

Large Group Game Show Competition

Our group consisted of four teams of nine people. You'll have to adjust the numbers to your needs.

Instructions:

Spread your teams out in the gym so they are each in their own semi-circle. Divide each team into three groups of three people. Each threesome will be assigned to be Artists, Actors or Singers.

Artists: The artists receive a card with three clues. They can look at the clues together and decide who will draw each clue. The artist all draw on the whiteboard at the same time. They have 40 seconds for their team to guess all three words. They get one point for each correct word. Then, if they can solve the riddle of how their three words are connected or what they have in common, they get a bonus point.

Actors: The three actors work together to act out four group-charades clues. They may act the clues out in any order. Their team has 80 seconds to solve as many clues as possible. One point per correct answer. Have an adult (non-player) hold the clues to the side where the actors can see the clues, but their team cannot.

Singers: The game is "Name That Tune". The singers have 60 seconds to name as many songs as they can on their list. Each singer must hum/da-de-da two songs on the list. No words allowed. Again, have a non-player hold the clues to the side where the singers can see the clues, but their team cannot. The songs can be sung in any order. One point for every correct answer.

College Bowl: The final game is a trivia showdown. Everyone stays with their team in their own semi-circle. Everyone stands up. The host circles the room, going from team to team asking trivia questions. One person from the team must answer the question. The team can discuss who will answer the question after they hear it. (Example: Finn says he knows this one, but Kate does too. The team decides to let Kate take this one and save Finn for another category. Maybe no one knows the answer. Allie volunteers to take a guess and use up her turn.) Once an answer is given, that person must sit down. Each person only gets to answer once. Right or wrong, they sit down after they answer. Right answers receive one point. As the game progresses, each team has fewer and fewer players to answer. The last person standing must answer the last question. No questions is ever repeated. You simply get it or you don't—no stealing. A time limit is usually not necessary, but you could put a 20 second clock on each answer if it seems necessary.

Note to Host: Write/Print the clues on individual cards as shown below for the artist, actors, and singers. Do not print the answer to the riddles on the artist cards. The College Bowl can be printed as-is for the host to give a clue in each category for each team member. We had 9 people on four teams (36 people), so we needed 36 total questions-- 4 questions from 9 categories. Adapt as needed for your group. My list has many more questions in case your group is larger than ours.

Artists

EASY EXAMPLE

- 1- Car
- 2- Tree
- 3- Elephant

**They have trunks*

- 1- Walrus
- 2- Milk
- 3- Handlebar

**Mustaches*

- 1- Cards
- 2- Chess
- 3- Prom

**They have queens*

- 1- Joe Biden
- 2- Pantyhose
- 4- Track Team

**They run*

- 1- Baseball Glove
- 2- Pool Table
- 3- Pita Bread
- 4-

**They have pockets*

- 1- Truck Driver
- 2- Coffee Mug
- 5- Frying Pan

**They have handles*

- 1- Noah's Ark
- 2- Fruit Stand
- 4- Sock Drawer

**They have pairs/pears*

- 1- Fishing Lure
- 2- Actor
- 3- Broken Leg

**They are casted*

- 1- Microscope
- 2- Playground
- 3- Trombone

**They have slides*

- 1- Humans
- 2- Porcupines
- 3- Books

**They have spines*

- 1- Statue of Liberty
- 2- Welder
- 4- Olympian

**Hold Torches*

- 1- Baseball Game
- 2- Landfill
- 5- Jeans

**They have flies*

- 1- Little Red Riding Hood
- 2- Hot Air Balloon
- 3- Gymnasium

**They have baskets*

Actors

- 1- Tennis Match
 - 2- Stake Dance
 - 3- Moses
 - 4- Burglary
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- 1- Wedding
 - 2- Jazz Band
 - 3- Nephi
 - 4- 3 Little Pigs
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- 1- Rock Concert
 - 2- Shoulder Angel
 - 3- Noah & the Ark
 - 4- Avalanche Rescue
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- 1- CPR
 - 2- Handcart Pioneers
 - 3- Ammon
 - 4- Livestock Auction
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- 1- Olympics
 - 2- Three Nephites
 - 3- Primary Program
 - 4- The 3 Amigos
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- 1- Mormon Tabernacle
Choir
 - 2- Vampire Attack
 - 3- Good Samaritan
 - 4- Marathon
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- 1- Zoo
 - 2- American Idol
 - 3- Trick or Treating
 - 4- Jonah & the Whale
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- 1- Heart Transplant
 - 2- Circus
 - 3- Bank Robbery
 - 4- Joseph Smith
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Singers

- 1- Army of Helaman (Primary)
- 2- Ain't No Mountain High Enough (Marvin Gaye)
- 3- Under the Sea (Little Mermaid)
- 4- We're All in This Together (High School Musical)
- 5- Party in the USA (Miley Cyrus)
- 6- Halo (Beyonce)

- 1- I am a Child of God (Primary)
- 2- My Girl (Temptations)
- 3- I Can Show You the World (Aladdin)
- 4- Mistletoe (Justin Bieber)
- 5- Watermelon Sugar (Harry Styles)
- 6- Call Me Maybe
- 7- (Carly Rae Jepsen)

- 1- Sunbeam (Primary)
- 2- Don't Stop Believin (Journey)
- 3- You're Welcome (Moana)
- 4- This is Me (Greatest Showman)
- 5- Someone Like You (Adele)
- 6- Firework (Katy Perry)

- 1- I'm Trying to be Like Jesus (Primary)
- 2- Piano Man (Billy Joel)
- 3- Let It Go (Frozen)
- 4- Rewrite the Stars (Greatest Showman)
- 5- Ring of Fire (Jonny Cash)
- 6- Shake It Off (Taylor Swift)

- 1- Nephi's Courage (Primary)
- 2- Silent Night
- 3- Born in the USA (Bruce Springsteen)
- 4- I'll Make a Man Out of You (Mulan)
- 5- Singin' in the Rain
- 6- You are My Sunshine

- 1- Do as I'm Doing (Primary)
- 2- Away in a Manger
- 3- Fishin in the Dark (Nitty Gritty Dirt Band)
- 4- Haven't Met You Yet (Michael Buble)
- 5- I've Got a Dream (Tangled)
- 6- Have You Ever Seen the Rain (Creedence Clearwater Revival)

- 1- Saturday (Primary)
- 2- Joy to the World
- 3- On the Road Again (Willie Nelson)
- 4- Fly Me to the Moon (Frank Sinatra)
- 5- Can You Feel the Love Tonight (Lion King)
- 6- What a Wonderful World (Louis Armstrong)

- 1- I Feel My Savior's Love (Primary)
- 2- God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen
- 3- L-O-V-E (Nat King Cole)
- 4- A Million Dreams (Greatest Showman)
- 5- That's How You Know (Enchanted)
- 6- Harry Potter Theme Song

College Bowl

Trivia Questions

History

1. Who was the first state to ratify the Constitution? Delaware
2. What religious group settled Pennsylvania? Quakers
3. Who led the Confederate army in the Civil War? Robert E Lee
4. Who assassinated Abraham Lincoln? John Wilkes Booth
5. Whose signature takes up 6 square inches on the Declaration of Independence? John Hancock
6. Who was the smallest US president- only 5'4"? James Madison
7. What Civil War battle caused the most casualties? Gettysburg
8. How many sitting US presidents have been assassinated? 4 (Lincoln, Garfield, McKinley, JFK)

Science

1. What galaxy contains our solar system? Milky Way
2. What is the sixth planet from the sun? Saturn
3. What is the lightest element? Hydrogen
4. What substance gives plants their green color? Chlorophyll
5. In what type of matter are atoms most tightly packed? Solids
6. What planet has the most moons? Jupiter (at least 67 known moons)
7. How many teeth does an adult human have? 32
8. Who invented the telephone? Alexander Graham Bell

Sports

1. Who was the first black man allowed to play in the MLB? Jackie Robinson
2. Who was drafted #1 in the 2019 NBA draft? Zion Williamson
3. What country won the 2018 Mens' World Cup? France
4. What athlete holds the most Olympic gold medals? Michael Phelps (23 gold)
5. In which sport would you use a shuttlecock? Badminton
6. Who is the shortest player to win the NBA slam dunk competition? Spud Webb (5'7")
7. How many periods are there in a hockey game? Three 20-min periods
8. Who won the FIFA Women's World Cup in 2019? USA

Literature

1. Who wrote "To Kill a Mockingbird"? Harper Lee
2. What is Stanley's last name in "Holes"? Yelnats
3. What is the name of the dragon in "The Hobbit"? Smaug
4. Who is the first child to get kicked out of Willy Wonka's chocolate factory? Augustus Gloop
5. Luna Lovegood is a student in which house at Hogwarts? Ravenclaw
6. What is the best-selling book of all time? The Bible
7. What does Matilda's father do for a living in Roald Dahl's book? Sells used cars
8. Who wrote "Oliver Twist"? Charles Dickens

Movies

1. What is Luke Skywalker's uncle's occupation? Moisture Farmer
2. What is the full name of Harry & Ginny Potter's second son? Albus Severus Potter
3. The Tin Man visits the Wizard of Oz to ask for what? Heart
4. Which two students receive scholarships to Julliard at the end of High School Musical 3? Kelsey & Ryan
5. What character in Monty Python and the Holy Grail insists that "It's just a flesh wound"? Black Knight
6. How many Infinity Stones are there? Six
7. What movie is generally considered to be the first talking picture? The Jazz Singer
8. What is Captain America's shield made out of? Vibranium

Geography

1. In what state is Crater Lake? Oregon
2. The peak of Mt. Everest is located in which country? Nepal
3. What is the capital city of Chile? Santiago
4. What does D.C. stand for? District of Columbia
5. What is the longest river in the world? The Nile
6. What is the biggest state in America? Alaska
7. Catalonia is a region in what country? Spain
8. What is the most spoken language in the world? Mandarin

Pop Culture

1. Who married Prince Harry? Meghan Markel
2. What actor voiced both Darth Vader and Mufasa? James Earl Jones
3. Name the three Jonas Brothers. Nick, Joe, Kevin
4. Who won Season 1 on "The Masked Singer"? T-Pain
5. The Grateful Dead's highly-devoted fanbase are known as what? Dead Heads
6. What is the name of the fictional town in "Stranger Things"? Hawkins
7. What day is Star Wars Day? May 4
8. Who was the highest paid actress in 2019? Scarlett Johansson

Animals

1. Name an invertebrate? (any animal without a backbone- sponge, jellyfish, earthworm, insects...)
2. How many queen bees are there in a hive? One
3. What is the fastest animal in the world? Peregrine Falcon
4. What do you call an animal that eats both meat and plants? Omnivore
5. What is a group of lions called? Pride
6. What is the slowest animal in the world? 3-Toed Sloth
7. How many legs does a lobster have? Eight
8. What is a baby kangaroo called? Joey

Music

1. What famous composer wrote "Ode to Joy"? Beethoven
2. Name a double reed instrument? Oboe, Bassoon, or Sarrusophone
3. Name one of the top five female artists with the most Grammys. Alison Krauss, Beyonce, Aretha Franklin, Adele, Alisha Keys
4. Who is the original American Idol? Kelly Clarkston
5. How many valves does a trumpet have? Three
6. Which singer was known as the "King of Pop"? Michael Jackson
7. Name one of the two instruments that are in the key of F? French Horn and English Horn
8. Which artist topped the US Billboard Hot 100 in 1957 for the song "All Shook Up"? Elvis Presley

Religion (Specific to Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints- You can change to fit your faith!)

1. What gospel principle is taught in D&C 89? Word of Wisdom
2. How many sons does Jacob have in the Old Testament?
3. Who did King Noah order to be burned at the stake? Abinadi
4. How does the Brother of Jaredite solve the darkness problem in the Jaredite ships? 16 stones touched by the hand of God
5. What does Jesus do with the 5 loaves and 2 fishes? He feeds 5000+ people.
6. What does the fruit on the Tree of Life represent? The love of God
7. Who passes the Good Samaritan on the road? A Priest and a Levite
8. Name the three witnesses of the Book of Mormon. Oliver Cowdery, Martin Harris, David Whitmer

For 10 and Under

Fairy Tales

1. What lives under the bridge in Three Billy Goats Gruff? A troll
2. Who does the wolf pretend to be in Little Red Riding Hood? Her grandmother
3. Who tricks the Gingerbread Man by offering to carry him across the river? A fox
4. What does Jack exchange for the magic beans in Jack and the Beanstalk? A cow
5. What is the witch's house made from in Hansel and Gretel? Candy and cakes
6. What does Cinderella leave behind in her rush to leave the ball? Her glass slipper
7. What fruit does the wicked queen poison in Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs? An apple
8. Where is Rapunzel trapped by the witch? A tower

Disney Animated Movies

1. Who teaches Mowgli about the bare necessities of life in the Jungle Book? Baloo the Bear
2. Who becomes the king after betraying and killing Mufasa in The Lion King? Scar
3. Who is the Sleeping Beauty's prince? Prince Phillip
4. I am poor. My two best friends are not human. And I wear a purple vest. Who am I? Aladdin
5. What does the crocodile swallow in Peter Pan? An alarm clock
6. What are the names of Cinderella's step-sisters? Anastasia and Drizella
7. Moana has two animal sidekicks. What kind of animals are they? Pig and chicken
8. What is the racoon in Pocahontas named? Meeko
9. Name 3 characters in Toy Story 4.

PBS Kids

1. In Daniel Tiger, what does Katerina Kittycat want to be when she grows up? Ballerina
2. What is Daniel's favorite way to travel? Trolley
3. What is Doc McStuffin's first name? Dottie
4. How does Doc McStuffins bring her animals and toys to life? Stethoscope

Our kids had recently watched Pee-Wee and The Santa Clause so we used these movies for questions.

The Santa Clause Movie Trivia

1. In the first film, how does Santa die? Falling off roof
2. What gift does the elf give to Charlie in the first movie so he can call his dad? Snow Globe
3. In #2, what is the name of the reindeer in training? Chet
4. What does Scott suggest he and Carol can go get to eat when he asks her for a date? Noodles
5. What does the toy Santa make life sized to enforce his rules? Toy soldiers

Pee-Wee Herman Trivia

1. Where does Madame Ruby tell Peewee his bike is? The Alamo
2. While Peewee is at the magic shop, he buys three things. They are trick gum, headlight glasses and what? Boomerang bowtie
3. What does PeeWee dress up as at the end of the movie to get his bike back? Nun
4. PeeWee tells the police there is someone else involved with the theft of his bike besides Francis. Who is it? The Soviets