

Music Jeopardy Rules

Set Up:

1. Print copies of the scorecard and final Jeopardy pages as needed.
2. Start by designating a host, who may also be a member of one of the teams as long as he or she does not cheat and look ahead to the correct responses beforehand. The host controls the game board by selecting links and buttons to create sound effects and keep the game moving forward for the other players. Also pick a score keeper to tally the dollar amounts earned and lost for each team.
3. Decide on noisemakers or sounds for each team to alert the host that a team would like to respond to a clue. Ideas include bells, whistles, pots with spoons, clapping, snapping, etc.

Gameplay:

1. Each of the six category columns contain five clues (phrased in answer form), increasing in value and difficulty. The first team to go picks a category and a dollar amount.
2. The host then selects the choice on the game board, reads the answer, and starts the timer.
3. The players get 30 seconds to alert the host using their agreed upon sound or noisemaker. The first team to sound off successfully must give a response in the form of a question (e.g. What is a governor? Who is Hillary Clinton?).
4. A correct response earns the dollar value of the clue and the opportunity to select the next clue from the board. An incorrect response or a failure to ring in within the time limit deducts the dollar value of the clue from the team's score and gives the remaining team(s) the opportunity to ring in and respond.
5. If no team gives a correct response, the host reads the correct response and the team who most recently gave a correct response to a previous clue chooses the next clue.

Final Jeopardy:

1. Each team will agree on and present a wager of as little as \$0 or up to as much money as they have accumulated.
2. All teams have 30 seconds once the host starts the timer to write down a response in the form of a question.
3. When time is up, all teams read their responses aloud before the host reveals the correct response.
4. The teams with a correct response add their wager amount to their score, while teams with an incorrect response reduce their score by their wager amount.

Final Jeopardy Card

Player/Team Wager

Response