Caption This!

Studying photographs is a great way to involve everyone in the family. Try out this game using historical photographs from the Desert Caballeros Western Museum collection.

Supplies

- Print photographs or show images on a device
- Scrap paper
- Pencil

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**Step 1:** Make sure everyone has a piece of paper and a pencil. (For younger participants, have them team up so an older participant can write down their responses.)

**Step 2:** Pass around the 1st photo. Examine the photo and then write down a caption or title for the photo. Wait until everyone has a chance to write down an answer.

**Step 3:** One by one, have everyone share their “Caption”.

**Step 4:** After all are shared, vote for the favorite caption.

**Step 5:** Continue in the same manner for the remaining photographs.

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Print and cut out photographs.

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Try out these other fun photo activities.

**Option 1:** After you have captions for the photos, you can then tell or write a story based on the theme you have started. Use your imagination and be creative!

**Option 2:** Interested in teaching a lesson? Historical photos can also be used to start conversations about fashion trends, social issues, and varying perspectives.

**Option 3:** Find funny photos in your own collection to “caption”.

**Option 4:** Take a step back in time by going to [www.westernmuseum.org](http://www.westernmuseum.org) to explore more historical photographs.