

Test Your Knowledge

Set-up/Instructions

Items Needed

- Worksheets
- Answer Key
- Pencils or pens
- Prizes
- Clipboards/folders (optional)

Individual versus Teams

Determine if you want your participants to play individually or in teams.

- Teams work best when you have multiple participants, so you can create teams of 2-4
- Individual play works best when you have smaller numbers of participants

Timing for Game

- Allow time at start to form teams (if needed) and provide instructions to players.
- Allow time at end to review correct answers, score worksheets and answer questions
- Practice your chosen game(s) before your event so you know how much time is needed

Choose the Game

- Game choices
 - Crossword – works best for older teens and adults
 - Short version – use when limited time is available
 - Long version – use when more time is available
 - Word Scramble – works best for older teens and adults
 - Word Search – works well for pre-teens through adults
- Print off the appropriate number of worksheets - Note: it works best if participants have something to place worksheet on when filling out (folder, clipboard, etc.)
- Determine if you will need to provide pens/pencils

Set-up for Teams

- Split participants into teams consisting of 2-4 people (as evenly as possible).
- Choose a “scribe” for the team (the person who will write in answers)
- Provide the scribe with the game worksheet (and a pencil or pen if needed)
- Place teams far enough apart that they cannot easily hear discussion from other teams
- Explain the game and have the teams play game (see game instructions below)

Set-up for Individual Play

- Provide each player with a worksheet (and pencil/pen if needed)
- Explain the game and have participants play game

Game Instructions

- Tell the players how much time they will have to work on the game
- Explain that if someone finishes before time is up, they should let you know and everyone else should keep working
- Once time is up, players stop even if no one has all the answers
- Use the answer key to provide the correct answers, discuss missed/incorrect answers and answer questions
- If doing the Word Search, consider using the clues from the Word Scramble to discuss the words when you show participants where to find them
- The participant/team with the most correct answers (or who finished first and has all the correct answers) wins.
- Prizes can be awarded to winning teams (e.g. snack size candy bars, pens, promotional items, etc.)