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CHALLENGE QUESTION

What is the name of America's space agency?

QUIZ QUESTIONS

1. **The recent winter blast along the east coast was called ...**
 - A. arctic explosion
 - B. frigid hurricane
 - C. bomb cyclone
2. **The unlikely state that saw snow was ...**
 - A. Florida
 - B. New Mexico
 - C. Louisiana
3. **Kentucky's legislative session is longer in years that are ...**
 - A. even-numbered
 - B. odd-numbered
 - C. leap years
4. **True or False?**

The Kentucky General Assembly is divided into three chambers.
5. **The new tax overhaul law is the first of its kind since ...**
 - A. 2011
 - B. 1986
 - C. 1945
6. **Locate Iraq on the map.**
7. **Inventor Elvis Cero's electric car could help fix big city problems including ...**
 - A. parking
 - B. pollution
 - C. both A & B
8. **Habitat for Humanity uses wood from the Christmas tree that stands in ...**
 - A. White House
 - B. Rockefeller Center
 - C. Ellipse
9. **Locate South Africa on the map.**
10. **The Ukrainian hurdy gurdy instrument is known as a ...**
 - A. lira
 - B. ukulele
 - C. lute

OPINION QUESTION

What historical figure do you admire most? Why?



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Terms used in this week's **News Quiz**:

East Coast
bomb cyclone
North Carolina
South Carolina
Georgia
Florida
Maine
Kentucky General Assembly
senate
house of representatives
chambers
senator
Frankfort, Kentucky
capital
legislative session
biennial
odd-numbered
even-numbered
pension
retirement
legislature
President Donald Trump
border security
President Ronald Reagan
trillion
economy
deficit
ISIS or Islamic State
extremist group
Iraq
Saudi Arabia

Iran
Middle East
Baghdad, Iraq
Mosul, Iraq
Elvis Cero
Bosnia
“Go City”
carbon footprint
euro
Rockefeller Center
New York
Habitat for Humanity
refurbish
South Africa
African penguin
South Atlantic Ocean
Indian Ocean
habitat
Penguin Monitors
hurdy gurdy
lira
Ukraine
Kentucky's Old State Capitol
commonwealth
architect
Owensboro, Kentucky
Newton Parrish Elementary
keystone
“Star Wars”
eBay
United Kingdom



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[Bomb cyclone explained](#) from “The Washington Post”
[Bombogenesis](#) from NOAA.gov – the National Ocean Service
[Snow, Travel Chaos](#) from NBCNews.com

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[Kentucky Legislature Kids' Pages](#)
[Legislative Coverage](#) from KET.org
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* **President Trump Introduces Tax Plan**

[Tax Reform: Where Have We Been and Where Are We Going?](#) from WhiteHouse.gov
[A New Tax Law](#) from TimeForKids.com

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[About Habitat for Humanity](#) from Habitat.org
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[Ukraine Musical Instruments](#) Lira (hurdy-gurdy)
[What is a hurdy gurdy?](#) Meaning, Music and Parts from Study.com
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[Old State Capitol](#) from KentuckyTourism.com
[Tour the Old State Capitol](#) from History.ky.gov

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[Star Wars: The Last Jedi Commemorative Banknote Produced for Charity](#) from CoinWeek.com