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Navigation

You can EXIT the program at any time by pressing the ESC key or with the button on the Score page.

All buttons can be activated by pressing the key corresponding with the letter that is underlined on the button label.

The Quizzes (916 questions total)

- A - Multiple Choice (President related) (102 questions)
- B - Multiple Choice (President related) (101 questions)
- C - Multiple Choice (President related) (101 questions)
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- H - Multiple Choice - Vice Presidents (60 questions)
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- L - True or False - Vice Presidents (103 questions)

Quiz Structure

The following, available at the start of each quiz explains the time allowed, point value, number of questions available. Also, the player has the option of using the keyboard as well as a mouse.

All questions refer to presidents or vice presidents that served under the present U. S. Constitution beginning with George Washington.

The following applies to **Multiple Choice - 1, 2, 3 and 4**, as they are identical except for the questions asked.

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Multiple Choice - 1

- **10 Seconds Allowed to Answer each Question**
- **5 Points per Question** (total points available - 102)
- **20 Question per Play** (randomly selected from 100)

The questions relate a person or event in American history to a U.S. President. The player is ask to select the president to which the question is related by clicking on one of the three buttons available or the A, B, or C key. If a button is not selected during the allotted time the program will automatically score the question incorrect.

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If the "View the Answer" button is pressed before an "answer" button is selected **no** points are awarded. Once any button is pressed the question timer is stopped. If the player selected the wrong answer this allows the player to view the correct answer without accumulating additional time.

The Keyboard: you can select your answer using the A, B or C key that relates to a president, the **V** key to view the correct answer or the **N** key to move to the next question.

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President's Wives - Multiple Choice

- **10 Seconds Allotted to Answer each Question**
- **5 Points per Question** (total points available - 50)
- **10 Question per Play** (randomly selected from 50)

The maiden name of a First Lady (wife) is provided and the player must select the President (husband) to which the question is related by clicking on one of the three buttons available. If no button is selected within 10 seconds the program automatically scores the question wrong.

If the "View the Answer" button is selected before the actual answer button is selected **no** points are awarded. Once any button is pressed the question timer is stopped allowing the player to view the correct answer without accumulating additional time.

The Keyboard: you can select your answer using the A, B or C key that relates to a president. The **V** key to display the correct answer and the **N** key to move to the next question.

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Vice Presidents - Multiple Choice

- **10 Seconds Allotted to Answer each Question**
- **5 Points per Question** (total points available - 50)
- **10 Question per Play** (randomly selected from 60)

The questions relate to events involving vice presidents. If a button is not selected during the allotted time the program will automatically score the question as incorrect.

If the "View the Answer" button is pressed before an "answer" button is selected **no** points are awarded. Once any button is pressed or clicked on the question timer is stopped.

The Keyboard: you can select your answer using the A, B or C key that relates to a president. The **V** key to display the correct answer and the **N** key to move to the next question.

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Supreme Court Justices - Multiple Choice

- **10 Seconds Allotted to Answer each Question**
- **5 Points per Question** (total points available - 100)
- **20 Question per Play** (randomly selected from 113)

The player is provided with the name of a Supreme Court Justice and ask to select the president that appointed or nominated the Justice to the bench. The player makes their selection by clicking on the button of choice. If a button is not selected during the allotted time the program will automatically score the question incorrect.

If the "View the Answer" button is pressed before an "answer" button is selected **no** points are awarded. Once any button is pressed or clicked on the question timer is stopped.

The Keyboard: you can select your answer using the A, B or C key that relates to a president. The **V** key to display the correct answer and the **N** key to move to the next question.

**The Secretary of State and Attorney General questions can be a little confusing as one secretary could of served in more than one administration. The explanation provided below dealing with Secretaries of States also applies to Attorney Generals.*

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Secretaries of State - Multiple Choice

- **12 Seconds Allotted to Answer each Question**
- **5 Points per Question** (total points available - 50)
- **10 Question per Play** (randomly selected from 42)

The player is presented with the name(s) of 1 or more Secretaries of State and ask to select the president they served under. If 3 names are listed that means that all three served under one of the presidents shown.

The player selects one of the three buttons to answer the question. If no button is selected during the allotted time the program will automatically score the question incorrect.

If the "View the Answer" button is pressed before an "answer" button is selected **no** points are awarded. Once any button is pressed the question timer is stopped. If the player selected the wrong answer this allows the player to view the correct answer without accumulating additional time.

The Keyboard: you can select your answer using the A, B or C key that relates to a president, the **V** key to view the correct answer or the **N** key to move to the next question.

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Note:

If a secretary served under more than one president you can differentiate between the administrations as the secretary would of served part of the term with another individual. No single individual served in two administrations as the only Secretary of State. Below is an example showing the presidents that Secretary of State Daniel Webster served under. In this example if the question only listed Daniel Webster the correct answer would be President William Harrison.

Webster Served Under President William Harrison:

1) Daniel Webster

Webster Served under President John Tyler:

- 1) Daniel Webster
- 2) Hugh S. Legare
- 3) Abel P. Upshur
- 4) John C. Calhoun

Secretary Daniel Webster served under President William H. Harrison from March 5, 1841 - April 4, 1841. Harrison died 1 month into his term and John Tyler succeeded to the presidency. Daniel Webster served from April 4, 1841 to May 8, 1843, under President John Tyler.

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Attorney Generals - Multiple Choice

- 12 Seconds Allotted to Answer each Question

- 5 Points per Question (total points available - 50)

- 10 Question per Play (randomly selected from 41)

The player is presented with the name(s) of 1 or more attorney Generals and ask to select the president they served under. If 3 names are listed that means that all three served under one of the presidents shown. The player selects one of the three buttons to answer the question. If no button is selected during the allotted time the program will automatically score the question incorrect.

If the "View the Answer" button is pressed before an "answer" button is selected **no** points are awarded. Once any button is pressed the question timer is stopped. If the player selected the wrong answer this allows the player to view the correct answer without accumulating additional time.

The Keyboard: you can select your answer using the A, B or C key that relates to a president, the **V** key to view the correct answer or the **N** key to move to the next question.

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True or False

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Party Affiliation - True or False

- **10 Seconds allowed to answer each question**
- **5 Points awarded for each correct answer** (total points available - 50)
- **10 Questions per play** (randomly selected from a bank of 44)

This quiz deals with "Party Affiliation." The political party that the president was associated with when elected to the Presidency. A statement is made and the player has to select if the statement is true or false. The question is answered by selecting either the True or False button or pressing the T or F key.

If the "Answer" button or A key is selected **before** a True or False button, no points are awarded. If a button is not selected during the allotted time the program will automatically score the question as incorrect.

The Keyboard: you can select your answer using the **T** or **F** key, **A** will display the correct answer, and the **N** key will show the next question.

Note: Political parties that a president could have been affiliated with include: Democratic, Federalist, Republican, Unionist, and Whig.

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Vice Presidents - True or False

- **10 Seconds Allotted to Answer each Question**
- **5 Points per Question** (total points available - 100)
- **20 Question per Play** (randomly selected from 103)

The questions relate to events involving vice presidents. A statement is made and the player has to select if the statement is true or false. The question is answered by selecting either the True or False button or pressing the T or F key.

If the "Answer" button or A key is selected **before** a True or False button, no points are awarded. If a button is not selected during the allotted time the program will automatically score the question as incorrect.

The Keyboard: you can select your answer using the **T** or **F** key, **A** will display the correct answer, and the **N** key will show the next question.

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President's Birthplace - True or False

- **10 Seconds Allotted to Answer each Question**
- **5 Points per Question** (total points available - 50)
- **10 Question per Play** (randomly selected from 44)

The questions are based on the state where a president was born. A statement is made and the player has to select if the statement is true or false. The question is answered by selecting either the True or False button or pressing the T or F key.

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If the "Answer" button or A key is selected **before** a True or False button, no points are awarded. If a button is not selected during the allotted time the program will automatically score the question as incorrect.

The Keyboard: you can select your answer using the **T** or **F** key, **A** will display the correct answer, and the **N** key will show the next question.

The program records the following information in two text files in the user's temp folder when the program is running.

- Player name or pseudonym
- Quiz taken
- Time per question
- Time per quiz
- Number of correct answers
- Displays the questions answered incorrectly (deleted after each quiz)

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