

7/12/26 Weekly Word Game

CRuisin' Along

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 begin with the consecutive letters **CR**.

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. Infant's rocking bed.
2. List of names at the end of a movie.
3. A person who constructs or solves this type of puzzle is called a "cruciverbalist."
4. One of the three sounds made by Rice Krispies cereal, according to its advertising jingle.
5. To study intensively a large amount of material before the test.
6. To want; yearn for; hanker after.
7. Casino dice game.
8. According to the old saying, you have to do this "before you walk."
9. Description of a person who willfully causes pain or suffering to another.
10. Term for perfectly cooked bacon.
11. Posture a tiger takes before he leaps out for the kill.
12. Craft that uses a hooked needle and yarn or cotton.
13. Grown in acidic bogs, this fruit is especially popular at Thanksgiving and Christmas.
14. Related to lobsters, these small crustaceans can be found in fresh water.
15. Classic abdominal exercises to strengthen the core.
16. In music, a gradual steady increase in the loudness or intensity until the sounds reach a peak.

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ANSWERS

1. Cradle
2. Credits
3. Crossword
4. Crackle (The other two are Snap and Pop.)
5. Cram
6. Crave
7. Craps
8. Crawl
9. Cruel
10. Crispy
11. Crouch
12. Crochet
13. Cranberry
14. Crawdads (or crawfish or crayfish)
15. Crunches
16. Crescendo