

6/16/24 Weekly Word Game

AW!

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

Overview:

All of the answers in this word definition game either begin or end with the letters AW.

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. To unfreeze.
2. A type of puzzle.
3. Tony or Emmy.
4. Cold cabbage dish.
5. Human-powered transportation in parts of Asia.
6. The capital of Poland.
7. Uncomfortable or embarrassing; lacking grace.
8. Pointed tool used for making holes in leather.
9. Cover that extends over a deck or porch.
10. The old-fashioned name for tetanus.
11. Piece of playground equipment that resembles a large lever.
12. A hardy laugh.
13. Artwork, such as engravings and carvings, made from the bones or teeth of whales.

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ANSWERS

1. Thaw
2. Jigsaw
3. Award
4. Coleslaw
5. Rickshaw
6. Warsaw
7. Awkward
8. Awl
9. Awning
10. Lockjaw
11. Seesaw
12. Guffaw (Heehaw is an acceptable answer.)
13. Scrimshaw