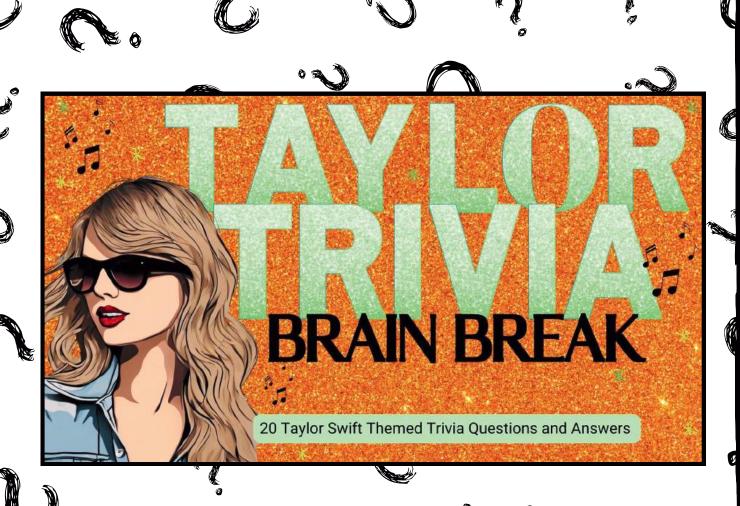
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Question and Answer Sheets

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INCLUDED IN THIS RESOURCE

- <u>Link</u> to the Taylor Trivia YouTube video quiz game (20 questions)
- Student answer sheets
- Modified student answer sheets for students of different ages/abilities
- Printable question and answer sheets (to use with or without the video)
- One page nonfiction reading sheet (Optional to practice revision/test taking skills)
- Answer key
- List of additional considerations, applications and implementation ideas
- ALL SORTS OF FUN!! :)

TAYLOR SWIFT TRIVIA

TIRED OF THE SAME OLD BRAIN BREAKS? I'VE GOT YOU COVERED.

DIRECTIONS

- 1. Play the video showcasing 20 themed trivia questions.
- 2. Using the the provided printable worksheets, or scratch paper, have students record their guesses.
- 3. During the answer portion of the slideshow/video pause to allow students to share out or discuss their ideas/guesses with the whole class, in small groups or in partnerships.
 - a. This step is optional, but I find that if you want to get your students talking, it works great. If you need a few minutes of silence... you can ban conversation and it works just fine that way too!
- 4. Reveal final answers.
- 5. Total up scores

Alternative Activity:

Play the first half of the trivia video game and have students make their guesses. Then, before showing the answers, ask them to read the nonfiction one pager and make revisions with the new information they learned. Then, reveal the correct answers.

** For your planning purposes, this trivia video is 9 minutes long.



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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION/IDEAS

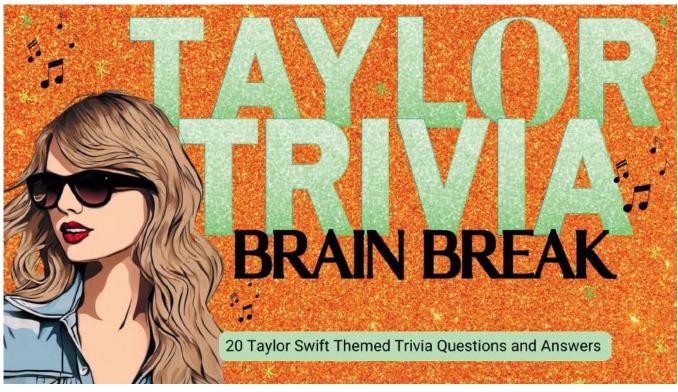
- 1. This activity can be used as a brain break, ice breaker or fun game.
 - a.In my classes we keep our teams the same for an entire quarter. We have a "leader board" where we keep a running score for all of our brain break games. This is great for team building or creating comradery in a classroom learning environment.:)
- 2. You can assign this to individuals (ie: in Google Classroom) to do on their own, or complete the challenge as a whole class activity using a screen and projector.
- 3. This activity can work well in person or via distanced learning.
- 4. Because the videos are on YouTube, this is an activity that students can easily try/repeat at home with family members. :)
- 5. Consider letting a classroom helper or leader be the "game show host" and call on classmates to share their ideas and reveal the answers.



Trivia Game Video Link

Use the below links to access the video for this activity. Click the title, image or link to get to the video!

TAYLOR TRIVIA VIDEO



This link will take you to the YouTube Video of Taylor Trivia questions: https://youtu.be/CHX0fpnVGf4?
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Taylor Swift - A Brief Bio

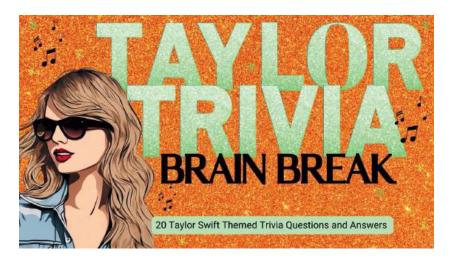
Taylor Swift is one of the most famous singers and songwriters in the world. She was born on December 13, 1989, in Pennsylvania, where she grew up on a Christmas tree farm. From the time she was young, Taylor loved writing and music. Her grandmother was an opera singer, and Taylor herself was named after the musician James Taylor. She even has a family connection to the famous poet Emily Dickinson—they are distant cousins!

Taylor's big break came in country music, but she quickly grew into a pop superstar. She has released many albums, including Fearless, 1989, Reputation, Lover, and Midnights. As of 2024, her music has won her 14 Grammy Awards, including four Album of the Year wins—more than any other artist. She also holds over 100 Guinness World Records and has sold more than 600 million albums worldwide. Some of her songs even include her own heartbeat as part of the music, like Wildest Dreams and You're Losing Me.

Fans know Taylor for her catchy songs, emotional lyrics, and amazing concerts. She is also famous for hosting Secret Sessions—special parties where a small group of fans got to hear her albums before they were released.

Outside of music, Taylor has acted in a few movies, including Valentine's Day and Cats. In Cats, she played the character Bombalurina and even co-wrote a song called Beautiful Ghosts. She is also known for her three cats: Meredith Grey, Olivia Benson, and Benjamin Button.

Taylor Swift has become more than just a singer— she is a cultural icon. She inspires fans with her creativity, kindness, and ability to reinvent herself again and again. From writing hit songs to breaking records, Taylor Swift continues to be one of the most important artists of her generation.



Taylor Swift Trivia Answer Sheet

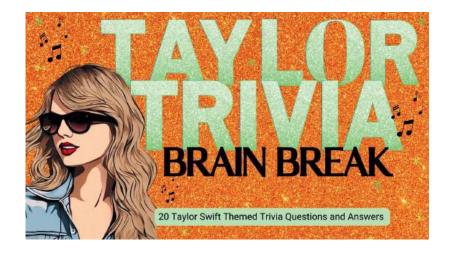
Directions:
Write your answers on the lines below.

Name/Team Name:	
1	11
2	12
3	13
4	14
5	15
6	16
7	17
8	18
9	19
10	20

Are you a Taylor Trivia Rockstar?



Trivia Video



Taylor Swift Trivia Answer Sheet

Directions: Circle your answer for each question below.

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Name/Team Name:	

- 1. A B C D
- 2. A B C D
- 3. A B C D
- 4. A B C D
- 5. A B C D
- 6. A B C D
- 7. A B C D
- 8. A B C D
- 9. A B C D
- 10. A B C D
- 11. A B C D
- 12. True or False
- 13. A B C D
- 14. A B C D
- 15. A B C D
- 16. A B C D
- 17. G_____ P____ B____ U ____
- 18. A B C D
- 19. A B C D
- 20. A B C D

Score:

/ 20

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Taylor Trivia



Are you a Taylor Trivia Rockstar? Take this Trivia quiz and find out!



- 1 What year was Taylor born? (Hint, it's the name of one of her albums!)
 - a) 1982
- b) 1989
- c) 1991
- d) 1998
- Who did Taylor's parents name her after? (Hint, it is another singer/songwriter!)
 - a) James Taylor
 - b) Roger Meddows Taylor (Queen)
 - c) Chip Taylor
 - d) Andy Taylor (Duran Duran)
- 3 On what kind of farm did Taylor grow up?
 - a) Dairy Farm
 - b) Livestock Ranch
 - c) Christmas Tree Farm
 - d) Wild Flower Farm

- How many feature-length movies include Taylor Swift in an acting role (not as herself)?
 - a) 2
 - b) 3
 - c) 4
 - d) 5
- 5 As a child, what was Taylor's first CD purchase?
 - a) Ace of Base The Sign
- b) LeAnn Rimes Blue
- c) Mariah Carey Daydream
- d) Whitney Houston The Bodyguard



- 6 What was Taylor's debut (first) ERA?
 - c) pop d) theatrical
 - a) doa
- b) duck
- c) cat

Taylor is a "pet-mom" to what kind of

- d) pig
- 8 For which accomplishment does Taylor Swift hold a Guinness World Record?
 - a) Most listens on Spotify

b) folk

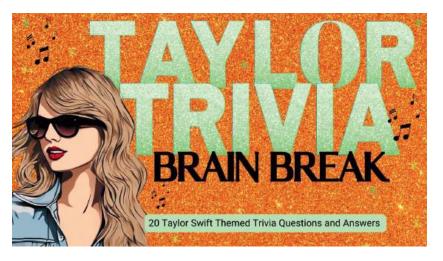
- b) First act to occupy the entire Top 10 on the Billboard Hot 100
- c) Highest grossing music tour
- d) All of the Above
- What is Taylor Swift's middle name?
 - a) Lynn

a) country

- b) Jo
- c) Marie
- d) Alison
- In 2008, what milestone event did Taylor skip in order to attended the Grammy's for her first time?
 - a) Her 18th birthday party
- b) Her senior prom
- c) Her high school graduation
- d) None of the above

What is the no	me of Taylor Sv	wift's Netflix docu	mentary? (Relea	ısed in 2020)	
a) Miss Americ	ana b) Radio P	'rincess			
c) Country Roo	ts d) Tear Dro	ops On My Guitar		Malla	
12 True or False:	Taylor Swift lau	ınched a perfume	called Wonders	struck.	
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b) Evermore					
c) Fearless	17 Tayl	lor Swift is known	to be able to pl	ay what 4 instr	ruments?
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		. Who are they? (c			(
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d) Dolly Parton	singer/philanthr	opist) e) Judy Go	arland (actress/si	nger)	44
f) Marjorie Finlo	y (an opera singe	er)			
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•	•	me Magazine's Po	erson of the Yed	ır?	
a) 2009 b) 3	2016 c) 2021	d) 2023			

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Taylor Swift Trivia Answer Key

Directions:
If you'd like to check student answers without the video, here is the answer key.

ANSWER KEY

1. B) 1989

2. A) James Taylor

3. C) Christmas Tree Farm

4. D) 5

5. B) LeAnn Rimes - Blue

6. A) Country

7. C) Cat

8. D) All of the Above

9. D) Alison

10. B) Her Senior Prom

11. A) Miss Americana

12. True

13. B) 13

14. B) Secret Sessions

15. C) Elbows

16. A) Reputation D) Folklore

17. Guitar, Piano, Banjo, Ukulele

18. D) Her own heartbeats

19. C) Emily Dickinson

F) Marjorie Finlay

20. D) 2023

Thanks for playing!
Check out more Brain Brains
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Trivia Video



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Red, orange, yellow, green, blue, white, and black with more coming!





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