

3/20/22 Weekly Word Game

Oh, POO

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 POO.

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. Shared commuting arrangement with coworkers.
2. Tool used to hunt whales and other large sea creatures.
3. Slang word for "dog."
4. Indigent.
5. A hair care product; also, a 1975 Warren Beatty movie.
6. Thread holder.
7. A Native American word for baby; also, the bag used to carry a baby on one's back.
8. Word used to emphasize the suddenness with which something (or someone) disappears.
9. Christopher Robin's teddy bear.
10. Dog-tired; exhausted.
11. Scary; eerie; unnerving.
12. A brand of appliances; also, a tub in which hot, aerated water is continuously circulated.
13. The breed of Charley, John Steinbeck's canine companion in his travelogue *Travels with Charley*.
14. An underground container for sewage.
15. To publicly criticize someone by using ridicule, irony, or sarcasm.
16. A foolish or stupid person.

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ANSWERS

1. Carpool
2. Harpoon
3. Pooch
4. Poor
5. Shampoo
6. Spool
7. Papoose
8. Poof
9. Winnie-the-Pooh
10. Pooped
11. Spooky
12. Whirlpool
13. Poodle
14. Cesspool
15. Lampoon
16. Nincompoop