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Replace the Missing Letters

Estimated play time: Approximately 15 minutes

Number of players: Unlimited

Supplies needed: Tokens (for scorekeeping); prizes (small) for winner(s)

Overview:

Fill in the missing letters to reveal a list of words and phrases related to **SCIENCE AND MEDICINE**.

Instructions:

1. Write the first clue on a white board or easel large enough for all to see. Be sure to place empty lines where the letters are missing.
2. Allow players to shout out answers.
3. Instead of scoring, you might consider passing out a token (for example, a poker chip, or a piece of cardboard, or a spare button) to the first person you hear shout out the correct answer.
4. When the game is over, the person with the most tokens wins the game. You might consider giving him or her a lottery ticket or a special chocolate bar for that achievement.

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1. _ OL _ ANO
2. VA _ _ INA _ _ ON
3. T _ E • _ I _ • B _ _ G
4. SPE _ _ • O _ • _ IG _ T
5. P _ O _ OS _ NTH _ SI _
6. C _ I _ ATE • C _ AN _ E
7. _ _ ST • TU _ _ • BA _ _ ES
8. S _ _ MER • SO _ _ TICE
9. G _ OBA _ • _ AN _ DE _ IC
10. REN _ _ A _ LE • EN _ R _ _
11. T _ T _ L • L _ NA _ • EC _ IP _ E
12. EN _ AN _ ERE _ • _ PEC _ _ S
13. _ HEOR _ • O _ • _ _ OL _ TION
14. LO _ _ ITU _ E • AN _ • LA _ _ _ UDE
15. PE _ _ ODI _ • TA _ _ E • O _ • E _ EME _ _ S

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ANSWERS

1. VOLCANO
2. VACCINATION
3. THE BIG BANG
4. SPEED OF LIGHT
5. PHOTOSYNTHESIS
6. CLIMATE CHANGE
7. TEST TUBE BABIES
8. SUMMER SOLSTICE
9. GLOBAL PANDEMIC
10. RENEWABLE ENERGY
11. TOTAL LUNAR ECLIPSE
12. ENDANGERED SPECIES
13. THEORY OF EVOLUTION
14. LONGITUDE AND LATITUDE
15. PERIODIC TABLE OF ELEMENTS