 minutes

Number of players: Unlimited

Supplies needed: Scoring board/pad; noisemakers

Suitable for visually impaired players.

Overview:

In this word definition game, all the answers turn out to be common male and female names or nicknames.

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. One cent.
- 2. A narrow valley, especially in Scotland.
- 3. A song especially associated with Christmas.
- 4. Fossilized tree resin.
- 5. Unbridled happiness; bliss; elation.
- 6. This tool is critical if you get a flat tire.
- 7. A written statement of charges to be paid.
- 8. To make quick, short, up-and-down movements.
- 9. A strong alcoholic spirit distilled from wine or fermented fruit juice cognac, for example.
- 10. Bonbon, confection, chocolate, etc.
- 11. Parsley, sage, rosemary, or thyme, for example.
- 12. Slang term for a four-bagger in baseball.
- 13. Honest; direct; forthright; blunt.
- 14. The first light of day.
- 15. A glow of colored light in the sky, particularly in the polar regions.
- 16. A steep rock face, especially at the edge of the sea.
- 17. A highly transparent glass, often used in chandeliers and watch faces.



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ANSWERS

- 1. Penny
- 2. Glen
- 3. Carol
- 4. Amber
- 5. Joy
- 6. Jack
- 7. Bill
- 8. Bob
- 9. Brandy
- 10. Candy
- 11. Herb
- 12. Homer
- 13. Frank
- 14. Dawn
- 15. Aurora
- 16. Cliff
- 17. Crystal