

Inauguration Football Cards
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Directions:

1. The teacher will copy the 30 question cards onto cardstock.
2. Divide students into two groups.
3. Select one student to be the referee and one student to keep score.
4. Each team will place a marker at the 20 yard line of the opposing team.
5. Students on each team will answer questions related to the Super Bowl.
6. Cards that cannot be answered will be set aside for use later with the whole class.
7. During game time, each group will select a question card to answer within two minutes.
8. Each correct answer by a group advances that team/group 10 yards toward their end zone and that team maintains possession of the ball/gets another turn.
9. Incorrect answers will cause a team to lose possession of the ball/lose a turn.
10. Go back and forth until all question cards have been answered.
11. The team to get the most touchdowns wins!
12. The whole class will conduct research on the cards that were missed.

1. Who was the first president to take the oath of office in Washington, D.C.?

2. Which Washington DC church hosts the incoming President on the morning of the Inauguration?

3. What time does our Constitution require that the incoming President be sworn in?

4. What is the name of the helicopter that carries the former president?

5. Who administers the oath of office to the President?

6. Is the President or Vice President sworn in first?

7. How are the statues selected for the United States Statuary Hall?

8. When was the first televised Inauguration?

9. What are the three branches of government?

10. Who reviews the military units outside the U.S. Capitol?

11. What is the nickname of the Presidential limousine?

12. Who was the first President to get an official car?

13. What is the official name of the Vice President's residence?

14. What happens with the Inauguration of a President if January 20th falls on the weekend?

15. How is it legal to have prayer during the Inauguration if there's a separation of church and state?

16. Which president gave the shortest inaugural address?

Answers to Inauguration Day Football

1. Thomas Jefferson
2. St. John's Episcopal Church
3. Noon
4. Executive One
5. The Chief Justice of the Supreme Court
6. Vice President
7. Each state selects two people who represent the state.
8. In 1949 with President Harry S Truman
9. Legislative, Executive, Judicial
10. The incoming President
11. The Beast
12. President Taft (William Howard Taft)
13. Admiral's House
14. The President-elect must be sworn in on January 20 and a ceremonial inauguration takes place on Monday.
15. It is a practice that is traced back to the Founding Fathers and is therefore protected and is not a violation of the Establishment Clause.
16. George Washington (second time)
17. It is where the President-elect spends the night before Inauguration Day.
18. William Henry Harrison
19. It was the nation's capitol at the time.
20. President John F. Kennedy

17. How is Blair House used during the Inauguration of the President?

18. Who was the first president to die in office?

19. Why did George Washington take the oath in New York?

20. Which president is famous for this line?
"Ask not what your country can do for you; ask what you can do for your country."