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**AMERICANA**



**TRIVIA GAME**

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1. Which war erupted April 19, 1775 and lasted until 1783?	2. The Declaration of Independence was adopted on what date?	3. The first census (1790) did not include Native Americans. True or False?	4. Who was the 1st Secretary of State, the 2nd Vice President, and the 3rd President?	5. What are the first three words of the Preamble of the Constitution?	6. Name the three qualifications to run for the Presidential office.	7. A presidential candidate officially becomes President on which date? <i>bonus: What is this day called?</i>
8. Which president holds the title of "first to die in office"? <i>Hint</i> (his was also the shortest period in office)	9. After the discovery of gold, which states population increased by more than five times?	10. In 1833 the US paid \$15 million for what territory? <i>bonus : from whom was it purchased?</i>	11. Abraham Lincoln spent a total of one year in formal school. True or False	12. Who invented the Franklin stove, the lightning rod, and bifocals?	13. Which state was the last to enter the Union? <i>bonus: what year?</i>	14. Only one main island makes up the state of Hawaii. True or False
15. Which President served the longest in office?	16. After the westward expansion, less than 600 of which animal remained from an original herd of more than 20 million?	17. Which is the only president to serve 2 terms that were not consecutive? <i>bonus: who served in-between?</i>	18. The last Native American uprising was led by which two Chiefs?	19. What lieutenant-colonel led the "Rough Riders"?	20. In which war did Roosevelt charge and capture San Juan hill?	21. Thomas Jefferson died exactly 50 years after the signing of what famous document? <i>bonus: what date?</i>
22. "Four score and seven years ago" are the first words to what famous speech? <i>bonus: who gave the speech?</i>	23. Whose likeness appears on the \$2 bill?	24. The scales and a key on the front of the dollar bill represent what?	25. The first 10 Amendments of the Constitution are called what? <i>bonus: how many Amendments are there?</i>	26. Who said, "Walk softly and carry a big stick"?	27. What state is home to the most presidents? <i>bonus: can you name at least one?</i>	28. Name at least three of the first thirteen states. <i>bonus: name all thirteen</i>

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## How to play Americana Trivia:

Place trivia cards face down on “Trivia Cards” space. First player selects a card and must answer correctly to continue. A correct answer allows player to roll dice and move corresponding spaces. An incorrect answer means player does not move until next turn. Some questions contain bonus questions. If player answers the first part correctly, and the bonus correctly, the roll of the dice may be DOUBLED! Player may, however, opt not to answer the bonus as his turn will be lost upon an incorrect answer whether or not the first part was answered correctly. The first player to the end wins.

## ANSWER KEY:

1. Revolutionary War
2. July 4, 1776
3. True. (And slaves were only counted as 3/5 a person)
4. Thomas Jefferson
5. “We the People”
6. 1- Be at least 35 years old ; 2- Live in the US for 14 years;  
3- Be a natural born citizen
7. January 20 bonus- Inauguration Day
8. William Henry Harrison
9. California (from 20,000 to 110,000)
10. Louisiana bonus- France
11. True (common on the frontier)
12. Benjamin Franklin
13. Hawaii bonus- 1959
14. False (8 islands)
15. Franklin Delano Roosevelt
16. Buffalo
17. Grover Cleveland bonus- Benjamin Harrison
18. Geronimo and Cochise
19. Theodore Roosevelt
20. Spanish-American War
21. The Declaration of Independence bonus- July 4, 1776
22. The Gettysburg Address bonus- Abraham Lincoln
23. Thomas Jefferson
24. Balance and Security
25. The Bill of Rights bonus- 26
26. Theodore Roosevelt
27. Virginia bonus- George Washington; Thomas Jefferson; James Madison;  
James Monroe; William Harrison; John Tyler; Zachary Taylor; Woodrow Wilson
28. Maine; Rhode Island; Connecticut; New Hampshire; New York; New Jersey;  
Pennsylvania; Delaware; Maryland; Virginia; N. Carolina; S. Carolina; Georgia