

# Minnesota Master Naturalist JeoPARODY

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A pandemic program your chapter will enjoy!

Challenge players with a mix of easy and hard answer clues that are sometimes funny, sometimes down-right stumpers and sometimes a little "out there!"

A Parody of Jeopardy

- the television game show!

Template used:

[www.youthdownloads.com](http://www.youthdownloads.com)



## Categories and amounts screen

Players pick a category and amount - no order is necessary  
"I'll take Splish - Splash for \$500 please."



## Facilitation guide and rules of play

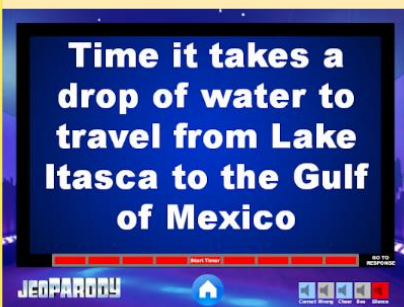
Designed for virtual play. Can be adapted to in person for youth and/or adults - for few to many players!

**Minnesota Master Naturalist Jeopardy  
Virtual Game Facilitator Guide and Rules of Play - 2020**  
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- Master Naturalist Jeopardy is just that - a parody of the television game show, with a nature theme. This guide is for online virtual play using the Zoom platform, it may be adapted for in-person individual or team play or for youth. Adjust the game by changing the categories, answer clues and questions. This version was designed for Master Naturalists.
- Game facilitation guidelines:**
- Host: introduces the game, shares the rules, runs the PowerPoint (PPT) and reads aloud the answer clues.
    - Announce the categories (mention that category names also serve as clues).
    - Check the box in the Zoom screen share to share computer sounds so players can hear them during game play.
  - Chat monitor: monitors the chat to determine order of players who "buzz in." They may also keep score - see below.
  - The chat monitor types "NEW" in the chat before each new answer clue is given to make it easily recognizable who the first player is to buzz in for each new answer clue.
  - Score keeper: two people may facilitate the game if there are up to 12 players, if more players, it is recommended to also have a score keeper. The score keeper types the names of the players on the scoresheet as people join the

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Host reads the answer clue



Player responds

In the form of a question



## Sample SCORESHEET

NAME & ROUND	BOBBI	SUZIE	SPOT	PLAYER 4
1	0	0	400	
2	0	100	0	
3	500	0	0	
4	500	0	0	
5	0	200	0	
<b>SUB TOTAL</b>	1000	300	400	
FINAL Jeopardy	0	1000	1000	
<b>FINAL TOTAL</b>	<b>1000</b>	<b>1300</b>	<b>1400</b>	

For more information:

To receive a copy of the Master Naturalist Jeopardy PowerPoint presentation, Guide and Rules of Play, and Scoresheet; or if after reading this you decide you don't want to facilitate a virtual Jeopardy game, but want to use the activity for a chapter meeting program; give us a shout - we may be able to guest facilitate:

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