

3/8/26 Weekly Word Game

An ARM and a LEG

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

Overview:

All the answers in this word definition game contain the consecutive letters **ARM** or **LEG**.

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. A large, dense group of flying insects.
2. Lentils and peanuts belong to this plant family.
3. Outerwear used to protect the body against weapons.
4. Alcohol that is unlawfully made and sold.
5. An item of clothing.
6. This animal, found mostly in Texas, looks a little bit like an accordion.
7. You don't have to be tall to wish for more of this in an airplane.
8. Stevie Wonder and Bob Dylan often accompanied themselves on this small wind instrument while playing the guitar.
9. A fleet of warships.
10. Archie Bunker's favorite place to relax. (It now resides in the Smithsonian Museum of American History.)
11. A gift, such as personal property, money, or status, that is handed down from the past.
12. A freestanding closet, cabinet, or wardrobe.
13. A type of jam made from citrus fruit.
14. The device or sound that wakes you in the morning.
15. These form-fitting trousers are often worn as casual wear or for exercise.
16. Charisma; magnetism; appeal.
17. Legend has it that cowboys who spent hours straddling a horse end up with this problem.
18. To take away or discard weapons; also, to defuse a bomb.

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ANSWERS

1. Swarm
2. Legume
3. Armor
4. Bootleg
5. Garment
6. Armadillo
7. Legroom
8. Harmonica
9. Armada
10. Armchair
11. Legacy
12. Armoire
13. Marmalade
14. Alarm
15. Leggings
16. Charm
17. Bowlegs
18. Disarm