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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 man won gold for Great Britain in singles figure skating at the 1980 Winter Olympics? This victory came four years after fellow Brit John Curry won gold in the same event. | Robin COUSINS |
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| 1b | Celia Johnson was nominated for a Best Actress Oscar starring opposite Trevor Howard in which 1945 romantic drama film directed by David Lean, based on a play by Noël Coward? | BRIEF ENCOUNTER |
| 2a | In the UK, $20 \%$ is the standard rate of what common tax? This tax is applied to most goods, although food and children's clothing are typically exempt. It differs from a sales tax in that it is collected by all sellers in each stage of the supply chain. | VALUE ADDED Tax (or VAT) |
| 2b | The Greek god Helios and the Egyptian god Ra are examples of mythical deities related to what? | SUN |
| 3a | Traditionally made of metal, a bombilla [bom-BEE-ya] is a specialised drinking straw with a strainer at one end that is used to drink which beverage? | Yerba MATÉ (accept PARAGUAYan <br> TEA but do not otherwise accept or prompt on "tea") |
| 3b | Which galaxy, named after a woman from Greek mythology, is the closest galaxy to the Milky Way? | ANDROMEDA Galaxy |
| 4 a | Following the Louisiana Purchase of 1803, Thomas Jefferson asked Congress to commission what expedition, named for its co-leaders, across the newly acquired territory to the Pacific Ocean? | LEWIS and CLARK Expedition (accept Meriweather LEWIS and William CLARK; accept CORPS OF DISCOVERY) |
| 4b | What term is given to a musical ornament in which a very short unemphasised grace note precedes the principal note? It is written as a grace note with an oblique stroke through the stem. | ACCIACCATURA [a-CHACK-a- <br> TOO-ra, although be generous with pronunciations] (do not accept "appoggiatura") |

## Round 2

| $\mathbf{1 a}$ | Under what structure would one be "out of the sun ... having some fun" in a 1964 hit for the Drifters? | The BOARDWALK |
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| $\mathbf{1 b}$ | The Ness of Brodgar Excavation, started in 2004 and considered one of the world's most significant archaeological excavations, is <br> unearthing a huge complex of Neolithic buildings from around 3000 BC on which island group? | ORKNEY |
| $\mathbf{2 a}$ | Horatio is the first name of which fictional British seafarer, played by loan Gruffud [YO-ahn GRIFF-ith] in a series of ITV <br> television films adapted from novels by C. S. Forester? | Horatio HORNBLOWER |
| 2b | Launching in May 2023 and selling over 10 million units in only three days, what is the subtitle of the latest instalment in <br> The Legend of Zelda video game series? | The Legend of Zelda: <br> TEARS OF THE |
| 3a | Which $\mathbf{1 8 8 4}$ play by Henrik Ibsen tells the story of Gregers Werle, a young man who returns to his hometown following exile <br> and is reunited with his friend Hjalmar Ekdal? Hjalmar's daughter Hedwig creates a fantasy world in a loft surrounded by her <br> pets and dies violently at the end of the play. | The WILD DUCK (or <br> VILDANDEN $)$ |
| $\mathbf{3 b}$ | The Sri Lankan city of Kandy is the location of Sri Dalada Maligawa, a temple known in English as the Temple of what? It <br> houses the namesake body part of the Buddha, a sacred relic in Buddhism. | Temple of the TOOTH |
| 4a | What Greek-derived name is given to the ability of an animal to sever one of its own appendages, usually for the purpose of <br> escaping a dangerous situation? Many reptiles and amphibians can shed their tails via this process. | AUTOTOMY |
| 4b | Launched in 1990, which car model beginning with the letter C is Renault's best-selling car model of all time? | CLIO |

## Round 3

| 1a | In moral philosophy, what name is given to the ethical theory that the morality of an action can be judged by universal moral standards and that actions are either right or wrong according to a set of defined rules, rather than based on their consequences? | DEONTOLOGY (or DEONTOLOGICAL) |
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| 1b | Located on the Lizard Peninsula and around 1.5 miles further south than Penzance, what Cornish town is the most southerly town on the island of Great Britain? The most famous example of the folk custom Furry Dance takes place here. | HELSTON (accept HELLYS) |
| 2a | This month, it was announced that a team at Sydney's Royal Hospital for Women had made a breakthrough in the research of what disease, which is thought to affect around $10 \%$ of adult women? This condition is characterised by abnormal growth of tissue similar to the lining of the uterus. | ENDOMETRIOSIS |
| 2b | What three-letter name is given to the broad sash worn around the waist of a Japanese kimono? | OBI |
| 3a | Her highest charting single since 'Into the Blue' in 2014, which Australian pop star and actor has had a UK top 40 hit in 2023 with 'Padam Padam', her 52nd top 40 hit since 1988? | KYLIE MINOGUE (accept either name) |
| 3b | Mark Drakeford, the First Minister for Wales, represents which political party whose symbol includes a red rose? | LABOUR Party (accept Welsh LABOUR, LLAFUR Cymru) |
| 4 a | In his 2022-23 tour show Mulberry, comedian Tim Key laments a bad lockdown day where he watched an episode of which BBC One quiz show presented by Alexander Armstrong, in which one hundred people given one hundred seconds all failed to identify Key in a round on "famous Tims"? | POINTLESS |
| 4b | Winning the Australian Open in 2012 and ' 13 , which tennis player was the first woman representing Belarus to win a grand slam singles title? | Victoria AZARENKA |

## Round 4

| 1a | According to the UK Kennel Club, the most registered pedigree breed in the UK in 2022 was the Labrador. Second was which small dog - named in part after the European country in which it was first bred - that has a square head, with wrinkles rolled above its very short nose, and large, erect bat-like ears? | FRENCH BULLDOG <br> (prompt on parietal answer) |
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| 1b | What does the letter $\mathbf{D}$ stand for in the abbreviation LED, referring to a ubiquitous electronic component that produces light? | DIODE (or light emitting DIODE) |
| 2a | What group of people are the subject of Heinrich Kramer's 1487 book Malleus Maleficarum, which is often translated as "The Hammer of [these people]"? | WITCHes |
| 2b | Used in TV shows such as Torchwood and in the movie Moulin Rouge, which 1997 hit single by Lamb samples the second movement of the title composer of Symphony of Sorrowful Songs? | 'GÓRECKI' (accept <br> Henryk GÓRECKI [guh- <br> RET-ski]) |
| 3a | Which county cricket side play their home games at Edgbaston in Birmingham? | WARWICKSHIRE |
| 3b | Aliona Vilani won the ninth series of Strictly Come Dancing in 2011, partnering which member of boyband McFly? Following his bandmate's example, Tom Fletcher went on to participate in a later series. | Harry JUDD |
| 4 a | The highly prized coffee called kopi luwak, or civet coffee, developed on which very populous island in south east Asia? Coffee was introduced to this island by the Dutch East India Company in 1699, and the name of this island appears in the name of many coffee blends. | JAVA |
| 4b | A 1937 painting by Pablo Picasso, one of his most famous works, shows the devastation caused by the Civil War to which town in northern Spain? | GUERNICA (accept GERNIKA-Lumo] |

## HALF-TIME - PLEASE CHANGE ORDER

## Round 5

| 12 | Which play by Henrik Ibsen chronicles the life of Halvard Solness? The final scene sees him falling to his death from a tower. | The MASTER BUILDER <br> (or BYGMESTER <br> SOLNESS) |
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| 1b | Although etymologically unrelatedly to the name of the Sri Lankan city, Indonesian Buddhist temples are referred to as "candi". What temple in central Java is the largest such candi in the world? | BOROBUDUR |
| 2 a | During winter months, many reptiles and amphibians exhibit a behaviour similar to hibernation, in which their metabolic processes are suppressed and their physical activity decreases. What Latin-derived term was coined in the 20th century to refer to this behaviour? | BRUMATION (accept BRUMATING) |
| 2b | Launched in 1990, which car model beginning with the letter C is Honda's best-selling car model of all time? | CIVIC |
| 3a | "It's as peaceful as can be" up on which structure, where one would climb when the "world is getting [them] down" according to a 1964 hit for the Drifters? In 'Your Song', Elton John sings that he sat on this structure and "kicked off the moss". | ROOF |
| 3b | Situated on the Bay of Skaill of Mainland, Orkney, which village, Europe's most complete Neolithic settlement, was unearthed by a storm in 1850 and forms part of The Heart of Neolithic Orkney, a UNESCO World Heritage Site since 1999? | SKARA BRAE |
| 4 a | Horatio is the first name of which fictional British seafarer, the captain of the Black Pig, whose adventures were chronicled in several BBC animated television series adapted from comics by John Ryan? | Captain Horatio PUGWASH |
| 4b | Tears of the Kingdom is the follow-up to which instalment in the Legend of Zelda series that was released on the Nintendo Switch and Wii U in 2017 and praised for its open-world gameplay? | Legend of ZELDA: <br> BREATH OF THE WILD |

## Round 6

| 1a | Much larger than a traditional straw, a boba straw is used to drink bubble tea, which combines tea with chewy tapioca balls. The drink originated on which island where it is sometimes considered the national drink? | TAIWAN |
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| 1b | What word follows "Proxima" in the name of the closest star to the Earth other than the Sun? Its name is taken from a constellation named after a creature in Greek mythology. | CENTAURI (accept CENTAUR, <br> CENTAURUS) |
| 2 a | During their expedition, Lewis and Clark were accompanied by which Lemhi Shoshone woman, who helped them navigate the Rocky Mountains and acted as a negotiator between the expedition and the Lemhi Shoshone people? | SACAGAWEA |
| 2b | Similar to a trill, what term is given to the rapid alternation between a main note and a note above or below it? The upper type of this musical ornament is symbolised with a zigzag line, and the lower type by a zigzag line with a short vertical line through it. | MORDENT |
| 3 a | Which woman won gold for Great Britain in the skeleton at the 2014 and 2018 Winter Olympics? She succeeded fellow Brit Amy Williams as Olympic champion in this event. | Lizzy YARNOLD |
| 3b | Celia Johnson won a Best Supporting Actress BAFTA for her role in which $\mathbf{1 9 6 9}$ film based on a novel by Muriel Spark and starring Maggie Smith, who won the Best Actress Oscar for her performance? | The PRIME OF MISS IEAN BRODIE |
| 4 a | $20 \%$ is also the basic rate of what other common tax? An individual's Personal Allowance before this tax is imposed is $£ 12,570$ annually. | INCOME Tax |
| 4b | The Greek goddess Aphrodite and the Roman god Cupid are examples of mythical deities related to what? | LOVE (accept SEX, <br> ATTRACTION, <br> DESIRE, etc.) |

## Round 7

| $\mathbf{1 a}$ | Which county cricket side play their home games at the Rose Bowl near Southampton? | HAMPSHIRE |
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| $\mathbf{1 b}$ | Aliona Vilani won the thirteenth series of Strictly Come Dancing in 2015, partnering which member of boyband The Wanted? <br> Following his bandmate's example, Max George went on to participate in a later series | Jay MCGUINESS |
| $\mathbf{2 a}$ | The British introduced coffee to which island in 1728, where it became a major part of their industry? Although this nation <br> produces less than $1 \%$ of the world's coffee supply, coffee grown in the Blue Mountains is still highly prized. | JAMAICA |
| $\mathbf{2 b}$ | In an 1822 painting by J. M. W. Turner, which ship that fought at Trafalgar is being towed up the Thames to be broken up? It is <br> described as "Fighting" in the painting's title. | HMS TEMERAIRE |
| $\mathbf{3 a}$ | While the French bulldog trails only the Labrador among pedigree breeds, if mixed breeds are counted then the second most popular <br> dog of 2022 in the UK was a designer dog bred from a miniature poodle and what breed of small gun dog? | COCKER Spaniel <br> (prompt on "spaniel" or <br> "cockapoo") |
| $\mathbf{3 b}$ | What does the letter D stand for in the abbreviation DC, referring to an electrical transmission system that is commonly <br> contrasted with AC? | DIRECT |
| $\mathbf{4 a}$ | Also known as the Witchfinder General, which man described in his 1647 book, The Discovery of Witches, how he began his <br> witchfinding career after hearing women discussing the devil in Manningtree, Essex? | Matthew HOPKINS |
| $\mathbf{4 b}$ | Vittorio Monti's 1904 Hungarian-influenced rhapsody 'Csárdás' [CHAR-dash] is sampled in the introduction to which 2010 Lady <br> Gaga hit, with a male forename as its title? | 'ALEJANDRO’ |

## Round 8

| 1a | The Kylie Minogue single Padam Padam is inspired by a 1951 song of the same name sung by which French singer, nicknamed "The Little Sparrow" and played by Marion Cotillard in a 2007 biopic? | Édith PIAF (or Édith GASSION) |
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| 1b | Humza Yousaf, the First Minister for Scotland, represents which political party, whose logo is partly based on a thistle? | SCOTTISH NATIONAL PARTY ( or SNP) |
| 2 a | In his 2022-23 tour show Mulberry, comedian Tim Key laments a bad lockdown day where he watched an episode of which BBC Two quiz show presented by Jeremy Paxman, in which both teams of students failed to identify Key in the starter question for a picture round? | UNIVERSITY CHALLENGE |
| 2b | Winning the French Open in 2011 and Australian Open in 2014, who is the only Chinese woman to win a tennis grand slam singles title? | LI NA (accept either) |
| 3 a | Sometimes called the principle of universalizability, the first formulation of what concept in deontological ethics, introduced in the 18th century, states that any action you take should have a rationale that you believe should become a universal standard? | CATEGORICAL <br> IMPERATIVE <br> ( or KATEGORISCHER <br> IMPERATIV) |
| 3b | The southernmost point of the United Kingdom as a whole lies on which of the Isles of Scilly? Troy Town Farm, on this island, is the most southerly settlement in the UK. | ST. AGNES |
| 4 a | A recently-announced study at Western Sydney University will investigate potential endometriosis treatments that involve cannabis derivatives such as THC and what other compound? This non-psychoactive compound, also known by a three-letter abbreviation, is commonly sold as a natural remedy, in the form of an oil. | CBD or CANNABIDIOL |
| 4b | Which three-letter name is given to a Polynesian garland of flowers commonly worn around the neck? | LEI |

Spares

| $\mathbf{1}$ | What is the name of the Greek and Turkish meze made from cod's roe, lemon juice, oil and bread beaten together in a <br> pestle and mortar? In Britain it is typically blended until smooth, dyed pink and sold as a dip. | TARAMASALATA |
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| $\mathbf{2}$ | What is the only feature film directed by the actor Charles Laughton? It starred Robert Mitchum as a murderous preacher, <br> alongside Shelley Winters and Lilian Gish. | The $\underline{\text { NIGHT OF THE }}$ <br> HUNTER |
| $\mathbf{3}$ | The extinction of the dinosaurs occurred at the end of which geological period that makes up the Mesozoic era with the <br> Triassic and Jurassic? | CRETACEOUS |
| $\mathbf{4}$ | The title of which essay by Virginia Woolf refers to what a woman must have, along with money, in order to be able to write <br> fiction? | A ROOM OF ONE'S OWN |

