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Online Quiz League

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OQL's International Culture Challenge commences on Monday 13th November. Deadline to register is Friday 13th November. Full details are available at the website at https://quizcentral.net/qc/International_Culture_Challenge

Round 1

1a	According to the Bible, which prophet, after whom a book in the Old Testament is named, was sent by God to preach to the city of Nineveh? He was initially reluctant to do so, and in fleeing from this mission, he was swallowed by a whale.	<u>Jonah</u>
1b	Which TV game show will be rebooted in January 2024 with Bradley Walsh hosting alongside his son Barney? The original UK run started in 1992, with Ulrika Jonsson and John Fashanu hosting, the latter of whom was replaced by Jeremy Guscott for the last two series.	<u>Gladiators</u>
2a	Coming from the Sanskrit word for wheel, what is the name given to the 7 energy centres in the human body according to various Indian and new age philosophies?	<u>Chakras</u>
2b	Which member of the band The Byrds went on to form a famous supergroup with members of the bands Buffalo Springfield and The Hollies?	David <u>Crosby</u> (the band is Crosby, Stills and Nash)
3a	What is the name of the twin towers in Kuala Lumpur which were the tallest buildings in the world between 1998 and 2004?	<u>Petronas</u> Towers
3b	Which footballer who played for most of his career at Tottenham Hotspur as a defensive midfielder, is famous as being the first player to be sent off for the England national team, and scored the only international goal of his career in the 3-2 defeat to West Germany in the 1970 World Cup quarter finals?	Alan <u>Mullery</u>
4a	What is the name given to the cells in the brain and nervous system which are non-neuronal and create no electrical impulses? They make up more than a half of the volume of neural tissue in the human body.	<u>Glia</u> cells (accept <u>Glial</u> cells)

4b	Holding office from 2010 to 2013, Julia Gillard is to date the only woman to have been Prime Minister of which Commonwealth country?	<u>Australia</u>
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Round 2

1a	Name either of the two Indian cities which function as the capitals of the state of Himachal Pradesh, which is India's northernmost undisputed state.	<u>Shimla</u> or <u>Dharamshala</u>
1b	Which American boxer, who competed in multiple different weight categories, knocked out Ricky Hatton in the 10th round of a Welterweight world title fight at the MGM Grand in 2007? He also defeated MMA champion Conor McGregor in a 2017 boxing match.	Floyd <u>Mayweather</u> Jnr
2a	With the chemical symbol Kr, which noble gas is the only element in the periodic table whose English-language name begins with a K?	<u>Krypton</u>
2b	In English law, the case of Donoghue v Stevenson in 1932 was key in establishing when someone has a duty of care over another. The case arose when May Donoghue fell ill after drinking ginger beer. What creature was in the bottle that caused her to fall ill?	A decomposed <u>snail</u>
3a	There are six legal deposit libraries in the UK, to which everything published in the UK must be sent. One of these is located in Oxford, what is its name?	<u>Bodleian</u> Library
3b	Which celebrity won Strictly Come Dancing in 2015, becoming the second celebrity to win whilst partnered with Aliona Vilani? He is perhaps best known for being part of boy band The Wanted.	Jay <u>McGuinness</u>
4a	According to most modern recipes, which variety of coffee drink involves adding espresso to steamed milk and milk foam in equal parts? Its name comes from a monastic order of Franciscan friars, and is often lightly	<u>Cappuccino</u>

	dusted with chocolate sprinkles.	
4b	Which Rodgers and Hammerstein musical features the songs <i>There is nothing like a dame</i> , <i>Happy Talk</i> , and <i>Some enchanted evening</i> ? The name of the musical consists of a compass point and an ocean.	<u>South Pacific</u>

Round 3

1a	In winemaking what is the name given to the freshly crushed fruit juice containing the skin, seeds and stem of the fruit? The solid portion of this is called pomace.	<u>Must</u>
1b	Which British indie rock group from the Isle of Wight were nominated for the 2022 Mercury Prize for their self-titled debut album? Their name comes from an Isle of Wight slang name for main-landers, which references the state of just having just got off a boat.	<u>Wet Leg</u>
2a	Which shipping forecast area is named after a town in Kent? The town is one of the Cinque ports.	<u>Dover</u>
2b	Marlon Brando and Robert de Niro won the Oscar for Best Actor for their portrayals of the same character, with the first name Vito, in which film trilogy? Brando won his Oscar for the first film in this trilogy, and de Niro did the same in Part 2.	The <u>Godfather</u>
3a	Karl Lagerfeld was a creative director for which Italian fashion house from 1965 until his death in 2019? This fashion house originally specialised in fur and leather goods, and has been part of LVMH since 2001.	<u>Fendi</u>
3b	What regnal name is shared by the King of England who succeeded Henry VIII (the eighth) as King, and the King who abdicated the throne in 1936 in order to marry Wallis Simpson?	<u>Edward</u>

4a	Figaro is the title character in which Rossini opera? The same character would later feature in Mozart's opera "The Marriage of Figaro".	The <u>Barber of Seville</u>
4b	Which Argentinian F1 driver won the world drivers championship five times between 1951 and 1957?	Juan Manuel <u>Fangio</u>

Round 4

1a	What four letter initialism denotes a genre of YouTube videos which often involves people whispering, folding clothes, or tapping on microphones, and is designed to induce pleasant, sleepy or tingly sensations in the viewer?	<u>ASMR</u>
1b	An ecumenical council is a meeting of bishops, and other church authorities, to make decisions on Christian doctrine. In which city, located within the modern Turkish city of Iznik, was the first such council, convened in 325 CE? One of the main outcomes of the council was the formulation of a namesake statement of belief, a version of which is still in the liturgy of many Christian services today.	<u>Nicea</u>
2a	Which German metalsmith and photographer studied at the Bauhaus, becoming the only woman to get a degree from, and later become assistant director of, its metal workshop? In 2007, one of her teapots sold at auction for \$361,000, at the time a record for Bauhaus products.	Marianne <u>Brandt</u>
2b	Which annual multi-stage cycle race, the second oldest of the three Grand Tours of cycling after the Tour de France, has been held primarily in Italy since 1909?	<u>Giro</u> d'Italia
3a	NASA's Artemis program, currently underway, is intended to explore what body in the Solar System? If all goes according to plan, then Artemis III will be a manned mission that will, in NASA's words, put "the first woman and the next man" on this body's surface.	The <u>Moon</u>
3b	Spelled out in words, which two-digit number gives the debut studio album by Pearl Jam? The number is a reference to	<u>Ten</u>

	the Jersey worn by basketball player Mookie Blaylock and is also how tall in feet Afrojack claims to be in his 2014 single.	
4a	What is the longest river entirely in Northern Ireland? It enters the Atlantic Ocean at Portstewart.	River <u>Bann</u>
4b	What is the highest grossing Indian film of 2023? Directed by Atlee, and starring Shah Rukh Khan, the film follows a prison warden who, at the beginning of the film, hijacks a train in order to use the ransom to pay off the debts of impoverished farmers.	<u>Jawan</u>

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Round 5

1a	According to the Bible, which prophet, after whom a book in the Old Testament is named, serves King Nebuchadnezzar and his successors, interpreting dreams for them? Later in the book he gets thrown into the lions' den on the orders of King Darius, only to miraculously survive the night.	<u>Daniel</u>
1b	Which reality TV show, hosted by Joel Dommett, was rebooted in October 2023 on BBC One? In this show, hosted by Jeff Probst in the US, contestants have to "outwit, outplay, and outlast" each other while being castaways in an isolated location, with the aim of becoming the sole remaining contestant.	<u>Survivor</u>
2a	Called prana in Sanskrit, what short name is given to the life-force said to pervade the chakras in Chinese medicine and philosophy?	<u>Xi</u> (pronounced chi)
2b	Which Argentinian footballer was sent off in the quarter final of the 1966 world cup against England for dissent? He was so angry at the decision he sat on the queen's red carpet and refused to leave the pitch.	Antonio <u>Rattin</u>
3a	Named after their resemblance to star shapes, what is the name given to the most numerous types of glial cells? One of their main functions is to control biochemical processes including the regulation of the blood-brain barrier.	<u>Astrocytes</u> (accept <u>Astroglia</u>)

3b	Holding office in 1993, Kim Campbell is to date the only woman to have been Prime Minister of which Commonwealth country?	<u>Canada</u>
4a	Which building in the capital city of Taiwan overtook the Petronas Towers as the tallest building in the world, until it was surpassed by the Burj Khalifa in 2009?	<u>Taipei 101</u>
4b	Which non-original member of the band The Byrds went on to front the band The Flying Burrito Brothers alongside Byrds bassist Chris Hillman, and was a pioneer of country rock? He later died of a morphine overdose, and his corpse was stolen during a dispute over the inheritance of his estate.	Gram <u>Parsons</u> (accept Ingram <u>Connor</u> III)

Round 6

1a	What is the longest river entirely in Wales? It enters the Bristol Channel at Newport.	River <u>Usk</u>
1b	In which city, located in modern-day Italy, was the ecumenical council that was convened by Pope Paul III in 1545, that met in response to the Reformation? It sought to clarify and confirm Catholic theology in opposition to Protestantism, and was the last ecumenical council before the First Vatican Council in the 19th Century.	<u>Trent</u>
2a	To date, only 12 men have walked on the surface of the Moon. They all did so as part of which NASA space program? The name of this program featured in the names of these missions, with "[BLANK] 11" being the mission where Neil Armstrong and Buzz Aldrin walked on the moon.	<u>Apollo</u>
2b	Which two-digit number follows the words <i>Talking Heads</i> : in the title of Talking Heads' debut album? The number references its year of release which was the same year as the release of the only studio album released by the Sex Pistols.	<u>77</u>

3a	What word denotes a genre of YouTube videos where people unpack newly bought products for the viewer? The videos often include a detailed description and demonstration of the product.	<u>Unboxing</u>
3b	What is the second-highest grossing Indian film of 2023, and the highest before Jawan was released? Directed by Siddarth Anand and also starring Shah Rukh Khan, this is the fourth film in the YRF Spy Universe, and follows the titular character, an agent for India's Research and Analysis Wing.	<u>Pathaan</u>
4a	Which German textile artist helped develop the Bauhaus's weaving workshop? She was appointed a "master" of the workshop, the only woman to hold this title at the Bauhaus.	Gunta <u>Stolzl</u>
4b	Which annual multi-stage cycle race, the youngest of the three Grand Tours of cycling, has been held primarily in Spain since 1935?	<u>Vuelta</u> a Espana

Round 7

1a	Karl Lagerfeld also became the main designer for which luxury French fashion house in 1966? This fashion house was founded by Egyptian born Gaby Aghion in 1952, with more recent creative directors including Stella McCartney and Gabriela Hearst.	<u>Chloe</u>
1b	What is the stage name of the English musician Frederick John Phillip Gibson? He was shortlisted for the 2023 Mercury Prize for his album <i>Actual Life 3 (January 1 - September 9 2022)</i> .	<u>Fred Again</u>
2a	Violetta Valery is the title character in which Verdi opera? She is a Parisian courtesan suffering from tuberculosis, who falls in love with Alfredo, only to break off the relationship at the request of his father. The title of the opera translates as 'the fallen woman'.	La <u>Traviata</u>
2b	What regnal name is shared by the King of England known as "the Lionheart", and the King who died at the	<u>Richard</u>

	Battle of Bosworth Field in 1485, whose body was discovered in 2012 under a carpark in Leicester?	
3a	Which shipping forecast area is named after a north Atlantic island group which is an autonomous territory of Denmark?	<u>Faroes</u> (accept Faroe Islands)
3b	Which Austrian driver won the formula one world championship in 1970? He was killed during a practice session for the Italian Grand Prix that year, becoming the only driver to win the world title posthumously.	Jochen <u>Rindt</u>
4a	In beer and whisky brewing, what is the name given to the liquid extracted from the mashing process? This liquid contains the sugars that will be fermented by the yeast to create alcohol.	<u>Wort</u>
4b	Rita Moreno and Ariana DeBose won the Oscar for Best Supporting Actress for their portrayals of the same character, Anita, in which musical? Moreno won her Oscar for the original 1961 film, and DeBose did the same for the 2021 remake.	<u>West Side Story</u>

Round 8

1a	With the chemical symbol Xe, which noble gas is the only element of the periodic table whose English-language name begins with an X?	<u>Xenon</u>
1b	Which Filipino boxer, who competed in multiple different weight categories, knocked out Ricky Hatton in the 2nd round of a light-Welterweight world title fight at the MGM Grand in 2009? He was himself defeated by Mayweather in 2015 and was a candidate in the 2022 Filipino presidential election.	Manny <u>Pacquiao</u>
2a	Which Chinese city is the capital of the province of Heilongjiang, China's northernmost province?	<u>Harbin</u>
2b	Which celebrity won Strictly Come Dancing in 2020, becoming the second celebrity to win whilst partnered with Oti Mabuse? This comedian is the oldest celebrity to win the show.	Bill <u>Bailey</u>

3a	The only legal deposit library located in Wales is the National Library of Wales, located in which town on the country's west coast?	<u>Aberystwyth</u>
3b	Which Rodgers and Hammerstein musical about a nun named Maria who becomes a governess features the songs <i>My Favourite Things</i> , <i>Edelweiss</i> , and <i>Climb Ev'ry Mountain</i> ?	The <u>Sound of Music</u>
4a	Which variety of popular coffee drink consists of espresso diluted by hot water? Its name is traditionally attributed to the fact that US G.I.s fighting in Italy in World War II used to weaken espresso to a strength of coffee they were more accustomed to at home.	<u>Americano</u>
4b	In English contract law, the case of Carlill (pronounced: Car-lile) in 1892 was key in establishing when claims made in an advert constitute an offer that can be accepted to form a contract. The case arose when a company claimed that their namesake product was a "ball" that would prevent influenza, offering readers £100 if it did not. What substance was in this ball?	<u>Carbolic acid</u> (accept carbolic smoke)

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1	What is the minimum number of colours required to colour the regions of any map so that no two adjacent regions have the same colour? In 1976, Kenneth Appel and Wolfgang Haken were the first to prove this with the aptly-named "[BLANK] colour theorem."	<u>Four</u>
2	The titles of two books written about business and referencing a specific academic institution, one by Philip Delves Broughton and the other by Mark McCormack, differ by only one word. Subsequently, it has been	<u>What They Teach You at Harvard Business School</u> /

	facetiously claimed online that these two books constitute the entirety of human knowledge. Name either book.	<u>What They Don't Teach You at Harvard Business School</u>
3	On October 25th, Mike Johnson was elected to which American political office, 22 days after it became vacant? As a result, he is now second in line to the Presidency after Kamala Harris, the Vice President.	<u>Speaker</u> of the U.S. House of Representatives
4	Which Taylor Swift song is currently number 1 on the UK singles charts? One of the "from the vault" tracks, it is the last track on the standard edition of her latest album, 1989 (Taylor's Version).	<u>Is It Over Now?</u> (Taylor's Version) (From The Vault)