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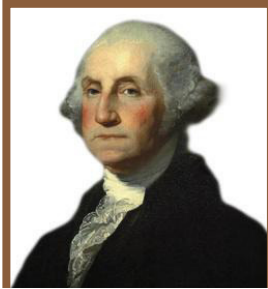
U.S. Presidents - Matching Game

Cut the cards along the dotted lines, match each picture card with the name or fact card.

George Washington

(1732 - 1799)

Term of Office: 1789 - 1797



Popularly known as "Father of His Country", George Washington was the first president of America. Because he knew that the country's future presidents would follow in his footsteps, he set an exemplary model of integrity and national purpose.

John Adams

(1735 - 1826)

Term of Office: 1797 - 1801

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Hard-educated political philosopher, Adams, the second president, was a leader of the American Revolution. He was the first vice president of the United States and he's the president who first lived in the White House.

Thomas Jefferson

(1743 - 1826)

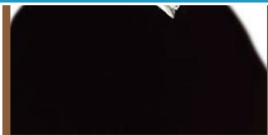
Term of Office: 1801 - 1809

Third president, Thomas Jefferson, signed the Declaration of Independence. He was the first secretary of the state and founded the University of Virginia.

James Madison

(1751 - 1836)

Term of Office: 1809 - 1817



Virginia-born and Princeton-educated Madison was widely known as the "Father of the Constitution". As the fourth president, one major contribution he made was that he drafted the first ten amendments of the Bill of Rights.

James Monroe

(1758 - 1831)

Term of Office: 1817 - 1825



James Monroe was the fifth president and his "Monroe Doctrine" greatly emboldened the country's foreign policy. His term is often referred to as an "Era of Good Feelings".

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John Quincy Adams

(1767 - 1848)

Term of Office: 1825 - 1829

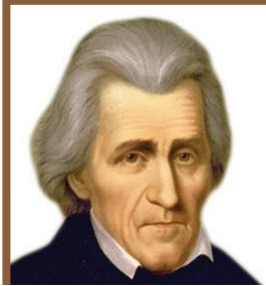


A prominent opponent of slavery, John Quincy Adams was the sixth president. He negotiated many treaties for the country and he undertook several infrastructural projects of great national interest.

Andrew Jackson

(1767 - 1845)

Term of Office: 1829 - 1837



Jackson was the seventh U.S. president. The "Old Hickory" is better known for "Jacksonian Democracy" a political movement he represented. He was the founder of the Democratic Party.

Martin Van Bure

(1782 - 1862)

Term of Office: 1837 - 1841

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hth American president, Martin Van Buren was the first president of a real American origin. Because he was a politician, people called him the "Magician".

William Henry Harrison

(1773 - 1841)

Term of Office: 1841

He had been in the office for just a month, when William Henry Harrison, the ninth president, had the shortest term in American history and he was called the "Most Obscure President". He was the first president to die in office.

John Tyler

(1790 - 1862)

Term of Office: 1841 - 1845

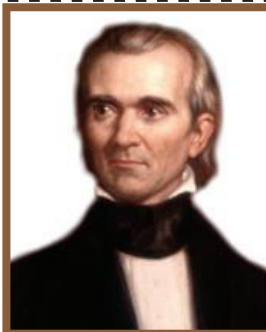


John Tyler was the tenth president and he was elected after the death of William Harrison. America gained the rights to trade in Chinese ports after he signed the Treaty of Wanghia.

James K. Polk

(1795 - 1849)

Term of Office: 1845 - 1849



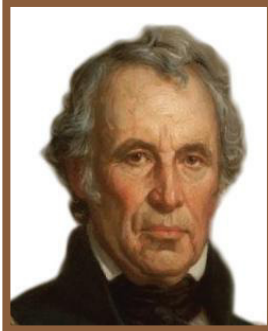
The eleventh American president, Polk is best known for the Mexican-American war, and added the states of Texas, California and Washington, which greatly expanded America's territory.

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Zachary Taylor

(1784 - 1850)

Term of Office: 1849 - 1850

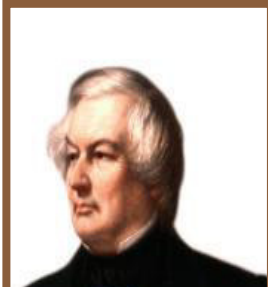


The twelfth president, Zachary Taylor, became a national hero, thanks to his victories as the general in the Mexican-American war. He served as the president for 16 months.

Millard Fillmore

(1800 - 1874)

Term of Office: 1850 - 1853



Fillmore was the thirteenth president, and the last president affiliated with the Whig party. He signed the Compromise of 1850 which helped settle the issues between the southern and northern states.

Franklin Pierce

(1804 - 1869)

Term of Office: 1853 - 1857

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Pierce became the fourteenth president, he was the youngest person in history to assume that office. His vice president was William R. D. King.

James Buchanan

(1791 - 1868)

Term of Office: 1857 - 1861

Fifteenth president, James Buchanan is the only president who was a bachelor. He was nicknamed as "Old Buck".

Abraham Lincoln

(1809 - 1865)

Term of Office: 1861 - 1865

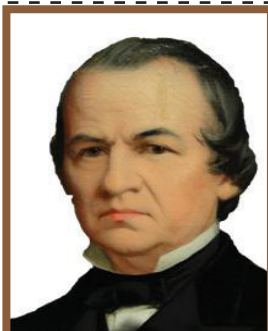


Abraham Lincoln was the sixteenth president of the U.S. He signed the Emancipation Proclamation and abolished slavery. Lincoln is considered one of the best presidents the country has ever seen.

Andrew Johnson

(1808 - 1875)

Term of Office: 1865 - 1869



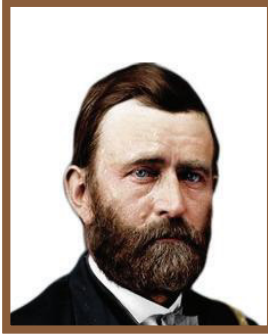
Johnson, the 17th president, fought against the Radical Republicans during Reconstruction. He was the first president to be impeached.

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Ulysses S. Grant

(1822 - 1885)

Term of Office: 1869 - 1877

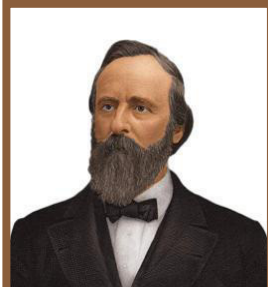


Grant was the 18th president and he was the General Commander who led the union army to victory. He ratified the fifteenth amendment giving African-American men the right to vote.

Rutherford B. Hayes

(1822 - 1893)

Term of Office: 1877 - 1881



Hayes was the 19th president and he took the country's economy very seriously and made important strides in foreign policy. During his period, Alexander Graham Bell invented the telephone and Hayes was the first president to use this facility.

James A. Garfield

(1831 - 1881)

Term of Office: 1881

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th president, Garfield believed ion was instrumental in improving can-American civil rights and ed the postal department. He was lot and served the second shortest ential tenure of 200 days.

Chester A. Arthur

(1829 - 1886)

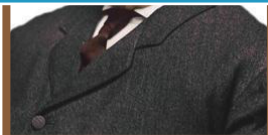
Term of Office: 1881 - 1886

ffice as the twenty-first president country, Arthur reduced the tariff e Mongrel tariff act of 1883, passed migration law and modernized the rthur had a great sense of fashion der.

Grover Cleveland

(1837 - 1908)

Term of Office: 1885 - 1889,
Term of Office: 1893 - 1897

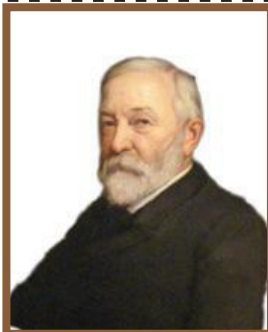


nd served two non-consecutive s the 22nd and 24th president. His / policy helped strengthen the U.S. defenses and he repealed the Sherman Silver Purchase Act in 1860.

Benjamin Harrison

(1833 - 1901)

Term of Office: 1889 - 1893



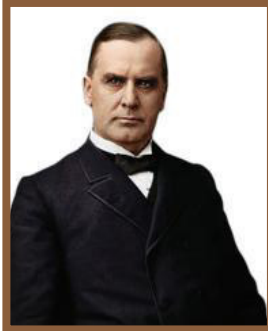
Called "Little Ben" by his Democratic opponents, the 23rd president greatly helped shape the country's foreign policy. He signed the Sherman Antitrust Act to protect trade and passed bills for naval expansion.

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William McKinley

(1843 - 1901)

Term of Office: 1897 - 1901

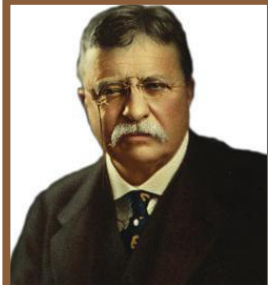


During his tenure, McKinley, the 25th president, led the Spanish-American war and ended the Spanish rule in America, which helped the country emerge as a world power. His high protective tariff helped the country prosper.

Theodore Roosevelt

(1858 - 1919)

Term of Office: 1901 - 1909



Roosevelt was the twenty-sixth president and he officially gave the White House its current name. He made conservation a national issue and curbed the monopolistic power of the railroads. He traveled to Panama in 1906 and built the Panama Canal.

William Howard Taft

(1857 - 1930)

Term of Office: 1909 - 1913

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As the 27th American president, Taft led vigorous anti-trust legislation, and successfully monitored U.S. rule in the Philippines. He was the only president to be appointed as the chief justice of the U.S. Supreme Court.

Woodrow Wilson

(1856 - 1924)

Term of Office: 1913 - 1921

Before becoming a college professor, Wilson, the 28th president of the country, was ranked by many as one of America's greatest presidents. He introduced a number of reform measures and signed the Federal Reserve Act in 1913.

Warren G. Harding

(1865 - 1923)

Term of Office: 1921 - 1923



Harding was the 29th American president. He signed the Federal Highway Act of 1919 and pushed technology by promoting radio and aviation.

Calvin Coolidge

(1872 - 1933)

Term of Office: 1923 - 1929



Coolidge was the 30th president and his economic policies brought prosperity to the country and he granted citizenship to Native Americans. He was known as "Silent Cal" because he was very quiet.

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Herbert Clark Hoover

(1874 - 1964)

Term of Office: 1929 - 1933

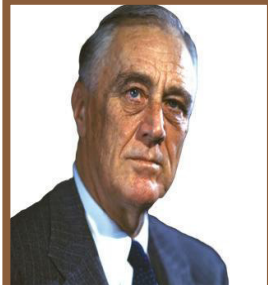


The thirty-first American president, Hoover was partly responsible for the creation of UNICEF. He was called "The Greatest Humanitarian" for his endeavors during world war that saved millions of people from starving.

Franklin D. Roosevelt

(1882 - 1945)

Term of Office: 1933 - 1945



Roosevelt was the the 32nd president and was elected four times. He played a major role in the creation of the United Nations, and his Fair Labor Standards Act ensured a national minimum wage.

Harry S. Truman

(1884 - 1972)

Term of Office: 1945- 1953

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Truman, the 33rd president, was greatly concerned about the nation's security and signed the National Security Act of 1947. He put an end to racial segregation in the country's armed forces.

Dwight D. Eisenhower

(1890 - 1969)

Term of Office: 1953 - 1961

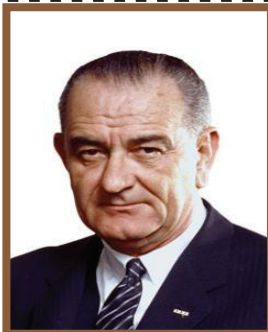


Dwight D. Eisenhower, the 34th president, was the Supreme Commander of the Allied Forces during World War II. He founded the NASA in 1958 and advocated the cause of the Interstate Highway System. He introduced the use of helicopters at the White House.

John F. Kennedy

(1917 - 1963)

Term of Office: 1961 - 1963



John F. Kennedy was the 35th president and the youngest man elected to president's office. His great policies took the U.S. out of recession and he carried out a wide range of reforms. He won the Pulitzer Prize for his book "Profiles in Courage".

Lyndon B. Johnson

(1908 - 1973)

Term of Office: 1963 - 1969

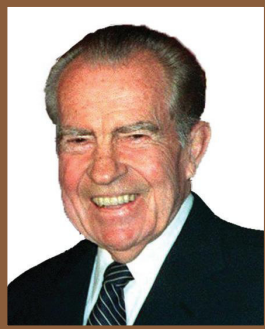
Johnson was the 36th American president and he passed the law of the Civil Rights Act in 1964. His tax cut bill led to economic growth and reduced unemployment and he introduced many social welfare programs.

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Richard M. Nixon

(1913 - 1994)

Term of Office: 1969 - 1974



In 1973, Nixon, the 37th president, signed the Paris Peace Accords ending U.S. involvement in the Vietnam war. He was responsible for the establishment of the Environmental Protection Agency.

Gerald R. Ford

(1913 - 2006)

Term of Office: 1974 - 1977



Ford was the thirty eighth president. He ameliorated the energy crisis of 1970s, and helped decrease the rate of inflation by more than half. He was the only president who had not been elected president or vice president.

Jimmy Carter

(1924)

Term of Office: 1977- 1981

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Carter was the 39th president of the United States. He established the U.S. Departments of Energy and Education. He awarded the 2002 Nobel Peace Prize for his efforts to protect human rights and help peacefully solve international conflicts.

Ronald W. Reagan

(1911 - 2004)

Term of Office: 1981 - 1989

Reagan was the 40th president. The "Great Communicator", Reagan was the only actor to ever become a president of the United States. He played a key role in ending the cold war.

George H.W. Bush

(1924 - 2018)

Term of Office: 1989 - 1993



George H.W. Bush signed the Americans with Disabilities Act and, as the 41st president, made it illegal to discriminate against the differently abled. His Arms Reduction Agreement

and Immigration Act of 1990 were revolutionary.

Bill Clinton

(1946)

Term of Office: 1993 - 2001



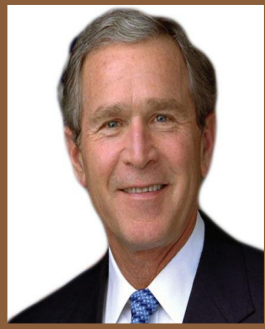
Clinton was the 42nd president. He brought about a number of educational reforms, and controlled crime through the largest crime bill in the country's history. His term witnessed the longest peacetime expansion.

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George W. Bush

(1946)

Term of Office: 2001 - 2009



George W. Bush was the 43rd president. He won the biggest tax cut in American history. Popular for his "President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief" and the "Troubled Asset Relief Program", Bush was a great orator too.

Barack Obama

(1961)

Term of Office: 2009 - 2017



The country's 44th president, Obama was the first African-American president. His "America Recovery and Reinvestment Act" helped boost the country's economic growth. He won the Nobel Peace Prize in 2009.

Donald Trump

(1946)

Term of Office: 2017 - pres

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o things Trump, America's 45th ent, has excelled in, are jobs and nic growth. His administration has l almost 4 million jobs. His ation policies are designed to : Americans' interest and "make a great again".

