Fun Facts About Presidents

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George Washington was the 1st President of the United States and his favorite food was ice cream.

Jimmy Carter, the 39th President, was a peanut farmer and Ronald Reagan, the 40th President, was a movie actor.

The White House was named by Theodore Roosevelt, the 26th President.

James Garfield, the 20th President, was the first left handed President.

James Polk, the 11th President, was the first President to have his picture taken.

Abraham Lincoln, the 16th President, was the tallest U.S. President at 6 feet, 4 inches



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 - B. Ice Cream
 - C. Chocolate
 - D. Pizza
- 2. Before Ronald Reagan was president, he was a ______
 - A. Movie Actor
 - B. Peanut Farmer
 - C. Circus Clown
 - D. The 39th President
- 3. James Garfield was the first President to be ______
 - A. Elected
 - B. Photographed
 - C. Left handed
 - D. Right handed
- 4. James Polk was the first President to have _____
 - A. An airplane
 - B. A house
 - C. His picture taken
 - D. His hair fall out
- 5. How tall was Abraham Lincoln?
 - A. 4 feet, 6 inches
 - B. 6 feet, 4 inches
 - C. 8 feet, 4 inches
 - D. 6 feet, 6 inches

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