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Give Me A Word That …

Estimated play time: Approximately 15 minutes
Number of players: Unlimited
Supplies needed: Scoring board/pad; noisemakers
Suitable for visually impaired players.

Overview:

Just answer the questions correctly … if you can!

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. Give me three words that … begin and end with the letter *K*.
2. Give me five words that … have two syllables and are foods commonly eaten on Thanksgiving.
3. Give me two words that … mean *thank you* in a language other than English.
4. Give me four words that … start or end with a repeated letter (such as *aardvark* or *bell*, for example).
5. Give me six words (or phrases) that … mean *funny.*
6. Give me four words that … end with *-ship*.
7. Give me four words that … contain the consecutive letters *MM*.

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ANSWERS

(In most cases, other correct answers are possible.)

1. Kayak, Kick, Kickback, Kinfolk, Kink, Knack, Knapsack, Kneesock, Knock, Kook

2. Apples, Carrots, Cornbread, Gravy, Green Beans, Pumpkin, Salad, Stuffing, Turkey

3. A Dank (Yiddish), Arigato (Japanese), Danke (German), Gracias (Spanish), Grazie (Italian), Mahalo (Hawaiian), Merci (French), Obrigado (Portuguese), Spasibo (Russian), Tack (Sweden, Norway, Denmark, and others), Toda (Hebrew)

4. Ball, Boo, Boss, Buzz, Call, Class, Cliff, Cuff, Eek, Eel, Eerie, Egg, Fall, Fizz, Floss, Hill, Kiss, Llama, Odd, Off, Oodles, Oolong, Oops, Ooze, Staff, Toss, Well, Yell

5. Absurd, Amusing, Comical, Droll, Entertaining, Facetious, Farcical, Hilarious, Humorous, Hysterical, Jocular, Joking, Jolly, Laughable, Ludicrous, Merry, Mirthful, Rib-tickling, Rich, Ridiculous, Riot/Riotous, Sidesplitting, Silly, Uproarious, Wacky, Whimsical, Witty, Zany

6. Battleship, Censorship, Championship, Courtship, Dealership, Fellowship, Flagship, Friendship, Hardship, Leadership, Membership, Ownership, Penmanship, Relationship, Scholarship, Spaceship, Sportsmanship, Workmanship, Worship

7. Ammonia, Backgammon, Comma, Comment, Commit, Common, Community, Dilemma, Drummer, Dummy, Hammer, Hammock, Immigrant, Immune, Inflammation, Mammal, Mammoth, Mummy, Programmer, Recommend, Roommate, Summary, Summer, Summit, Summons, Swimmer, Teammate, Yummy

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