

Texas Rangers Trivia: Questions, Answers, and Facts  
Printable Trivia Pack

Texas Rangers trivia spans the MLB club's journey from its origins as the Washington Senators to its move to Arlington in 1972 and rise as a fixture in the American League. From Hall of Fame talent and postseason breakthroughs to memorable records and rivalries, it offers a sharp, family-friendly way to explore one of baseball's most recognizable Texas franchises.

**HARD TEXAS RANGERS TRIVIA**

1. Which Hall of Fame slugger was in the dugout as manager for the franchise from 1969 through 1972, spanning its final Washington years and first Texas season?

Answer: Ted Williams

2. Before the club's move south, who held the franchise record with 237 home runs for the Washington Senators/Texas Rangers organization?

Answer: Frank Howard

3. When the Rangers opened their first season in Texas in 1972, what ballpark did they call home?

Answer: Arlington Stadium

4. Under Billy Martin, in what year did the Rangers post their first winning season in Texas?

Answer: 1974

5. Which pitcher became the first in Rangers history to win 20 games in a season, reaching the mark in 1974?

Answer: Ferguson Jenkins

6. Who captured the 1972 American League Cy Young Award while wearing a Rangers uniform?

Answer: Gaylord Perry

7. Which Rangers infielder reeled off six straight Gold Gloves from 1979 through 1984?

Answer: Buddy Bell

8. On what date did the Rangers record the first no-hitter in franchise history, with Charlie Hough on the mound?

Answer: September 11, 1990

9. Who authored the first complete-game victory in Rangers postseason history, doing it in Game 1 of the 1996 ALDS?

Answer: Kevin Brown

10. In what year did the Rangers sign Iván Rodríguez as an amateur free agent out of Puerto Rico?

Answer: 1988

11. What season saw Alex Rodriguez win the American League MVP while playing for Texas?

Answer: 2003

12. Which longtime Ranger rose to become the club's all-time hits leader during his tenure?

Answer: Michael Young

13. In the 2011 World Series, how many times were the Rangers one strike away from the championship in Game 6 before ultimately losing the series in seven games?

Answer: Twice

14. How many home runs did Nelson Cruz hit in the 2011 ALCS, tying the series record at the time?

Answer: Six

#### FUNNY TEXAS RANGERS TRIVIA

1. The Rangers sound like they should arrive on horseback with badges. Which real Texas law enforcement agency shares their name?

Answer: The Texas Ranger Division.

2. True or false: Texas has two MLB teams both called the Rangers, just to keep scoreboards extra confusing.?

Answer: False

3. When the Texas summer starts acting like a hair dryer, what kind of ballpark setup do the Rangers now use?

Answer: An air-conditioned retractable-roof stadium.

4. The Rangers pulled off a championship plot twist: they won a World Series title in what place before winning one at home in Arlington?

Answer: Arizona.

5. How long after the franchise moved to Texas did the Rangers finally get their first championship parade?

Answer: More than 50 years.

6. Which Rangers legend was also famously protective of his head like it was a museum exhibit?

Answer: Adrián Beltrán.

7. After all those years of firing no-hitters past hitters, what front-office role did Nolan Ryan hold with the Rangers?

Answer: President.

8. In the 2023 ALCS between Texas and Houston, how many straight games were won by the road team?

Answer: Seven straight road-team wins.

9. Which year is associated with a key milestone for Texas Rangers?

Answer: Their third World Series appearance.

10. The Rangers franchise has worn two very different civic hats. Which pair of places fits its history?

Answer: The U.S. capital and Texas.

11. Their nickname sounds like lawmen, but in MLB they actually compete in which league?

Answer: The American League.

12. Multiple choice: if the Rangers ever formed a baseball posse, their shared name would come from which famous agency?

Answer: The Texas Ranger Division.

13. If you say, 'There are two Texas MLB teams, and the other one is the Rangers too,' which club proves that sentence wrong?

Answer: The Astros.

### FUN TEXAS RANGERS TRIVIA

1. Before they were the Texas Rangers, what was the franchise called in Washington, D.C.?

Answer: The Washington Senators.

2. True or false: when the club became the Rangers, it started as an entirely new franchise with no connection to the old Senators.?

Answer: False

3. Which ballpark was scheduled to host the 2024 MLB All-Star Game?

Answer: Globe Life Field.

4. The Rangers turned road trips into a cheat code in 2023. What was their postseason road record?

Answer: 11-0.

5. In what state did Texas clinch the 2023 World Series title?

Answer: Arizona.

6. What unusual first happened when the Rangers won the 2023 World Series?

Answer: They won their first World Series before ever winning a home World Series game.

7. Who launched the go-ahead homer in the decisive Game 5 of the 2023 World Series?

Answer: Marcus Semien.

8. Which Rangers pitcher earned the win in the World Series clincher in 2023?

Answer: Nathan Eovaldi.

9. Who got the final out for Texas in the 2023 World Series?

Answer: Josh Sborz.

10. Which team did the Rangers broom right out of the 2023 ALDS?

Answer: The Baltimore Orioles.

11. Who took home ALCS MVP honors for Texas in 2023?

Answer: Adolis Garc a.

12. How many RBIs did Adolis Garc a rack up to set a single-postseason record in 2023?

Answer: 22 RBIs.

13. Who was the Rangers' opponent in the 2011 World Series?

Answer: The St. Louis Cardinals.

#### TEXAS RANGERS FAMILY TRIVIA

1. In what year did the Texas Rangers play their first game at Globe Life Field?

Answer: 2020

2. What special feature lets Globe Life Field open or close the top of the stadium?

Answer: A retractable roof

3. True or false: The Rangers are one of two MLB teams in Texas.?

Answer: True

4. Which year gave the Rangers their first AL West division title from this list?

Answer: 1996

5. True or false: The Rangers were AL West champions in 1998. Is that true or false?

Answer: True

6. What year completed the Rangers' run of AL West titles in 1996, 1998, and \_\_\_\_?

Answer: 1999

7. After a long gap, the Rangers won the AL West again in what year?

Answer: 2015

8. Which year came right after 2015 as another AL West-winning season for Texas?

Answer: 2016

9. What major career milestone did Adri n Beltr  reach with the Rangers in 2017?

Answer: His 3,000th career hit

10. Who was named World Series MVP for the Rangers in 2023?

Answer: Corey Seager

11. Who managed the Rangers to the 2023 World Series title?

Answer: Bruce Bochy

12. The Rangers' ballpark sits in which city between Dallas and Fort Worth?

Answer: Arlington

## EASY TEXAS RANGERS TRIVIA

1. What Texas city is home to the Rangers?

Answer: Arlington, Texas

2. Which MLB division do the Texas Rangers play in?

Answer: American League West

3. In what year was the franchise established as the Washington Senators expansion team?

Answer: 1961

4. What season year marked the move from Washington, D.C., to Texas?

Answer: 1972

5. What is the name of the Rangers' current home ballpark?

Answer: Globe Life Field

6. Before moving to Globe Life Field, where did the Rangers play in Arlington?

Answer: Globe Life Park

7. What year did the Rangers win their first World Series title?

Answer: 2023

8. Which team did Texas beat in the 2023 World Series?

Answer: Arizona Diamondbacks

9. Which two colors stand out on the Rangers' home uniforms?

Answer: Royal blue and red

10. Which Hall of Fame pitcher was with the Rangers from 1989 through 1993?

Answer: Nolan Ryan

11. Which longtime Rangers star spent most of his MLB career as a catcher for Texas?

Answer: Ivan Rodriguez

12. What was the first year of the Rangers' back-to-back World Series appearances in 2010 and 2011?

Answer: 2010

13. What was the second year of the Rangers' back-to-back World Series trips?

Answer: 2011

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