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Online Quiz League

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Note to QMs (please read aloud to teams): Players are politely reminded to have their hands in view at all times

## Round 1

| 1a | Which Canadian-American actress married singer Kid Rock in 2006, a marriage which lasted only four months? This was arguably not her most famous marriage, which was turned into a 2022 Lily James drama. | Pamela ANDERSON |
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| 1b | What is the state capital of Delaware? This city shares its name with an English port. | DOVER |
| 2 a | The Chilcot Inquiry was set up to "identify the lessons to be learnt from [BLANK]". Which conflict fills in the blank? | The IRAQ War/Invasion (do not accept Gulf War) |
| 2b | A classical example of a psychopomp, or a guide to the souls of the underworld; the Valkyries come from which northern European mythological tradition? | NORSE |
| 3 a | Which Persian physician and philosopher of the Islamic Golden Age is considered the "father of paediatrics"? He was the first physician to recognise the reaction of the eye's pupil to light, and the first to distinguish between smallpox and measles. | Abu Bakr AL-RAZI |
| 3b | Directed by Jonathan Demme (DEM-ee), Stop Making Sense is a concert album featuring which iconic music group? | TALKING HEADS |
| 4 a | Which recurring Simpsons character is the barman at the Tavern which bears his name? First or last name is acceptable. | MOE SZYSLAK (accept either underlined part) |
| 4b | There have been two Formula One World Champions who took their title with only one Grand Prix win that year. The first was which Brit, driving for Vanwall in 1958? He would go on to lose his life just three months later. | Mike HAWTHORN (accept John HAWTHORN) |

## Round 2

| 1a | 1, 4, 9, 16 and 25 are the first five examples of which type of numbers? | SQUARE |
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| 1b | Which artist appears five times in the list of the 30 most expensive photographs? Noted for her self-portraits, her Untitled \#96 was the most expensive photo ever when sold in 2011. | Cindy SHERMAN |
| 2 a | Which 1998 crime film, directed by Steven Soderbergh, is adapted from an Elmore Leonard novel of the same name? George Clooney plays an escaped bank robber who falls for his kidnapped US Marshal, played by Jennifer Lopez. | OUT OF SIGHT |
| 2b | Also referred to as Dragons in Chinese, what name is given to the developed East Asian economies of Singapore, Taiwan, South Korea and Hong Kong which experienced rapid growth in the second half of the 20th century? | Four Asian TIGERS |
| 3a | What name is given to the water in which legume seeds such as chickpeas have been cooked? It is used as a vegan replacement for eggs. | AQUAFABA |
| 3b | 400 m gold medalist Cathy Freeman walked across water to light the Olympic flame in the Opening Ceremony of the Games held in which city in 2000? | SYDNEY |
| 4 a | The florally named Rose Revolution of 2003 occurred in which European country? This brought an end to Soviet-era leadership. | GEORGIA |
| 4b | What is the name of the stringed musical instrument prominent in Russian folk music notable for its triangular shape? | BALALAIKA |

## Round 3

| 1 a | Compiled by Cato the Elder in early-2nd century BCE and covering the period of the founding of Rome to his contemporary time, what is the name of the now lost work considered the first example of Roman historiography? | ORIGINES (accept ORIGINS) |
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| 1b | Which member of the Traveling Wilburys adopted the name Lucky? A Nobel Laureate, as a solo artist, he wrote Blowin' in the Wind, and The Times They Are A-Changin'. | Bob DYLAN (accept Robert ZIMMERMAN) |
| 2 a | From 2004-2009, Atomic Kitten's Kerry Katona fronted the "That's why mums go to..." advert campaign for which UK frozen food supermarket? | ICELAND |
| 2b | In 1994, which figure skater was bludgeoned on the leg in Detroit at the US Championships? The attack was planned by the ex-husband of her rival, Tonya Harding. | Nancy KERRIGAN |
| 3 a | Alongside his now-wife Sophie Habboo, which Made In Chelsea star co-hosts the podcast Nearly Weds, documenting their journey to the altar? He was replaced by eventual-champion Kelvin Fletcher in 2019's Strictly Come Dancing after injuring his foot. | Jamie LAING |
| 3b | Which West African ethnic group, whose spiritual home is in Daura, Nigeria, has the 2nd most spoken language after Arabic in the Afro-Asiatic family? With several communities scattered along the traditional Hajj route, this ethnic group practices Islam. | HAUSA |
| 4 a | Which clay mineral has a value of 1 on the Mohs scale of hardness? Its best-known use is as a baby powder. | TALC |
| 4b | One of the four "Queens of Crime", which author is best known for creating Inspector Roderick Alleyn, a gentleman detective with the Metropolitan Police? | Ngaio MARSH |

## Round 4

| 1a | In Only Fools and Horses, Rodney's wife, Cassandra, is played by which actress? | Gwyneth STRONG |
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| $\mathbf{1 b}$ | Which English rugby union team went into administration in October 2022? This team shared the Ricoh Arena with <br> Coventry City but have historically been based in London. | WASPS |
| 2a | The Loop of Henle is found in which organ of the human body? | KIDNEY |
| $\mathbf{2 b}$ | Referred to as the "Golden Voice of Africa", which Malian singer-songwriter is notable for his albinism that saw him <br> ostracised due to its bad luck connotations in Mandinka culture? | Salif KEITA |
| $\mathbf{3 a}$ | Olaf Scholz replaced Angela Merkel as Chancellor of which European country in 2021? | GERMANY |
| $\mathbf{3 b}$ | "Beloved imagination, what I most like in you is your unsparing quality". These words, penned by Andre Breton, begin a <br> manifesto of which artistic movement of the 20th Century? Salvador Dali's The Persistence of Memory is a notable work in <br> this style. | SURREALISM |
| 4a | The New Zealand based fitness company Les Mills produces a wide range of workout programmes. Which programme <br> uses a mix of non-contact martial arts-inspired exercises to help cardio fitness and train the whole body? | BodyCOMBAT |
| 4b | Often a symbol representing peace, the flags of Eritrea and Cyprus both feature the branches of which plant? This plant <br> produces a popular oil. | OLIVE |

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## Round 5

| $\mathbf{1 a}$ | The Islets of Langerhans are found in which organ of the human body? | PANCREAS |
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| $\mathbf{1 b}$ | "The new painters paint works that do not have a real subject". These words, penned by Guillaume Apollinaire, refer to <br> which artistic movement of the 20th century? Pablo Picasso's The Weeping Woman is a notable work in this style. | CUBISM |
| $\mathbf{2 a}$ | What is the name of the Les Mills fitness programme that uses elements of Pilates and Tai Chi to form a yoga-based <br> workout to music? | BodyBALANCE (Accept <br> BodyFLOW) |
| $\mathbf{2 b}$ | Which English rugby union team entered administration in October 2022, six days before Wasps? They played their <br> games at Sixways and their closest rivals are Gloucester. | WORCESTER Warriors |
| $\mathbf{3 a}$ | In Only Fools and Horses, Del Boy's wife, Raquel, is played by which actress? | Tessa PEAKE-JONES |
| $\mathbf{3 b}$ | The flag of Mexico features a golden eagle perched on what type of spiny plant, here representing the island of <br> Tenochtitlan? | Prickly Pear CACTUS |
| $\mathbf{4 a}$ | Chris Hipkins replaced Jacinda Ardern as Prime Minister of which southern hemisphere country in 2023? | NEW ZEALAND |
| $\mathbf{4 b}$ | One of the most prominent African singers of her time, which Beninese-French singer-songwriter was made a Polar Music <br> laureate in 2023, and is notable for her many collaborations on albums such as 2007s Djin Djin? | Angelique KIDJO |

## Round 6

| $\mathbf{1 a}$ | The British Royal Family; the family of Millie Dowler, and many other celebrities were all victims of which practice that was the <br> basis for the Leveson Inquiry into journalistic conduct? | PHONE HACKING (accept <br> similar) |
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| $\mathbf{1 b}$ | Directed by Martin Scorsese, The Last Waltz is a classic concert film depicting the farewell appearance of which Canadian <br> music group? | THE BAND |
| $\mathbf{2 a}$ |  | APU <br> Which recurring Simpsons character is the proprietor of the Kwik-E-Mart convenience store? First or last name is acceptable. |
| $\mathbf{2 b}$ | What is the state capital of Virginia? This city shares its name with a west London Royal Park. | (aither underlined part) |
| $\mathbf{3 a}$ | Another Baywatch actress who had a short marriage was Carmen Electra in 2000. She was married to which American <br> basketball player for nine days? | Dennis RODMAN |
| $\mathbf{3 b}$ | The other F1 driver to win a World Championship with only one GP win was which Finnish racer in 1982? This Williams driver <br> was one of 11 drivers to win that year, but his consistency gave him the title. | Keijo "Keke" ROSBERG (do <br> not accept Nico Rosberg) |


| $\mathbf{4 a}$ | An early pioneer of the scientific method, which mathematician, astronomer and physicist of the Islamic Golden Age is often <br> considered the "father of modern optics"? | Ibn AL-HAYTHAM |
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| $\mathbf{4 b}$ | Another psychopomp is Anubis, who comes from which mythological tradition? | Ancient EGYPTIAN |

## Round 7

| 1 a | Which 2002 science fiction film, directed by Steven Soderbergh, is adapted from a Stanisław Lem novel of the same name? It is set on a space station orbiting the titular planet and stars George Clooney and Viola Davis. | SOLARIS |
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| 1b | Four-time Grand Slam champion tennis player, Naomi Osaka, lit the Olympic flame in the Opening Ceremony of the Games held in which city? | TOKYO |
| 2 a | The florally named Tulip Revolution of 2005 occurred in which Central Asian country? This brought an end to Soviet-era leadership, with then-President Askar Akayev fleeing to Moscow. | KYRGYZSTAN |
| 2b | Which artist appears seven times in the list of the 30 most expensive photographs ever, with works taken from his Untitled (Cowboy) series? He is known for reappropriating others' photos to create new work. | Richard PRINCE |
| 3 a | $2,3,5,7$ and 11 are the first five examples of which type of numbers? | PRIME |
| 3b | What is the name of the pear-shaped, lute-type instrument that is a staple of Levantine, Arabic and Middle Eastern folk | OUD |


|  | music traditions? Unlike the lute, it is notable for having a shorter neck and a fretless body. |  |
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| $\mathbf{4 a}$ | Both cashews and nutritional yeast are a popular vegan replacement for what foodstuff due to its strong flavour? | CHEESE |
| $\mathbf{4 b}$ | Due to its expansion, which European country's economy in the 1990s and 2000s is referred to as its "Tiger" period, <br> influenced by the Four Asian Tigers terminology? | IRELAND |

## Round 8

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\begin{array}{|c|l|l|}\hline \mathbf{1 a} & \text { In 2014, which Mysterious Girl singer fronted Iceland's TV adverts with the slogan, "That's why dads go to Iceland"? } & \begin{array}{l}\text { Peter ANDRE (accept Peter } \\
\text { ANDREA) }\end{array}
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\hline \mathbf{1 b} \& \begin{array}{l}Which west African ethnic group contributes to a fifth of Nigeria's population and is the second largest in the country? This <br>

group's traditional religion revolves around the concept of Orisa, various gods and spirits who serve the creator force.\end{array} \& YORUBA\end{array}\right]\)| QUARTZ |
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| $\mathbf{2 a}$ |
| $\mathbf{W h i c h ~ m i n e r a l ~ h a s ~ a ~ v a l u e ~ o f ~} 7$ on the Mohs scale? It is commonly used in crystal form in watches. |


| $\mathbf{3 b}$ | One of the four "Queens of Crime", which author is best known for her hero, the gentleman sleuth, Albert Campion? | Margery ALLINGHAM |
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| $\mathbf{4 a}$ | Alongside his wife Vogue Williams, which Made in Chelsea star co-hosts their eponymous podcast, documenting their <br> lives? He recently filmed a Disney+ documentary titled Finding Michael about his brother who became lost on Mount <br> Everest. | Spencer MATTHEWS |

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| Spares |
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| $\mathbf{1}$ In 2023, Morgan Lake broke which Liverpudlian's British women's record for the high jump? This athlete set the record in <br> the 2016 Rio Olympics, when she took part in the heptathlon. Katarina JOHNSON-THOMPSON <br> (accept $\underline{\text { KJT) }}$ <br> $\mathbf{2}$ Arrested during the Reign of Terror, Marie Grosholtz is known by which other surname? Employed to make death masks <br> of the victims, her first exhibition opened in Baker Street and now houses one of London's most visited attractions. TUSSAUD |
| $\mathbf{3}$ | | Audioslave was a supergroup comprising three members of the band Rage Against The Machine and Chris Cornell, the |
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| lead singer of which seminal Seattle grunge-metal act? |$\quad$| SOUNDGARDEN |
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