

**Metodický list**

**Famous Americans**

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Konec formuláře

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1. Which famous Americans do you know and what can you tell us about them?
2. Match pictures to the names and jobs

Katy Perry Serena Williams Tom Hanks Abraham Lincoln Ernest Hemingway

    

singer president sportswoman writer actor

1. Correct the mistakes.
2. George Washington was the first American writer.

b) Johnny Depp starred in Titanic.

c) J. K. Rowling, who wrote Harry Potter, is American.

d) God Save the Queen is the name of the American anthem.

e) Barack Obama is the American president now.

1. Information gap

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| **Student A** | BORN | DIED | JOB | INTERESTING FACT |
| Angelina Jolie | [1975](https://cs.wikipedia.org/wiki/1975) | X | actress |  |
| Madonna |  | X |  | Referred to as the "[Queen of Pop](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Honorific_nicknames_in_popular_music)" |
| Benjamin Franklin |  | 1790 | politician |  |
| John Steinbeck | 1902 |  |  | The winner of the Nobel Prize |
| Steve Jobs |  | 2011 | businessman |  |

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| Student B | BORN | DIED | JOB | INTERESTING FACT |
|  Angelina Jolie |  | X |  | 3 children + 3 adopted children from Asia and Africa |
| Madonna | 1958 | X | singer |  |
| Benjamin Franklin | 1706 |  |  | His head is on the $100 bill |
| John Steinbeck |  | 1968 | writer |  |
| Steve Jobs | 1955 |  |  | The co-founder of Apple |

1. Dialogue making

Choose a person from Exercise 3 and in pairs make interview with that person using the following questions. Switch the roles.

1. What was your childhood like?
2. Have you ever wanted to do this job?
3. What are the positives of being a famous person?
4. What do you like doing in your free time?
5. American Idol

Choose a famous American that you admire and talk about him/her in pairs.