Date Dash: Turkey

Welcome to Date Dash: Turkey, the board game that tests your knowledge of Turkish history!

Date Dash is a multiple-choice game designed to test your knowledge of history. In Date Dash: Turkey, the goal is to be the first player to correctly answer 7 questions first. Future editions of Date Dash will add cards and topics to the game and lengthen the finish line to 14 questions, 21 questions, etc. So, save the pieces from Date Dash: Turkey and watch for future editions!

For this board game, you will need:

3 players (one question reader and two players)*
one Date Dash Calendar Board for each player
pen, pencil, marker, or crayon for each player
one set of Date Dash: Turkey Q&A cards

*for more than 3 players, see variation at end of instructions

Set up:
On heavy cardstock, print the calendar board for each player. Also on heavy cardstock, print one set of Q&A cards. Cut the Q&A cards apart and shuffle them. Choose one player to read the questions throughout the game. Place the Q&A cards face down in front of the reader. Choose whether you will play Date Dash Level 1 or Date Dash Level 2. (Date Dash Level 1 tests the players' general knowledge of history. Example: Christopher Columbus discovered the New World in: 1192, **1492**, or 1992. Date Dash Level 2 tests the players' specific knowledge of history. Example: Christopher Columbus discovered the New World in: 1490, **1492**, or 1496.) The correct answer is bolded.

Rules of Play:
The reader draws the top card from the Q&A stack and reads the question to the player on his/her left. If the player correctly answers the question, the player marks a dash on the first date on the game board and the turn ends. If the player answers incorrectly, the turn is over and the reader replaces the card on the bottom of the stack, without revealing the correct answer. The reader then asks the second player the question from the next card in the Q&A stack.

Variation for More Than 3 Players:
If more than 3 players wish to play at one time, one player will be the reader and all other players will take part in each turn. The reader will read the question and then have each player write down his/her answer on a slip of paper. Once everyone has written down an answer, reveal the correct answer. Each player who has answered correctly can mark off a day on his/her calendar board. This variation allows for the possibility of a tied game.

<u>Variation for Two Players:</u>
Both players will need a Date Dash Calendar Board. Each player will take a turn at being the reader. The first reader will draw the top card and ask the question to the other player. If the player answers correctly, they will put a dash on the first space of their calendar board and their turn is over. If they answer incorrectly, their turn is over. In either case, the card is laid aside.

Then, the second player will draw the next card and ask the first player the question. Play continues in this way, with each person alternating between reader and player, until someone reaches 7 correct answers or all of the cards have been used. If no one reaches 7 correct answers before the pile of cards is finished, the player with the most questions answered correctly wins!

Watch for the next edition of Date Dash, and watch the length of the game—and your knowledge—grow!

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In what year did the Persians conquer the city of Sardis? Level 1: **545 BC**, 445 BC, or 345 BC Level 2: **545 BC**, 525 BC, or 505 BC	In what year did Darius I build a bridge of boats across the Bosporus? Level 1: 613 BC, **513 BC,** or 413 BC Level 2: 533 BC, **513 BC**, or 493 BC
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In what year was the city of Antioch founded? Level 1: c. 500 BC, c. 400 BC, or **c. 300 BC** Level 2: c. 340 BC, c. 320 BC, or **c. 300 BC**	In what year did Pompey conquer Anatolia? Level 1: **63 BC**, 63 AD, or 163 AD Level 2: **63 BC**, 43 BC, or 23 BC
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In what year was Byzantium renamed Constantinople and made the capital of the Roman Empire? Level 1: 230, **330**, or 430 Level 2: 310, **330**, or 350	In what year was the Roman army defeated at the Battle of Adrianople? Level 1: 178, 278, or **378** Level 2: 338, 358, or **378**
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In what year did construction begin on Hagia Sophia? Level 1: **532**, 632, or 732 Level 2: **532**, 552, or 572	In what year was the city of Sardis destroyed by Sasanian Persians? Level 1: 515, **615**, or 715 Level 2: 595, **615**, or 635
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In what year did the Seljuks defeat the Byzantine army at the Battle of Manzikert? Level 1: 871, 971, or **1071** Level 2: 1031, 1051, or **1071**	In what year was the city of Constantinople conquered by members of the Fourth Crusade? Level 1: **1204**, 1304, or 1404 Level 2: **1204**, 1224, or 1244

Date Dash: Turkey In what year did the Seljuk Empire end? Level 1: 1143, **1243**, or 1343 Level 2: 1223, **1243**, or 1263	Date Dash: Turkey In what year did Ottoman Turks capture the city of Bursa? Level 1: 1126, 1226, or **1326** Level 2: 1286, 1306, or **1326**
Date Dash: Turkey In what year was Ankara captured by the Ottoman Empire? Level 1: **1360**, 1460, or 1560 Level 2: **1360**, 1380, or 1400	Date Dash: Turkey In what year was the fortress of Rumeli Hisari built? Level 1: 1352, **1452**, or 1552 Level 2: 1432, **1452**, or 1472
Date Dash: Turkey In what year was Constantinople conquered by the Ottoman Empire? Level 1: 1253, 1353, or **1453** Level 2: 1413, 1433, or **1453**	Date Dash: Turkey In what year did Bayezit II begin his reign as sultan of the Ottoman Empire? Level 1: **1481**, 1581, or 1681 Level 2: **1481**, 1501, or 1521
Date Dash: Turkey In what year did Suleyman I begin his rule? Level 1: 1420, **1520**, or 1620 Level 2: 1500, **1520**, or 1540	Date Dash: Turkey In what year were the Ottoman Turks defeated at the Battle of Lepanto? Level 1: 1371, 1471, or **1571** Level 2: 1531, 1551, or **1571**
Date Dash: Turkey In what year did the Young Turks lead a revolt against Sultan Abdulhamit II? Level 1: **1908**, 1958, or 2008 Level 2: **1908**, 1928, or 1948	Date Dash: Turkey In what year did the Gallipoli campaign begin? Level 1: 1815, **1915**, or 2015 Level 2: 1895, **1915**, or 1935

Date Dash: Turkey In what year was the Treaty of Sévres signed? Level 1: 1720, 1820, or **1920** Level 2: 1880, 1900, or **1920**	Date Dash: Turkey In what year did Ankara become the capital of Turkey? Level 1: **1923**, 1963, or 2003 Level 2: **1923**, 1943, or 1963
Date Dash: Turkey In what year was Istanbul made the official name of Constantinople? Level 1: 1880, **1930**, or 1980 Level 2: 1910, **1930**, or 1950	Date Dash: Turkey In what year did Kemal Atatürk, the first president of the Republic of Turkey, die? Level 1: 1738, 1838, or **1938** Level 2: 1898, 1918, or **1938**
Date Dash: Turkey In what year were the Rock Sites of Cappadocia named a World Heritage Site? Level 1: 1955, **1985**, or 2015 Level 2: 1975, **1985**, or 1995	Date Dash: Turkey In what year did Turkey enter World War II? Level 1: 1845, 1895, or **1945** Level 2: 1905, 1925, or **1945**
Date Dash: Turkey In what year was Turkey's current constitution adopted? Level 1: 1952, **1982**, or 2012 Level 2: 1972, **1982**, or 1992	Date Dash: Turkey In what year did the Marmaray rail tunnel open in Istanbul? Level 1: 1813, 1913, or **2013** Level 2: 1973, 1993, or **2013**
Date Dash: Turkey In what year was the Treaty of Passarowitz signed? Level 1: **1718**, 1818, or 1918 Level 2: **1718**, 1738, or 1758	Date Dash: Turkey In what year did the last of the Russo-Turkish Wars begin? Level 1: 1677, 1777, or **1877** Level 2: 1837, 1857, or **1877**

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Date Dash Calendar Board

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				