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Weekly Find the Words

Estimated play time: Approximately 15 minutes

Number of players: Unlimited

Supplies needed: Pencils and paper for each player, depending on how you play

May be suitable for visually impaired players.

Overview:

How many four- and five-letter words can you make from the letters in the name **AUSTIN, TEXAS**? (Note: We found **54** four-letter and **50** five-letter words.)

Instructions: This game can be played in a number of ways. Here are three examples:

1. Go around the room and have players (one at a time) identify the 4-letter words, then the 5-letter words. You could set a goal of finding at least 50% of the correct answers.
2. Make it a timed contest. Hand out page 2 of this document (or a blank piece of paper) and give your players two or three (or more) minutes to write down as many words as they can. The player with the most (legitimate) words is the winner.
3. Play as described in #2, but have the players work in teams of two or three.

To add a little extra fun, we've added a secret word. (You can find it on the answer page.) If you are scoring the game, give the player or team who gets the secret word double points. If you're not scoring, perhaps you can give them a small prize – a piece of chocolate, a \$1 lottery ticket, a lollipop, etc.

In addition, you will see that we've marked some words with asterisks. These words are a bit harder to get. Again, if you are scoring, you might give an extra point or two to the person/team who gets an "asterisked" word.

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ANSWERS

(Note: Other, more obscure answers are possible.)

4 LETTERS	4 LETTERS	5 LETTERS	5 LETTERS
1. Ante	28. Snit *	1. Anise *	27. Stein
2. Anti	29. Stat *	2. Antes	28. Stent *
3. Ants	30. Stun	3. Asset	29. Stint
4. Anus	31. Sues	4. Aunts *	30. Stuns
5. Asea *	32. Suet *	5. Exist	31. Stunt *
6. Aunt *	33. Suit	6. Exits	32. Suite
7. Axes	34. Suns	7. Inset	33. Suits
8. Axis *	35. Tans	8. Issue *	34. Taint
9. East	36. Tats	9. Nests	35. Taste
10. Eats	37. Taut *	10. Nexus *	36. Taunt *
11. Exit *	38. Taxi	11. Nixes *	37. Taxes
12. Neat	39. Teas	12. Saint	38. Taxis
13. Nest	40. Teat	13. Sates	39. Teats
14. Nets	41. Tens	14. Satin	40. Tents
15. Next *	42. Tent	15. Sauna ●●●	41. Tests
16. Nits *	43. Test	16. Sauté *	42. Texts *
17. Nuts	44. Text *	17. Saxes *	43. Tines
18. Sane	45. Ties	18. Seats	44. Tints
19. Sans *	46. Tine	19. Sines	45. Titan
20. Seas *	47. Tins	20. Sinus *	46. Tunas *
21. Seat	48. Tint	21. Sites	47. Tunes
22. Sent	49. Tits	22. Sixes	48. Tuxes *
23. Sets	50. Tuna *	23. Snits	49. Unite
24. Sine *	51. Tune	24. Stain	50. Units
25. Sins	52. Tuts	25. State	
26. Site	53. Unit *	26. Stats *	
27. Sits	54. Uses *		

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