

# What State Are You In?

Each card in this game names a major city in the United States that is not a state capital. Players earn points by naming the state in which each city is found.

**Purpose:** to practice and review knowledge of major U.S. cities

## Materials Needed:

- card stock of any color to print game cards and to mount rules and answer key
- laminating materials

## Construction:

1. Print game card pages on colored card stock. Laminate pages, then cut cards apart.
2. Trim rules box and answer key box. Mount them on the same color card stock as used for the game cards and laminate them.




















## Rules for “What State Are You In?”















This game is for two to three players and one scorekeeper. Paper and pencil are needed for keeping score. Players sit so that all may see the card. Scorekeeper sits opposite the players and holds the answer key.

1. Scorekeeper shuffles the cards and places them face down.
2. Scorekeeper turns first card up and places it in front of players.
3. If a player knows the state in which the city is found, player quietly places a hand over the card and says its name.
4. Scorekeeper checks the answer key and scores as follows:  
*Correct answer:* Win 2 points. Card goes to discard pile.  
*Incorrect answer:* Lose 2 points. Card goes to bottom of pile.
5. When all the cards are used or when game time is over, the player with the most points is the winner.

1.  <b>ALBUQUERQUE</b>	2.  <b>BALTIMORE</b>	3.  <b>BUFFALO</b>
4.  <b>CHARLOTTE</b>	5.  <b>CHICAGO</b>	6.  <b>CINCINNATI</b>
7.  <b>CLEVELAND</b>	8.  <b>DALLAS</b>	9.  <b>DETROIT</b>
10.  <b>EL PASO</b>	11.  <b>FORT WORTH</b>	12.  <b>HOUSTON</b>
13.  <b>JACKSONVILLE</b>	14.  <b>KANSAS CITY</b>	15.  <b>LOS ANGELES</b>

16.  <b>MEMPHIS</b>	17.  <b>MIAMI</b>	18.  <b>MILWAUKEE</b>
19.  <b>MINNEAPOLIS</b>	20.  <b>NEWARK</b>	21.  <b>NEW ORLEANS</b>
22.  <b>NEW YORK</b>	23.  <b>OMAHA</b>	24.  <b>PHILADELPHIA</b>
25.  <b>PITTSBURGH</b>	26.  <b>PORTLAND</b>	27.  <b>ST. LOUIS</b>
28.  <b>SAN ANTONIO</b>	29.  <b>SAN DIEGO</b>	30.  <b>SAN FRANCISCO</b>

31.  <b>SEATTLE</b>	32.  <b>TOLEDO</b>	33.  <b>TUCSON</b>
34.  <b>TULSA</b>	35.  <b>ORLANDO</b>	36.  <b>TAMPA</b>
37.  <b>BIRMINGHAM</b>	38.  <b>CHATTANOOGA</b>	39.  <b>RENO</b>
40.  <b>LAS VEGAS</b>	41.  <b>FLAGSTAFF</b>	42.  <b>TACOMA</b>



# Answer Key for "What State Are You In?"



1. New Mexico
2. Maryland
3. New York
4. North Carolina
5. Illinois
6. Ohio
7. Ohio
8. Texas
9. Michigan
10. Texas
11. Texas
12. Texas
13. Florida
14. Missouri or Kansas
15. California
16. Tennessee
17. Florida
18. Wisconsin
19. Minnesota
20. New Jersey
21. Louisiana
22. New York
23. Nebraska
24. Pennsylvania
25. Pennsylvania
26. Oregon or Maine
27. Missouri
28. Texas
29. California
30. California
31. Washington
32. Ohio
33. Arizona
34. Oklahoma
35. Florida
36. Florida
37. Alabama
38. Tennessee
39. Nevada
40. Nevada
41. Arizona
42. Washington