

DISABILITY JEOPARDY

The categories and questions below may be used as a template for developing a game of Disability Jeopardy. Instructors may use PowerPoint to create an interactive game. Go to <http://teach.fcps.net/trt10/PowerPoint.htm> for directions on how to create a Jeopardy game in PowerPoint and directions for how to play the game. Instructors may also choose to create a board game on their own. This is an excellent way to learn and review material.

Simple instructions for the board game:

1. Make a chart with 6 categories across the top that include History, Sports, Types of Disabilities, Famous People, and Miscellaneous.
2. Under each category place one question for 10, 20, 30, 40 and 50 points. The questions should get more difficult as you proceed from 10 points to 50 points. (The sample questions below are not currently organized to get progressively more difficult.)
3. Have class break into teams and each team is given the opportunity to pick a question from the game board.
4. Keep track of the points for each team and total them when all of the questions on the game board have been answered.
5. Announce the winners and/or debrief the game by discussing what new material the students learned from the game.

CATEGORY: HISTORY

1. What year was the Americans with Disabilities Act signed? Answer: 1990
2. What year was the American's with Disabilities Act amended? Answer: 2008
3. What is the name of the world's only university in which all programs and services are specifically designed to accommodate deaf and hard of hearing students? Answer: Gallaudet University
4. This medical practice was used historically and into the late 20th century on people with mental retardation in institutional care. Answer: Sterilization
5. What IQ test was originally designed to help identify children with learning disabilities, but that has often been used to isolate people with disabilities? Answer: Stanford-Binet IQ Test

CATEGORY: SPORTS

1. What famous cyclist won the Tour de France multiple times and is a cancer survivor? Answer: Lance Armstrong
2. What American female surfer lost her left arm to a shark attack in 2003 and later won the ESPY Award for the Best Comeback Athlete of the Year in 2004? Answer: Bethany Hamilton
3. What is the name of the Olympic diver who is a 6 time world champion and was diagnosed with HIV? Answer: Greg Louganis
4. What is the name of the Olympic runner who won her 10th career national championships in the 100-meter hurdles and was named the fastest woman in the world in 2001 and is diagnosed with Graves disease? Answer: Gail Devers

- 5 What is the name of the Golfer who has won 90 tournaments, a leader among active players on the PGA TOUR and is the career money list leader and is a stutterer? Answer: Tiger Woods

CATEGORY: TYPES OF DISABILITIES

- 1 What disability makes it tough to read and spell?
Answer: Dyslexia
- 2 What type of disability makes social interaction and communication difficult?
Answer: Autism
- 3 What is the name of the disability where one side of the body is paralyzed?
Answer: Hemiplegia
- 4 What is the name of the disability where people have difficulty staying awake in the daytime?
Answer: Narcolepsy
- 5 What type of disability may be aided by a cochlear implant?
Answer: Hearing Impairment

CATEGORY: FAMOUS PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES

- 1 What president may have suffered from melancholia—today’s form of depression?
Hint: Our 16th President
Answer: Abraham Lincoln
- 2 What famous blind musician signed with Motown Records at the age of 12 and continues to perform today?
Answer: Stevie Wonder
- 3 What famous actor lives with Parkinson’s Disease? Hint: He starred in *Back to the Future* and *Spin City*.
Answer: Michael J. Fox
- 4 What famous actor, director, producer was paralyzed in an accident during an equestrian competition? Hint: He starred in *Superman*
Answer: Christopher Reeve
- 5 What famous female actress has a learning disability? Hint: She starred in *Ghost*, *Sister Act*, *The Color Purple*.
Answer: Whoopi Goldberg

CATEGORY: MISCELLANEOUS

- 1 What is one of the three major requirements for a person to be considered a person with a disability according to the American’s with Disabilities Act?
Answer: (1) Has a condition that limits one or more major life activity, (2) has a record of such impairment, (3) or is considered to have such an impairment
- 2 What is the name of the device that has the ability to read printed material aloud?

Answer: Kurzweil Personal Reader

- 3 What brilliant atomic physicist, most famous for his Theory of Relativity may have had Asperger's syndrome and dyslexia?

Answer: Albert Einstein

- 4 What is the estimated percentage of people who live with disabilities worldwide?

Answer: roughly 600 million (World Health Organization)