WHAT GAME FIRST?



Here is an easy way to play What Came First over video conferencing with up to four teams. Before you set up a call with your far-flung friends, don't forget to read the rules in the game beforehand or watch the how to play video on YouTube. Once you've explained the premise of the game to them, follow these simple instructions:

- I The person who owns the game (you!) will be the Question Master and Keeper-of-Scores. But don't worry, you can play along too!
- 2 To keep things simple, don't bother moving counters around the board. Just keep score on some paper and the first team to collect 15 points is the winner.
- 3 Now tell each team which colour chips they'll be betting with and get them to find an object of the same colour to keep on screen as a mascot.
- 4 To make things easier to remember, call each team after their colour, e.g. Pink Team, Black Team...etc.
- 5 Begin the game by reading out a question and holding it up to the camera. (If you're playing along too, then be careful not to see the answer on the back.)
- 6 Now ask each team in turn what they think the answer is, how much they want to bet and if they want to place a chip on the 'Year'.
- 7 Once all bets have been placed, the Question Master reveals the answer, but not the year. Any team that got the answer right and placed a chip on the 'Year' can have a stab at the year.
- The Question Master now dishes out the points and takes points away, if necessary. (Teams can go into the minuses!)
- 9 The Question Master draws a new card and off you go again, with a new team betting first.
- 10 The first to 15 points wins!

