

Virtual Tournament

LEVEL 1

Logistics and Rules

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HistoryPlunge Spring 2021 Tournament Dates

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DATES (play once, twice, three sessions, or the whole season, whatever you prefer):

- April 15 (Thursday): Focus is on Presidents 1-15 and through 1861
- April 22 (Thursday): Focus is on Presidents 16- 30 and 1862 through 1929
- April 29 (Thursday): Focus is on Presidents 31 – Present and 1930 to present
- May 6 (Thursday): Tournament of Champions - Focus is on all the information above

TIME: ALL SESSIONS WILL BE APPROXIMATELY 30 MINUTES AND WILL BEGIN AT 4:00 PM ET*

*If the time does not work, please contact us to discuss what alternatives might work for you.

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- Players will log-on to Zoom at the 4:00 PM ET tournament time using a Player name. Throughout the tournament, they will see the questions on Zoom and vote on Kahoot!
- Once they log-on to Zoom, they will receive a PIN for the Kahoot! game.
- Using the PIN, they will log into Kahoot! with a phone or on a split screen on their computer..
- Each 30-minute session will consist of 26 questions from easy-to-learn games
(see the following pages for details on how each game will be played) OR [CLICK HERE](#) to watch a 4-minute video:
 - 5 Who's the President
 - 5 Dashing Presidents
 - 5 Race the Presidents
 - 5 HistoryPlunge Challenge/Know the Notables
 - 5 Date Duel
 - 1 fun trivia question to end!

Everyone is a winner just by playing and having fun while learning and each player will receive a HistoryPlunge Certificate.
Each week we will recognize at least the top 3 players and schools.

We crown an individual champ and a school, library or rec center as tournament champ from those that play the whole season.

ROUND 1 – WHO’S THE PRESIDENT

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How to Play:

- We give 1, 2 or 3 clues – They will either be the President’s political party, number of terms served, the first name of the First Lady or the Vice President during a Presidential term
- The students guess the President from 4 options given

What students need to know:

- President names
 - Each President’s political party
 - The number of terms each President served
 - First Lady names
 - Vice Presidents
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- It’s OK if they use a resource while playing, but it’s a race so the more they know, the faster they can go!

Free study resources:

- Our [Kids’ Zone](#) has flashcards covering each President broken down in groups of 15
- [Click here for a Study Guide](#)



SAMPLE WHO'S THE PRESIDENT QUESTION

Who's the President?



Vice President was Thomas Jefferson

First Lady was Abigail

▲ George Washington

◆ John Adams

● Thomas Jefferson

■ John Quincy Adams

ROUND 2 – DASHING PRESIDENTS

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How to Play:

- We show 3 President Portrait cards
- The students choose the answer that places the Presidents in the order they served

What students need to know:

- The order the Presidents served (see the President Flashcards in our [Kids' Zone](#))
- It's OK if they use a resource while playing, but it's a race so the more they know, the faster they can go!

Free study resources:

- Our [Kids' Zone](#) has flashcards covering each President broken down in sets of 15 (tracking our tournament)
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Sample Dashing Presidents Question

What order did these Presidents serve from **oldest to most recent?**

1 2 3



Andrew Jackson
Thomas Jefferson
John Tyler

The correct order is:
Jefferson (2),
Jackson (1),
Tyler (3)

▲ 1, 2, 3

◆ 3, 2, 1

● 2, 3, 1

■ 2, 1, 3

ROUND 3 – RACE THE PRESIDENTS

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How to Play:

- We show 4 President Portrait cards. Then we tell you if the category is “parties” or “terms”
- Players tell us “Which is the Odd Man Out?”:
 - If the category is “PARTIES,” choose the president that was NOT in the same party as the others
*(note that Tyler was a Whig for the purposes of this game)
 - If the category is “TERMS,” choose the president that served a different number of terms than the others
 - Terms options: a partial term, 1 term, between 1 and 2 terms, 2 terms

What students should know:

- The political party of each President
- The number of terms served by each President
(see Kids’ Zone President Flashcards)
- It’s OK if they use a resource while playing, but it’s a race so the more they know, the faster they can go!

Free study resources:

- President flashcards in our [Kids’ Zone](#) →
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SAMPLE RACE THE PRESIDENTS QUESTION

Note that the answer would have been the same if the category was “terms”, as Jefferson, Madison and Monroe all served 2 full terms, and Adams served only 1 term!

PARTIES: Who's the odd man out?

1 2 3 4

Adams Jefferson Madison Monroe

Jefferson (2), Madison (3) and Monroe (4) were all Democrat-Republicans. Adams was a Federalist.

Adams Jefferson Madison Monroe

ROUND 4 – HISTORYPLUNGE CHALLENGE/KNOW YOUR NOTABLES

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How to Play:

- We show a portrait of a Notable Person from the time period being covered and a clue
- The students guess who it is from 4 options given






What students need to know:

- A diverse set of Notable Americans from a list provided
- A fact that we provide you that is important about the Notable American
- It's OK if they use a resource while playing, but it's a race so the more they know, the faster they can go!

Free study resources:

- Once you register for the tournament, we will send you our Notable list with clues.

HistoryPlunge: Notables Short List

	Dolley	Madison	Dolley Madison was the wife of our fourth president, James Madison. She ordered the removal of a portrait of George Washington from the Executive Mansion so that it was protected when the British burned Washington, D.C. in 1814.
	Thurgood	Marshall	Thurgood Marshall became the first African American Supreme Court Justice in 1967.
	Samuel F. B.	Morse	Samuel Morse received a patent for the telegraph in 1844 and sent the first message by telegraph in the U.S.
	Lucretia Coffin	Mott	Lucretia Mott and Elizabeth Cady Stanton took the lead in creating and conducting what became the first major women's civil rights convention in the U.S.
	Sandra Day	O'Connor	Sandra Day O'Connor became the first female Supreme Court Justice in 1981.

SAMPLE HISTORYPLUNGE CHALLENGE QUESTION

HISTORYPLUNGE CHALLENGE: She wrote The Red Record.



▲ Harriet Tubman

◆ Susan B. Anthony

● Ida B. Wells

■ Alice Paul

ROUND 5 – DATE DUEL

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How to Play:

- We show three events from the time-period we are covering
- We ask one of these three questions:
 - Which event occurred first?
 - Which event occurred in the middle?
 - Which event occurred last?
- The students choose the correct answer

What students need to know:

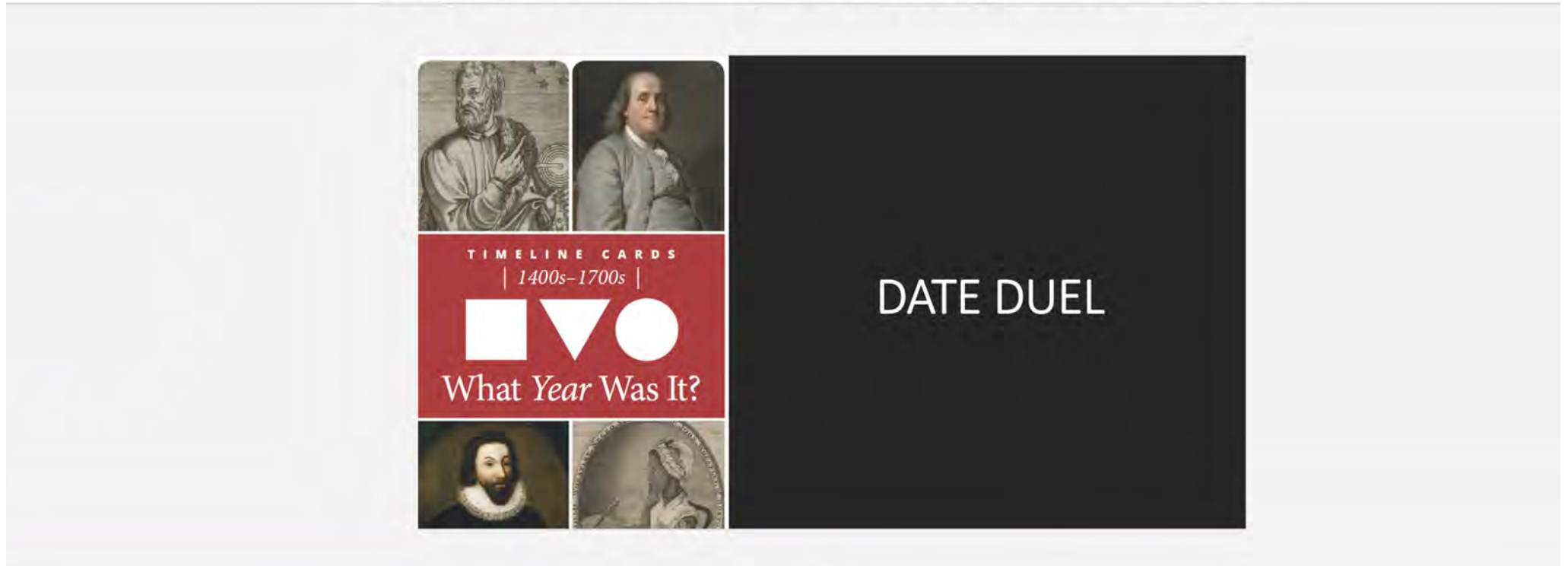
- The order that important events occurred in U.S. history from a list we provide you.
- It's OK if they use a resource while playing, but it's a race so the more they know, the faster they can go!

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SAMPLE DATE DUEL QUESTION

Date Duel: Which event happened **first**?



▲ Louisiana Purchase

◆ Lewis and Clark Expedition begins

● Missouri Compromise

WE'RE HERE TO HELP

We are happy to walk you through the games or answer any other questions.

Contact us any time!

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