

Second Place Stars presents...



Hourly Bonus: **Game Shows**



Game shows have been around in the US since the early days of radio. They rose to popularity in the 1950s as television was introduced in many homes and have since survived scandals and fluctuating ratings to remain a mainstay on the airwaves, offering to viewers a unique vicarious emotional experience. Try your hand at these game show questions and challenges:

I. Identify the show from the still frame.



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II. Answer the following general questions.

21. Which game show was originally to be called *What's the Question*?
22. Which host of a 2000s game show refused to shake hands with contestants, offering to bump fists instead?
23. Which game show appears in the opening scene a 2002 movie about a legendary impostor?
24. A short-lived "Super" edition of a show hosted by whom was the first to offer a eight-figure prize (which nobody won)?
25. The host of which FOX game show had a name that sounds identical to a lead actor of *The Other Guys*?
26. Which show featured a honeycomb-shaped board filled with letters?
27. In which 1996 movie did the title character's family watch a fictional game show in which contestants were covered in a sticky substance and attempted to grab cash falling from the ceiling?
28. Which show has a wheel labeled with amounts of money in 5-cent increments?
29. Which host took the place of the lowest-scoring contestant in the second round in order to hinder the remaining players?
30. Which show offered several hundred dollars extra to players who took the time to make and wrap a sandwich during the final round?
31. Different versions of one game show have included in their titles "\$10,000," "\$20,000," "\$25,000," "\$50,000," and "\$100,000." What is the last word in the title of each of these versions?
32. Which show, on which women were given prizes for telling tragic stories, has been described as "cheap, insulting and utterly degrading to the human spirit"?
33. Throughout its history, which show's game board has expanded from 39 spaces to 48 and currently 52?
34. On which network did a show air in which contestants hunted for artifacts such as "The Leopard-Skin Cloak of Annie Oakley" and "The Levitating Dog Leash of Nostradamus"?
35. With a total of \$3,455,102, who is the biggest money winner in *Jeopardy!* history?

III. Identify the game show by its money tower.

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| | \$250,000 | | \$500,000 | | \$16,000 | | \$100,000 |
| | \$125,000 | | \$200,000 | | \$8,000 | | \$10,000 |
| | \$64,000 | | \$100,000 | | \$4,000 | | \$1,000 |
| | \$32,000 | | \$75,000 | | \$2,000 | | |
| | \$16,000 | | \$50,000 | | \$1,000 | | |
| | \$8,000 | | \$25,000 | | \$512 | | |
| | \$4,000 | | | | \$256 | | |
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