

SCORING

1. Words containing 2-3 letters

Add up the total points/letter for each word, taking into account any letter placed on top of a double letter (DL) or triple letter (TL) space. If YES is clicked and you correctly identified the definition within 5 seconds, add 10 more points. If you answered after 5 seconds but before the time clock runs out, add 5 points. If YES is clicked and you do not know the definition, 2 points will be deducted. If NO is clicked, you do not know the definition, points are neither awarded nor deducted.

2. Words containing 4 or more letters

Add up the total points/letter for each word, accounting for any letter on a (DL) or (TL) space. If YES is clicked and your definition is correct, add 10 more points if answered within 5 seconds or 5 points if answered after 5 seconds. If YES is clicked, and you miss the definition or the time clock goes to zero, deduct 2 points. If NO is clicked, points are neither awarded nor deducted. Finally, multiply this number by 3X as a bonus for scoring 4+ letters in a word.

3. Words containing 4 or more letters played on a double word (DW) or triple word (TW) space.

Add up the total points/letter for each word, accounting for any on a (DL) or (TL) space. Multiply this total by 2X (DW) or 3X (TW). If you identified the correct definition, add 10 more points or 5 more points. Then, multiply this number by 3X as a bonus for scoring 4+ letters in a word.