

# Hail to the Chief

## Set 1

Use reference books, the internet, and  
your own memory banks to answer  
the following trivia questions  
about the

### ***American Presidency.***

To help narrow your search,  
three possible answers are given.  
Write the correct one in the blank.



- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. What is the name of the oldest professional musical organization in the United States whose primary mission is to provide music for the nation's president?  
*the Sousa Military Band   the U.S. Marine Band   the West Point Band*
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. At six feet four inches, who was the tallest president?  
*John Quincy Adams   Abraham Lincoln   Ronald Reagan*
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Weighing only one hundred pounds and standing five feet four inches tall, he was the smallest chief executive.  
*Rutherford B. Hayes   James Madison   Martin Van Buren*
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. With a total of fifteen, he holds the record as the president with the most children. It was his second wife who initiated the practice of playing ***Hail to the Chief*** whenever a president appears in public.  
*Ulysses S. Grant   William Henry Harrison   John Tyler*
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Presidents John Adams and Thomas Jefferson died on the same day in 1826. Five years later, James Monroe died on the same calendar date. President Calvin Coolidge was born on this day in 1872. What date is common to all four presidents?  
*December 25   July 4   October 31*
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Currently, the salary for the job of president is \$400,000. What was George Washington's salary?  
*\$25,000   \$15,000   \$5,000*
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. Which college has the most presidents as alumni?  
*Yale   Harvard   West Point*
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. What is the President's house number and street address?  
*1600 Pennsylvania Ave.   110 Downing St.   1250 South Hayes St.*
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. What common food did Thomas Jefferson boldly eat in public to prove that it wasn't poisonous?  
*a cucumber   an avocado   a tomat*