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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

<b>1a</b>	The singer-songwriter Matt Hales, more well known as Aqualung, took his stage name from a 1971 album by which British rock band who themselves were named for an 18th century agriculturist?	<b><u>JETHRO TULL</u></b>
<b>1b</b>	What is the largest planet in the Solar System?	<b><u>JUPITER</u></b>
<b>2a</b>	As defined in the public order act of 1986, what minimum number of people are required to constitute a riot?	<b><u>12</u></b> (Twelve)
<b>2b</b>	From what fruit is Grenadine syrup traditionally made?	<b><u>POMEGRANATE</u></b>
<b>3a</b>	Which small Middle-Eastern country hosted the 2022 FIFA men's world cup?	<b><u>QATAR</u></b>
<b>3b</b>	Vantablack, a shade of the colour black which claims to be the darkest shade possible, is exclusively licensed for paint use by the studio of which British-Indian artist?	Anish <b><u>KAPOOR</u></b>
<b>4a</b>	In <i>Star Trek</i> , to which humanoid race does the character Quark belong? These humanoids are characterised as being greedy profiteers, as well as being well endowed in the ear department.	<b><u>FERENGI</u></b>
<b>4b</b>	The Apostle St Matthias is, at least partially, buried in which German city, the birthplace of Karl Marx?	<b><u>TRIER</u></b>

## Round 2

<b>1a</b>	In which podcast does Simon Parkin ask guests to pick the five video games they would like to immortalise on their very own fictional games machine?	<b><u>MY PERFECT CONSOLE</u></b>
<b>1b</b>	Thornfield Hall is the residence of Mr Rochester in which novel by Charlotte Bronte?	<b><u>JANE EYRE</u></b>
<b>2a</b>	Aunt Sponge and Aunt Spiker are the main antagonists of which stop motion animation film of 1996 directed by Henry Sellick and based on a children's book by Roald Dahl?	<b><u>JAMES AND THE GIANT PEACH</u></b>
<b>2b</b>	At 120 miles long, what is the longest river in Scotland? The collapse of a railway bridge over this river in 1879 became the subject of a critically lampooned poem by William McGonagall.	<b><u>TAY</u></b>
<b>3a</b>	Which still-active American indie band, fronted by Conor Oberst, achieved success with albums such as <i>Fevers and Mirrors</i> , and 2005's <i>I'm Wide Awake It's Morning</i> ?	<b><u>BRIGHT EYES</u></b>
<b>3b</b>	With atomic number 31, which soft, silvery, metallic element is named after the Latin for the country of its discoverer (or perhaps as a Latin pun on the name of its discoverer)?	<b><u>GALLIUM</u></b>
<b>4a</b>	James Earl Ray assassinated which American civil rights leader in 1968?	Martin Luther <b><u>KING</u></b> , Jnr.
<b>4b</b>	Which bookshop, whose flagship Piccadilly store claims to be the oldest in London, was acquired by Waterstones in the late 1990s? Its only other branch is in St Pancras Station.	<b><u>HATCHARD's</u></b>

### Round 3

<b>1a</b>	The 2013 film <i>Rush</i> , about the rivalry between James Hunt and Niki Lauda, concerns which sport?	<b><u>FORMULA 1</u></b> (accept F1 or MOTOR RACING)
<b>1b</b>	Founded in 1792 in Norwich, which brand of children's shoes was granted royal warrants in 1955 and '89, although they were revoked in 2003 when they moved production out the UK?	<b><u>START-RITE</u></b>
<b>2a</b>	Which French Rugby Union club reached the final of the European Rugby Champions Cup in 2022 and '23, winning the cup on both occasions?	<b><u>STADE ROCHELAIS</u></b> (accept LA ROCHELLE)
<b>2b</b>	Named for a German physicist, what is the SI derived unit of magnetic flux?	<b><u>WEBER</u></b>
<b>3a</b>	Allegedly falsely claiming to have invented the internet, who served as vice president of the U.S.A. from 1993 to 2001, under Bill Clinton?	Al <b><u>GORE</u></b>
<b>3b</b>	Marco Polo airport serves which Italian city?	<b><u>VENICE</u></b>
<b>4a</b>	Born in Ukraine and considered one of the greatest pianists of all time, which 20th century musician, who became an American citizen, was especially renowned for his interpretation of the works of Franz Liszt?	Vladimir <b><u>HOROWITZ</u></b>
<b>4b</b>	The artists Frans Hals, Johannes Vermeer and Willem de Kooning were all born in which European country?	<b><u>NETHERLANDS</u></b>

## Round 4

<b>1a</b>	Which Roman historian's works include the <i>Annals</i> and the <i>Histories</i> , which examined the history of the Empire from the death of Augustus to the death of Domitian? He also wrote on the life of his father-in-law Agricola.	Publius Cornelius <b><u>TACITUS</u></b>
<b>1b</b>	The disputed region of South Ossetia is in which European country?	<b><u>GEORGIA</u></b>
<b>2a</b>	What is the smallest and highest pitched wind instrument in a standard orchestra? It is often played by a flute player in addition to their main instrument, and its name is the Italian for 'small'.	<b><u>PICCOLO</u></b>
<b>2b</b>	"The 'Moonies' is a nickname for which new religious movement founded in 1954 in South Korea by Sun Myung Moon? He views himself as the second coming of Christ, and the movement is known for its mass wedding ceremonies.	<b><u>UNIFICATION</u></b> Church (accept FAMILY FEDERATION FOR WORLD PEACE AND UNIFICATION, HOLY SPIRIT ASSOCIATION FOR THE UNIFICATION OF WORLD CHRISTIANITY; do not accept Unity Church)
<b>3a</b>	Which American director's three feature films so far consist of <i>The Witch</i> , <i>The Lighthouse</i> , and 2022's <i>The Northman</i> ?	Robert <b><u>EGGERS</u></b>
<b>3b</b>	Jerry Hall married which Rolling Stones lead singer in 1990, though the marriage was later declared null and void?	Mick <b><u>JAGGER</u></b>
<b>4a</b>	Named after light hitting shortstop Mario Mendoza, who failed to achieve a batting average of .200 five times in 9 major league seasons, the Mendoza Line is an expression in which sport?	<b><u>BASEBALL</u></b>

<b>4b</b>	What was the name of the 19th Century monk and scientist who, by virtue of his experiments on peas in his monastery near Brno, is known as 'the Father of Genetics'?	Gregor <b><u>MENDEL</u></b>
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### Round 5

<b>1a</b>	The lowest pitched wind instrument in an orchestra is the 'contra' size of which double-reed instrument, famous for its star performance in <i>The Sorcerer's Apprentice</i> ?	<b><u>BASSOON</u></b>
<b>1b</b>	What was the name of the 19th Century English biologist who was known as 'Darwin's Bulldog' because of his advocacy of Darwin's Theory of Evolution?	Thomas <b><u>HUXLEY</u></b>
<b>2a</b>	Named after Vinoo Mankad, who ran out a batsman backing up at the non-striker's end, a Mankad is an expression in which sport?	<b><u>CRICKET</u></b>
<b>2b</b>	The Apostle St Thomas is buried in which Indian city, the capital of Tamil Nadu?	<b><u>CHENNAI</u></b>
<b>3a</b>	As defined in the public order act of 1986, what minimum number of people are required to constitute violent disorder?	<b><u>3</u></b> (Three)
<b>3b</b>	Jerry Hall married which Australian media mogul in 2016? They divorced in 2022.	Rupert <b><u>MURDOCH</u></b>
<b>4a</b>	What is the name of the mostly villainous Star Trek "collective" whose aim is to assimilate other beings into their own? The character Seven of Nine is one of these, as was Captain Picard - briefly.	<b><u>BORG</u></b>
<b>4b</b>	While later known as 'hot pink' or 'kinky pink', which shade of pink was most commonly known for its use by Elsa Schiaparelli on the box of her 1937 perfume of the same name?	<b><u>SHOCKING</u></b> pink

## Round 6

<b>1a</b>	Once incorrectly altering a child's spelling of the word potato, who served as vice president of the U.S.A. from 1989 to '93, under George H.W. Bush? His forename was short for Danforth, not Daniel.	Dan <u>QUAYLE</u>
<b>1b</b>	The artists Casper David Friedrich, Max Beckmann and Otto Dix were all born in which European country?	<u>GERMANY</u>
<b>2a</b>	The 2017 film <i>Battle Of The Sexes</i> , about a demonstration match between players Billie Jean King and Bobby Riggs, concerns which sport?	<u>TENNIS</u>
<b>2b</b>	Which bookshop chain, founded in Oxford in the late 19th century, was acquired by Waterstones in 2022? It is mostly associated with university textbooks and the proximity of its stores to university hubs.	<u>BLACKWELL's</u>
<b>3a</b>	Which still-active American indie band, fronted by Ben Gibbard, achieved success with albums such as <i>Transatlanticism</i> and 2005's <i>Plans</i> ?	<u>DEATH CAB FOR CUTIE</u>
<b>3b</b>	Louis Armstrong International airport serves which Louisiana city?	<u>NEW ORLEANS</u>



<b>4a</b>	Created by Ubisoft, which podcast takes a dive into the past as inspired by the game Assassin's Creed?	<b><u>ECHOES OF HISTORY</u></b>
<b>4b</b>	With atomic number 44, which rare transition metal is named for the Latin word for the country where it was discovered at Kazan State University?	<b><u>RUTHENIUM</u></b>

### Round 7

<b>1a</b>	Which American director's three feature films so far consist of <i>Midsommar</i> , <i>Hereditary</i> , and 2023's <i>Beau Is Afraid</i> ?	Ari <b><u>ASTER</u></b>
<b>1b</b>	The disputed region of Transnistria is in which European country?	<b><u>MOLDOVA</u></b>
<b>2a</b>	Which Roman historian's most famous work was <i>The Twelve Caesars</i> , a collective biography of the Empire's first leaders?	Gaius <b><u>SUETONIUS</u></b> Tranquillus
<b>2b</b>	Discounting any of the dwarf planets, what is the smallest known planet in the Solar System?	<b><u>MERCURY</u></b>
<b>3a</b>	Which far-eastern island country hosted the 2020 Olympic games, ultimately held in 2021 because of COVID-19?	<b><u>JAPAN</u></b>
<b>3b</b>	Deer Park, in New York state, is home to which new religious movement founded in China in the early 1990s and banned by the Chinese government just under a decade later? The movement aims to educate audiences around the world with its Shen Yun dance spectacular.	<b><u>FALUN GONG</u></b>
<b>4a</b>	The British band Starsailor take their name from an album by which American musician who died in 1975 aged 28? His	Tim <b><u>BUCKLEY</u></b>

	son Jeff was also a musician who would also die tragically young.	
<b>4b</b>	A puree of what fruit is traditionally used when making a bellini cocktail?	<b><u>PEACH</u></b>

### Round 8

<b>1a</b>	Which Irish Rugby Union club reached the final of the European Rugby Champions Cup in 2022 and '23, but finished as runners-up on both occasions?	<b><u>LEINSTER</u></b>
<b>1b</b>	Founded in France in 1970, which youth shoe-brand's Lo style of shoe is a popular choice amongst British boys at secondary school?	<b><u>KICKERS</u></b>
<b>2a</b>	Born in Poland and considered one of the greatest pianists of all time, which 20th century musician, who became an American citizen, was especially renowned for his interpretation of the works of Frédéric Chopin?	Arthur <b><u>RUBENSTEIN</u></b>
<b>2b</b>	The events of which novel by Jane Austen begin with news that a Mr Bingley has purchased an estate named Netherfield?	<b><u>PRIDE AND PREJUDICE</u></b>
<b>3a</b>	The farmers Boggis, Bunce and Bean are the primary antagonists of which stop motion animation film of 2009 directed by Wes Anderson, and based on a children's book by Roald Dahl?	<b><u>FANTASTIC MR FOX</u></b>

<b>3b</b>	Named for a French physicist, what is the SI derived unit of electrical charge?	<b><u>COULOMB</u></b>
<b>4a</b>	Lee Harvery Oswald assassinated which American president in 1963?	John F <b><u>KENNEDY</u></b> (Accept JFK)
<b>4b</b>	At 224 miles long, what is the longest river in Ireland and the British Isles? The city of Limerick lies at the head of the estuary of this river which also names a nearby airport.	<b><u>SHANNON</u></b>

**We hope you have enjoyed this friendly set. Please remember that the friendlies are written by volunteers who are all members of OQL so please consider that when making comments regarding the friendly set.**

### **Spares**

<b>1</b>	Now the longest running live-action American sitcom of all time, which American TV comedy concerns an amoral group of friends running an Irish pub in Pennsylvania?	<b><i><u>IT'S ALWAYS SUNNY IN PHILADELPHIA</u></i></b>
<b>2</b>	Ella Fitzgerald found success early in her career singing with which jazz drummer and bandleader's orchestra?	Chick <b><u>WEBB</u></b>
<b>3</b>	A silver lapel pin in the form of which cartoon character is awarded to NASA employees and contractors for outstanding achievements related to human flight safety or mission success? This character fantasises of flying himself as a world war one flying ace in the Peanuts cartoon strip.	<b><u>SNOOPY</u></b>

4	What name is given to the preserved body of a man discovered in 1984, referencing the name of the Cheshire peat bog in which the discovery was made? He is thought to have died in the Iron Age or Romano-British era.	<u>LINDOW</u> Man
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