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THE TOP SIX

Family Edition Party Game

Free Starter Sampler

30 questions • printable cards • online play

Two teams. Six hidden answers. One moderator.

Print the cards for a paper game night, or use the
unlock code inside to play the same questions online.

Play the online version free at top-six-fam-game.lovable.app/play

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How to play

Set up

Split into two teams. One person is the moderator — they hold this booklet (or the phone) and never plays. Each question has six hidden answers, ranked by how common they are.

Scoring

Answer 1 is worth 30 points, then 25, 20, 15, 10, and 5 for the sixth. Read the question aloud and let the active team give one answer at a time.

Three strikes and steal

A wrong answer is a strike. Three strikes and the other team gets one single guess to steal every point on the board for that question. If they miss, the points stay with the first team.

Close enough counts

Accept reasonable equivalents — plurals, nicknames, and obvious synonyms. The online version does this automatically.

Winning

Play an even number of questions so both teams moderate the same amount. Highest total wins. Ties are broken with one sudden-death question.

Name something people order at a fast food restaurant.

- 30** French fries
also: fries, chips, side of fries
- 25** Burger
also: hamburger, cheeseburger
- 20** Soda
also: pop, coke, soft drink, cola
- 15** Chicken nuggets
also: nuggets, chicken tenders
- 10** Milkshake
also: shake
- 5** Pizza

Name a food that is messy to eat.

- 30** Spaghetti
also: pasta, noodles
- 25** Ribs
also: barbecue ribs, bbq
- 20** Tacos
also: taco
- 15** Ice cream cone
also: ice cream, cone
- 10** Watermelon
also: melon
- 5** Chili dog
also: hot dog, sloppy joe

Name something you put on toast.

- 30** Butter
- 25** Jam
also: jelly, preserves, marmalade
- 20** Peanut butter
also: pb
- 15** Honey
- 10** Avocado
also: smashed avocado
- 5** Cheese

Name something a grandparent always keeps in the house.

- 30** Candy
also: sweets, hard candy
- 25** Old photos
also: photos, pictures, photo albums
- 20** Cookies
also: biscuits
- 15** Tissues
also: kleenex
- 10** Board games
also: games, puzzles
- 5** Blankets
also: quilt, afghan

Name something siblings argue about.

- 30** The TV remote
also: remote, what to watch, tv
- 25** Whose turn it is
also: turns, taking turns
- 20** Borrowing clothes
also: clothes
- 15** The front seat
also: front seat, shotgun, who sits where
- 10** Food
also: last slice, snacks
- 5** Sharing a room
also: their room, space

Name something a friend borrows and never returns.

- 30** Money
also: cash, a few bucks
- 25** A book
also: books
- 20** Phone charger
also: charger, cable
- 15** Clothes
also: a jacket, a sweater
- 10** Tools
also: a drill, a ladder
- 5** Tupperware
also: a dish, a container

Name something you don't want to find in a hotel room.

- 30** Bed bugs
also: bugs, insects, bedbugs
- 25** Hair in the shower
also: hair, hairs
- 20** Stains on the sheets
also: stains, dirty sheets
- 15** A stranger
also: someone else, another person
- 10** A bad smell
also: smell, odor, stink, mold
- 5** No hot water
also: cold water, broken shower

Name something people always forget to pack.

- 30** Toothbrush
also: tooth paste, toothpaste
- 25** Phone charger
also: charger, cable
- 20** Sunscreen
also: sunblock, spf
- 15** Underwear
also: socks
- 10** Medication
also: pills, meds
- 5** Pajamas
also: pjs

Name something families do on a road trip.

- 30** Sing along
also: sing, music, songs
- 25** Play road games
also: i spy, games, license plate game
- 20** Stop for snacks
also: snacks, gas station stop
- 15** Argue
also: fight, bicker
- 10** Take photos
also: pics, pictures
- 5** Nap
also: sleep, doze off

Name a chore nobody wants to do.

- 30** Dishes
also: wash the dishes, washing the dishes
- 25** Taking out the trash
also: trash, garbage, rubbish
- 20** Cleaning the bathroom
also: bathroom, toilet, scrub the toilet
- 15** Laundry
also: washing, folding clothes
- 10** Mowing the lawn
also: lawn, yard work, mowing
- 5** Vacuuming
also: Hoovering, vacuum

Name something that always goes missing at home.

- 30** Keys
also: car keys, house keys
- 25** The remote
also: remote control, clicker, tv remote
- 20** Socks
also: one sock
- 15** Phone
also: cell phone, mobile
- 10** Scissors
- 5** Pens
also: a pen

Name something you find on a kitchen counter.

- 30** Coffee maker
also: coffee machine, kettle
- 25** Fruit bowl
also: bananas, fruit
- 20** Mail
also: papers, junk mail
- 15** Dirty dishes
also: dishes
- 10** Toaster
- 5** Paper towels
also: napkins, kitchen roll

Name something students forget to bring to class.

- 30** Homework
also: hw, assignment
- 25** Pencil
also: pen, something to write with
- 20** Textbook
also: book, books
- 15** Lunch
also: lunch money
- 10** Gym clothes
also: pe kit, gym kit
- 5** Permission slip
also: signed form, form

Name a favorite school subject.

- 30** Gym
also: pe, physical education, sports
- 25** Art
also: drawing, painting
- 20** Lunch
also: recess, break
- 15** Science
also: biology, chemistry
- 10** Math
also: maths
- 5** History

Name an excuse for missing homework.

- 30** The dog ate it
also: dog, my dog ate it
- 25** I left it at home
also: forgot it at home, at home
- 20** I was sick
also: sick, ill
- 15** I didn't understand it
also: too hard, confusing
- 10** The printer broke
also: printer, computer crashed
- 5** I forgot
also: forgot about it

Name something found at a birthday party.

- 30** Cake
also: birthday cake
- 25** Balloons
also: balloon
- 20** Presents
also: gifts, gift
- 15** Candles
also: candle
- 10** Ice cream
- 5** Party hats
also: hats

Name something people do on New Year's Eve.

- 30** Count down
also: countdown, count down from ten
- 25** Watch fireworks
also: fireworks
- 20** Kiss at midnight
also: kiss
- 15** Make resolutions
also: resolutions
- 10** Drink champagne
also: champagne, toast, drink
- 5** Stay up late
also: stay awake, party

Name something served at a holiday dinner.

- 30** Turkey
- 25** Mashed potatoes
also: potatoes, mash
- 20** Stuffing
also: dressing
- 15** Pie
also: pumpkin pie, apple pie
- 10** Gravy
- 5** Cranberry sauce
also: cranberries, cranberry

Name something people do at the movies.

- 30** Eat popcorn
also: popcorn
- 25** Talk during the film
also: talk, whisper
- 20** Check their phone
also: phone, text, texting
- 15** Fall asleep
also: sleep, nap
- 10** Cry
also: get emotional
- 5** Spill a drink
also: drink soda, drink

Name a reason people binge a whole TV series.

- 30** Cliffhangers
also: cliffhanger, suspense
- 25** It's raining outside
also: bad weather, rain
- 20** Everyone is talking about it
also: hype, popular
- 15** Avoiding chores
also: procrastinating, avoiding work
- 10** Being sick in bed
also: sick, ill
- 5** The autoplay button
also: autoplay, next episode

Name something people sing badly in the car.

- 30** A pop song
also: pop, top 40
- 25** Bohemian Rhapsody
also: queen
- 20** A Christmas carol
also: christmas song, carol
- 15** The radio ad jingle
also: jingle, commercial
- 10** A Disney song
also: disney, frozen, let it go
- 5** Country music
also: country song, country

FUNNY SITUATIONS

#22

Name something embarrassing that could happen at a wedding.

- 30** Tripping down the aisle
also: falling, trip, fall over
- 25** Crying too loudly
also: crying, sobbing
- 20** Forgetting the rings
also: lost the ring, rings
- 15** A bad speech
also: speech, toast gone wrong
- 10** Drinking too much
also: getting drunk, drunk
- 5** Phone ringing
also: phone goes off, phone

FUNNY SITUATIONS

#23

Name something that always happens at the worst time.

- 30** Phone dies
also: battery dies, dead battery
- 25** Sneezing
also: a sneeze, sneeze
- 20** Stomach growls
also: hungry stomach, growling stomach
- 15** It rains
also: rain, downpour
- 10** The doorbell rings
also: doorbell, someone knocks
- 5** Needing the bathroom
also: bathroom, toilet, restroom

FUNNY SITUATIONS

#24

Name something people do when they think nobody is watching.

- 30** Dance
also: dancing
- 25** Sing
also: singing
- 20** Talk to themselves
also: talk to yourself
- 15** Eat straight from the fridge
also: snack, eat junk food
- 10** Check the mirror
also: mirror, pose
- 5** Pick their nose
also: nose picking

Name something people check first thing in the morning.

- 30** Phone
also: cell phone, mobile
- 25** The time
also: clock, alarm
- 20** The weather
also: forecast
- 15** Email
also: inbox, messages
- 10** Social media
also: instagram, facebook, tiktok
- 5** The mirror
also: their hair, mirror

Name something you do while waiting in line.

- 30** Scroll your phone
also: phone, scroll
- 25** Sigh and complain
also: complain, grumble
- 20** Chat with someone
also: talk, small talk
- 15** Read magazines
also: read, magazine
- 10** Check the time
also: look at watch, time
- 5** Grab impulse snacks
also: candy at the register, snacks

Name something in almost every purse or bag.

- 30** Wallet
also: purse, money
- 25** Keys
also: car keys
- 20** Phone
also: cell phone, mobile
- 15** Lip balm
also: chapstick, lipstick
- 10** Tissues
also: kleenex
- 5** Receipts
also: old receipts, receipt

Name something that comes in a pair.

- 30** Shoes
also: sneakers, boots
- 25** Socks
also: sock
- 20** Gloves
also: mittens
- 15** Earrings
also: earring
- 10** Eyes
also: your eyes
- 5** Dice
also: a pair of dice

Name something you would take to a desert island.

- 30** Water
also: fresh water, drinking water
- 25** Knife
also: a blade, tools
- 20** Matches
also: lighter, fire starter
- 15** Food
also: snacks, supplies
- 10** A boat
also: raft, ship
- 5** Sunscreen
also: sunblock, spf

Name something people are surprisingly afraid of.

- 30** Spiders
also: spider
- 25** Public speaking
also: speaking in front of people, speeches
- 20** Heights
also: being high up
- 15** Clowns
also: clown
- 10** The dark
also: darkness
- 5** Needles
also: shots, injections