

Hilarious George

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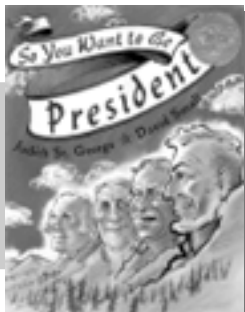
Don't read this story yet. First have a partner read off the words in the box on the left. Tell him a word that fits and write it in. Next have the partner read the story below aloud, using the words you chose.

1. _____
adjective (ends in est)
2. _____
occupation
3. _____
body part
4. _____
number
5. _____
famous female
6. _____
adjective
7. _____
adjective
8. _____
verb (past tense)
9. _____
food
10. _____
noun
11. _____
noun
12. _____
noun (plural)

George Washington was America's _____ 1 president. He is often referred to as the _____ 2 of our country. He is so famous, his _____ 3 appears on the front of the _____ 4 dollar bill.

George and his wife _____ 5 lived on a _____ 6 plantation in Mt. Vernon, Virginia. People say that George had a set of _____ 7 teeth. There is also a rumor that he _____ 8 down his father's _____ 9 tree. When asked whether he did it, George supposedly said, "I cannot tell a _____ 10. I did it."

Even though he was a great president and general, George really preferred tending his _____ 11. His specialty was breeding _____ 12.



This activity is based on *So You Want to Be President* by Judith St. George.

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