

## South Dakota Farm Kid Takes on Reality Show Challenge

## **Description**

Kelley Jorgensen is a 29-year-old web designer from South Dakota. She grew up on a farm and will be one of at least 16 contestants on Season 27 of "Big Brother," a show on CBS.

Kelley lives in Burbank, a small town with fewer than 100 people. She says, "I have farm kid grit." This means she works hard and does not give up easily. Kelley points out that in her school, her class had just 64 students. They were together from kindergarten to graduation, so she is used to being around the same people. She thinks this will help her in the game.

Kelley has traveled a lot. She has been to all 50 U.S. states and 42 countries. She is comfortable staying in hostels and sharing spaces with others. She believes this will help her in the "Big Brother" house.

"Big Brother" is a reality show where people live in a house with cameras watching them all the time. Each week, someone gets voted out. The last person wins \$750,000.

The show starts on July 10 at 7 p.m. Central time on CBS.

# **Vocabulary List:**

- 1. Contestant /kən'tɛstənt/ (noun): A person who participates in a competition or contest.
- 2. **Reality** /ri'ælɪti/ (noun): The state of things as they actually exist rather than as they may appear or might be imagined.
- 3. Voted /vootid/ (verb): To express a choice or opinion in a decision-making process.
- 4. **Grit** /grɪt/ (noun): Courage and resolve; strength of character.
- 5. Contest /kən'tɛst/ (noun): An event in which people compete for a prize.
- 6. **Graduation** /grædʒʊ'eɪʃən/ (noun): The receiving of a degree or diploma on completing a course of study.

## **Comprehension Questions**

#### **Multiple Choice**

1. Where is Kelley Jorgensen from?

Option: California



Option: South Dakota Option: New York Option: Texas

2. How many contestants are there on Season 27 of "Big Brother" where Kelley is participating?

Option: 16 Option: 18 Option: 20 Option: 22

3. How many U.S. states has Kelley visited?

Option: 48 Option: 50 Option: 52 Option: 46

4. In which town does Kelley live?

Option: Burbank Option: Chicago Option: Miami Option: Seattle

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Option: Travel experiences

Option: Farm kid grit

Option: Large social media following

Option: Gaming skills

6. What is the grand prize for the winner of "Big Brother"?

Option: \$500,000 Option: \$750,000 Option: \$1,000,000 Option: \$250,000

### **True-False**

7. Kelley Jorgensen has never left the U.S.



8.	Each	week.	someone	aets	eliminated	on	"Bia	Brother

- 9. Kelley was homeschooled instead of attending school with her 64 classmates.
- 10. Kelley believes her travel experiences will not be helpful in the "Big Brother" house.
- 11. The show "Big Brother" has been on air for 27 seasons.
- 12. The "Big Brother" house is closely monitored with cameras.

#### **Gap-Fill**

13. Kelley Jorgensen is a	year-old web designer from South Dakota.
14. Kelley has traveled to a total of	countries.
15. Kelley mentions that her class had	students from kindergarten to graduation.
16. The "Big Brother" show starts on July	at 7 p.m. Central time on CBS.
17. Kelley expresses that her upbringing on a farm	m gave her "farm kid"
18. The town where Kelley lives has fewer than	people.

### **Answer**

Multiple Choice: 1. South Dakota 2. 16 3. 50 4. Burbank 5. Farm kid grit 6. \$750,000

True-False: 7. False 8. True 9. False 10. False 11. True 12. True

Gap-Fill: 13. 29 14. 42 15. 64 16. 10 17. grit 18. 100

## Vocabulary quizzes

#### Multiple Choice ( Select the Correct answer for each question. )

1. Who participates in a competition or game?

Option: Viewers Option: Judges



Option: Contestant

Option: Hosts

2. What is the method of transmitting or receiving data over a computer network as a steady continuous flow?

Option: Broadcasting Option: Streaming Option: Downloading Option: Uploading

3. What characteristics or qualities does something possess?

Option: Parts Option: Features **Option: Functions** Option: Designs

4. What is made or manufactured?

Option: Repaired Option: Recycled Option: Produced Option: Discarded

NEWS.COM 5. What is the state of being a partner or partners?

Option: Aloneness Option: Competition Option: Partnership Option: Separation

6. What is the feeling of expectation and desire for a certain thing to happen?

Option: Despair Option: Hope

Option: Indifference

Option: Anger

7. What is the desired outcome or purpose?

Option: Obstacle Option: Challenge Option: Goal Option: Setback

8. What is a journey for pleasure in which several different places are visited?

Option: Trip

Option: Expedition



Option: Tour
Option: Travel
9. What is it called when information or news is made known or declared publicly?
Option: Whisper
Option: Announce
Option: Conceal
Option: Withhold
10. Who are enthusiastic admirers or followers of a public figure or a sport?
Option: Critic
Option: Fans
Option: Opponents
Option: Enemies
Gap-Fill (Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list.)
11. Quality is of importance in this project.
12. Buying in bulk is usually than purchasing single items.
13. The group made a decision to move forward together.
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14. After much discussion we finally reached a on the best course of action.
15. The children were about the upcoming trip to the amusement park.
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16. After completing his studies he attended his ceremony.
17. It is important to establish a routine for a healthy lifestyle.
18. The movie had a ending that brought tears to the audience.
19. Effective of resources is crucial for project success.
20. Please enjoy your movie experience on our platform.
Matching Sentences ( Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list. )

21. The TV show presented a raw and unscripted depiction of life.



- 22. The citizens for their favorite candidate in the elections.
- 23. She faced challenges with determination and perseverance.
- 24. Participants compete against each other to win a prize.
- 25. The movie was created and brought to life by a talented team.
- 26. The CEO made the decision public at the company meeting.
- 27. He collaborated closely with his on the project.
- 28. The team encountered various challenges during the project.
- 29. The artist's eagerly awaited the release of the new album.
- 30. She had an extensive of rare coins from around the world.

### **Answer**

**Multiple Choice:** 1. Contestant 2. Streaming 3. Features 4. Produced 5. Partnership 6. Hope 7. Goal 8. Tour 9. Announce 10. Fans

**Gap-Fill:** 11. paramount 12. cheaper 13. collective 14. consensus 15. excited 16. graduation 17. normal 18. touching 19. management 20. viewing

Matching sentence: 1. Reality 2. Voted 3. Grit 4. Contest 5. Produced 6. Announced 7. Colleague 8. Problems 9. Fans 10. Collection

#### **CATEGORY**

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