



Gaming

Welcome to Date One of **The Can't Wait Date Challenge**. If you are actually on your date, you have done what sometimes seems impossible; you have made time for you and your spouse to have some fun. And that is what **The Can't Wait Date Challenge** is all about, especially this date, because tonight you are going to focus on one thing: having fun together. You are going to enjoy a little GAMING.

(Please note: If GAMING is a bad word to you, take a breath, This GAMING is different.)

Get Ready: All you will need is this printout, two pencils and Play-Doh or modeling clay.

Go Out:

1. Start driving to your dinner destination.
2. While driving, the passenger will ask the driver to provide a word for each of the required blanks.
3. As the driver gives each answer, the passenger will write down the answer in each blank spot.

Mad Dibs: Top Nine Tips For A Fun Marriage

1. Guys, make sure you help around the house by _____ in a _____ costume.
(chore ending in "-ing") *(favorite superhero)*
2. Gals, you will drive your husband wild when you wear your wool _____ and your _____ jersey to bed.
(favorite sports team) *(article of clothing)*
3. Gals, he loves it when you call him pet names like "little _____" or "big _____."
(farm animal) *(fruit or vegetable)*
4. Guys, remind your mother-in-law often how much she reminds you of _____.
(favorite movie villain)
5. Gals, remind him daily that you really appreciate his ability to _____ while _____.
(verb) *(verb ending with "-ing")*
6. No matter how badly her cooking tastes, never tell her it tastes like an old pair of _____.
(favorite type of footwear)
7. Admire your spouse's _____ every chance you get.
(adjective) *(body part(s))*
8. Speak in a _____ accent each time you _____ together.
(foreign language) *(verb)*
9. Each morning, give your spouse a _____ kiss and a _____ hug.
(adjective) *(adjective)*





Dare Me: Tell the waiter to surprise you with dinner. You can give him/her a price limit and one other caveat (e.g., no fish, no dairy, no fun, etc.).

Do It: As you dine, answer the following “Would You Rathers”:

Guys: Ask your wife these questions...

1. Would you rather go for a walk outside together or sit and drink coffee together?
2. Would you rather be stuck in an elevator with two wet dogs or two men with really bad breath?
3. Would you rather have 24 hours away by yourself, or have 24 hours away with your closest girlfriend(s)?
4. Would you rather be a giant hamster or be a tiny rhino?
5. Would you rather I go “all out” for your birthday or for Christmas?
6. Would you rather have a tattoo on your arm of Wonder Woman or Bat Girl?

Gals: Ask your husband these questions...

1. Would you rather have 24 hours away by yourself, or have 24 hours away with your buddies?
2. Would you rather ride a roller coaster for 24 hours straight or eat nothing but Spam for three days?
3. Would you rather give up the Internet/email for a week or give up coffee/tea for a week?
4. Would you rather be a ninja or a pirate?
5. Would you rather have a reputation of being someone who is “smart” or being someone who is “funny”?
6. Would you rather have to shout everything you say or hop everywhere you go?

Now it’s time for **GAMING** and dessert. But first, as you drive to your favorite dessert location, fill in the following blanks:

- ★ I LOVE SEEING HOW _____ BRINGS YOU SO MUCH JOY.
- ★ MY FAVORITE INSIDE JOKE WE HAVE IS _____.

Once you arrive at your dessert location, follow these instructions. Start separately, but at the same time.

1. Either with your eyes closed or using your nondominant hand, draw something in the space provided that is related to the following: My favorite gift I have ever received from you was—

2. Using the Play-Doh or modeling clay, sculpt something related to the following: The most fun thing we’ve done over the last 12 months is—



Picture It: Take a picture of your spouse with his or her drawing and sculpture and set it as wallpaper on your phone. It's a BONUS if you post it using #AIMdates.

Keep It Going: On your drive home, determine one way you can have 30 minutes of fun together this week, AND put it on the calendar.

