Read and Use a Picture Graph

Here's How

This picture graph shows the ages of some men when they became President.

Ages of Some Men When They Became President

James Buchanan	*	*	*	*	*	*	7
Chester A. Arthur	*	*	*	*	*		
Benjamin Harrison	*	*	*	*	*	4	
Harry S. Truman	*	*	*	*	*	*	
Lyndon B. Johnson	*	*	*	*	*	4	

The key tells you what each picture stands for.

Use the picture graph to answer this question.

Each whole-picture stands for 10 years. Each half-picture How old was Benjamin Harrison when he became President?

Put your finger on Benjamin Harrison's name. Move right and count the pictures.

There are five whole pictures and one half-picture. Multiply 5 and 10. Then add 5 for the half-picture.

Benjamin Harrison was 55 years old when he became President.

Try This

Solve the problem.

Use the picture graph in *Here's How* to answer this question.

stands for 5 years.

1. How old was James Buchanan when he became President?

Find the name of the President. Move right and count the whole-pictures. Multiply by 10. Add 5 for the half-picture.

James Buchanan was ______ years old when he became president.



Use the picture graph in *Here's How* to solve each problem.

Be sure to label each answer.

 How old was Lyndon B. Johnson when he became President?

2. How old was Chester A. Arthur when he became President?

3. What was Harry S. Truman's age when he became President?



4. How many of the Presidents shown were younger than 60 when they became President?

5. How many of the Presidents shown were older than 60 when they became President?

6. Which of the Presidents shown was the youngest when he became President?

7. Which of the Presidents shown was the oldest when he became President?

8. Which two of the Presidents shown were the same age when they became President?