

The background is white with scattered red and blue stars of various sizes and small red and blue dots. The text is centered and uses a bold, rounded font with a blue outline.

**4TH OF JULY**

**TRIVIA  
CARDS**

The United States of America was originally made up of how many colonies?

13

On the original flag, in what shape were the stars laid out?

CIRCLE

The capital of the United States is Washington DC, but it used to be...

PHILADELPHIA

What bird did Benjamin Franklin want to be the national bird (instead of the Bald Eagle?)

TURKEY

Who was the principal author of the Declaration of Independence?

THOMAS JEFFERSON

Today the American flag has how many stars?

50

The first president of the United States was

GEORGE WASHINGTON

How many people signed the Declaration of Independence?

56

Who wrote the lyrics to "The Star-Spangled Banner?"

FRANCIS SCOTT KEY

What year were fireworks first used to celebrate the 4th of July?

1777

What President was born on the 4th of July?

CALVIN COOLIDGE

Name 3 presidents who have died July 4

JOHN ADAMS  
THOMAS JEFFERSON  
JAMES MONROE

What is considered  
the most American  
dessert?

APPLE PIE

In what state was  
July 4 declared an  
official holiday?

MASSACHUSETTS

On what day did  
the majority of the  
people sign the  
Declaration of  
Independence?

AUGUST 2 1776

Who was the oldest  
person elected as  
president?

RONALD  
REAGAN

Where is the oldest  
functioning airport  
in the USA?

COLLEGE  
PARK  
MARYLAND

How many hot  
dogs are being  
consumed each  
year on the 4th of  
July?

150 MILLION

Who sewed the  
first US flag?

BETSY ROSS

What does 13  
stripes on the U.S.  
flag indicate?

13 ORIGINAL  
COLONIES

How tall is the  
Statue of Liberty?

151 FEET TALL

How much money  
is spent on  
fireworks every  
year?

211 MILLION

Who wrote the  
Pledge of  
Allegiance?

FRANCIS  
BELLAMY

What are the first  
seven words of the  
Declaration of  
Independence?

"WHEN IN THE  
COURSE OF  
HUMAN EVENTS.