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# Name Game

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Estimated play time: Approximately 15 minutes

Number of players: Unlimited

Supplies needed: Scoring board/pad; noisemakers

## Overview:

This is a two-part game. First, answer the multiple clues in each question. Then, put the clue answers in the correct order to reveal the name of a famous person (living or dead, real or fictional). Example: *The sound of a growl + men's neckwear + the forest.*

Answers: *Grrr + tie + woods (Tiger Woods).*

Note: We recommend that as your players correctly answer each clue, you write those answers on a large pad or white board. Seeing all the answers will help them unscramble the word parts and come up with the famous name.

## Instructions:

1. This game can be played by individuals or in teams.
2. Read the clues one at a time, giving players time to come up with possible answers. 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. When all the clues in a question have been read, give the players time to rearrange the answers to reveal the famous person.
4. 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.
5. 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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## QUESTIONS

1. The 5<sup>th</sup> letter of the alphabet + A strong, earthy scent used in perfumes and men's colognes + An area of landscaped grass in a yard or garden
2. Pool table fabric + An ice cream sundae topper + Language of the deaf
3. A bear's lair + To put a dish briefly in the refrigerator before serving + To purchase
4. To murder + Soup dish + Belonging to me + 2,000 pounds
5. The 5<sup>th</sup> letter of the alphabet + The 12<sup>th</sup> letter of the alphabet + Affluent + King of the jungle
6. First syllable in the name of the second-longest river in Europe + Foot digit + The 4<sup>th</sup> letter of the alphabet + The 5<sup>th</sup> letter of the alphabet + The 22<sup>nd</sup> letter of the alphabet
7. A maple or oak + The 24<sup>th</sup> letter of the alphabet + Former Fox TV conservative host and conspiracy theorist Glenn + The 12<sup>th</sup> letter of the alphabet
8. You and me + Slang for a toilet + A wild pig ... or, spelled differently, a very dull person + A male offspring
9. The 21<sup>st</sup> letter of the alphabet + Dated and boorish term for a woman + Algebra or multiplication + Former senator from Pennsylvania and Republican candidate for president Mr. Santorum
10. Male offspring + Dove sound + Common conjunction + Cat sound + Vehicle used to carry a corpse and/or coffin

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## ANSWERS

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| 1.  | E + Musk + Lawn  | Elon Musk                       |
| 2.  | Felt + Cherry + Sign   | Jerry Seinfeld                  |
| 3.  | Den + Chill + Buy  | Jill Biden                      |
| 4.  | Kill + Bowl + My + Ton   | Michael Bolton                  |
| 5.  | E + L + Rich + Lion  | Lionel Richie                   |
| 6.  | Dan + Toe + D + E + V<br>longest river In Europe is the Danube.) | Danny Devito (Note: The second- |
| 7.  | Tree + X + Beck + L  | Alex Trebek                     |
| 8.  | Us + John + Bore/Boar + Son                                      | Boris Johnson                   |
| 9.  | U + Broad + Math + Rick  | Matthew Broderick               |
| 10. | Son + Coo + And+ Purr + Hearse                                   | Anderson Cooper                 |