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# Group Therapy (M)

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

**Overview:**

In this game, each question can have several answers. The goal is to come up with the number of correct answers required in the question. For example: *Can you name five shades of the color red?* Possible answers could be: *Scarlet, Maroon, Rose, Crimson, Garnet.*

For this version, all your answers must start with the letter called for in the game. This week, that letter is **M**.

**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 player/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 others may 'buzz' in and answer.

4. Keep score (10 points for each answer) after each question is answered correctly. Play until all questions have been asked and answered.

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**INSTRUCTIONS: Just answer the questions … if you can; and remember, all the answers must begin with the letter M.**

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## QUESTIONS

1. How many of the eight US states that begin with the letter M can you name?
2. Name two of the three US presidents whose last names begin with M.
3. Can you name three species of mammals that begin with M?
4. This is the only country in the western hemisphere whose name begins with M.
5. Which two planets in our solar system begin with the letter M?
6. Name both the second-largest city in Canada and the only Canadian province that begin with the letter M.
7. What is the value of the Roman Numeral M?
8. Name four colors that begin with the letter M? (Note: Answers simply beginning with the word *medium*, as in *medium blue*, are not considered correct.)
9. How many common three-letter words that begin with M can you come up with? (We found 23.)
10. Name the two New York Yankee players who competed in a 1961 batting race to beat Babe Ruth's single-season home run record.
11. Name four famous people and/or fictional characters whose initials are MM.
12. Come up with four jobs/occupations that start with the letter M.

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## ANSWERS

*(In some instances, other correct answers are possible.)*

1. Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana
2. James Madison, William McKinley, James Monroe
3. Manatee, Marmot, Merkat, Mongoose, Monkey, Moose, Mountain Goat, Mountain Lion, Mouse, Mule, Mule Deer, Musk Ox
4. Mexico
5. Mars, Mercury
6. The second-largest city in Canada is Montreal; the province is Manitoba.
7. 1,000
8. Magenta, Magnolia, Mahogany, Maroon, Mauve, Melon, Midnight Blue, Mint Green, Moss Green, Mulberry, Mustard
9. Mad, Man, Map, Mar, Mat, Maw, Max, May, Men, Met, Mew, Mid, Mil, Mix, Mob, Mod, Mom, Moo, Mop, Mow, Mud, Mug, Mum
10. Roger Maris and Mickey Mantle
11. Mary Magdalene, Moses Malone, Mickey Mantle, Meghan Markle, Mary Martin, Marlee Matlin, Melissa McCarthy, Matthew McConaughey, Mitch McConnell, Malcolm McDowell, Marshall McLuhan, Margaret Mead, Mitch Miller, Margaret Mitchell, Marilyn Monroe, Maria Montessori, Michael Moore, Mickey Mouse, Martin Mull, Mike Myers
12. Machinist, Magician, Mail Carrier, Make-up Artist, Manager, Manicurist, Map Maker, Marine Biologist, Marshal, Massage Therapist, Mechanical Engineer, Medical Assistant, Messenger, Meteorologist, Meter Maid, Micobiologist, Milkman, Model, Model Maker, Mortician, Museum Curator, Musician

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