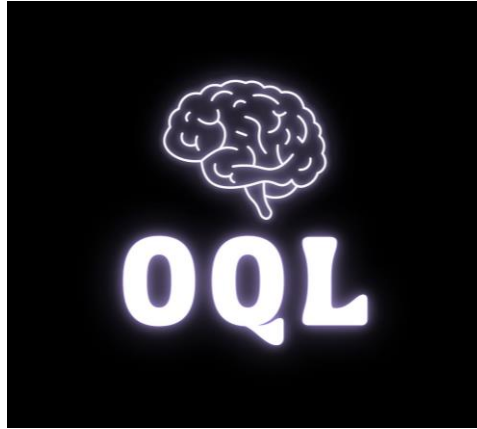


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Online Quiz League

Questions set by: OQL Committee

For use in: Cup and Plate quarter-final matches played 17/4/2024

Correct as of: 17/4/2024

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

Please remember to select cup competition in the scorer.

Teams are reminded that all players must have played a minimum of three league matches to be eligible for the cup.

Any team fielding an ineligible player will forfeit their match, so please check that all players are eligible.

Round 1

1a	The sculptor Barbara Hepworth is the most prominent member of an artistic school centred on which Cornish seaside town?	<u>ST IVES</u>
1b	ZH is the two-letter abbreviation for which Swiss canton , sharing its name with the country's largest city?	<u>ZÜRICH</u>
2a	Located in the epithalamus near the centre of the brain, which gland is responsible for releasing the hormone melatonin?	<u>PINEAL Gland</u>
2b	'Heaven Must be Missing an Angel' and 'Don't Take Away the Music' were top 5 hits in 1976 for which American R&B and soul group?	<u>TAVARES</u>
3a	Bryony Page won a bronze medal in which indoor sport for Team GB at the 2020 Tokyo Olympics?	<u>TRAMPOLINE</u> (or <u>TRAMPOLINING</u>)
3b	Blue Nun was originally classified as which style of semi-sweet white wine largely produced for export from vineyards around the Church of Our Lady in Worms [vormz]? In an episode of <i>Only Fools and Horses</i> , Del Boy says that he would like a refined woman who would know the difference between this wine and "a can of Tizer".	<u>LIEBFRAUMILCH</u> (or <u>LIEBFRAUENMILCH</u>)
4a	According to the title of a 1953 film based on Anita Loos' earlier novel, <i>Gentlemen Prefer...</i> what colour hair?	<u>BLONDES</u>
4b	Iraqi dictator Saddam Hussein was born in the village of Al-Awja, 8 miles south of which city? Located on the Tigris, northwest of Baghdad and southeast of Mosul, this city was also the birthplace of Saladin.	<u>TIKRIT</u>

Round 2

1a	<p>What three-word name is given to the process of forced relocation of Native Americans from south-eastern parts of the United States, following the Indian Removal Act of 1830?</p>	<p><u>TRAIL OF TEARS</u></p>
1b	<p>1957 was a good year for European filmmakers. Which Italian director won the Best Foreign Language Film Academy Award for his 1957 film <i>Nights of Cabiria</i>? He won the award at the previous ceremony for <i>La Strada</i> and holds the record for the most Oscars won in the category, with four.</p>	<p>Federico <u>FELLINI</u></p>
2a	<p>What four-letter prefix meaning “bridge” can be placed before -ypridd [uh-preeth] and -ypool [uh-pool] to give the names of two towns in south Wales?</p>	<p><u>PONT</u> (accept <u>BONT</u>)</p>
2b	<p>Which American writer was inspired by both a childhood and a missionary adulthood spent in China to write <i>The Good Earth</i>, which won the Pulitzer Prize in 1932? She wrote several other novels set in China and was denounced by the Communist Party as an American cultural imperialist.</p>	<p>Pearl S. <u>BUCK</u> (accept Pearl <u>SYDENSTRICKER</u>)</p>
3a	<p>Who is the current presenter of the BBC Radio 2 <i>Breakfast Show</i>? The daughter of a famous TV presenter, she was also the first woman to present the Radio 1 <i>Breakfast Show</i>, doing so between 1997 and 2000.</p>	<p>Zoe <u>BALL</u></p>
3b	<p>Arboreal animals are ones that live in which location?</p>	<p><u>TREES</u> (prompt on “forests” etc.)</p>
4a	<p>Controversially marketed on TikTok to tween girls described as “Sephora kids”, which American “clean beauty” brand’s anti-ageing bestsellers include its Protini Polypeptide Cream, D-Bronz Anti-Pollution Sunshine drops and Bora Barrier Repair cream?</p>	<p><u>DRUNK ELEPHANT</u></p>
4b	<p>Scoring a total of 228 goals between 1966 and 1982, which player is the all-time top goalscorer for Southampton?</p>	<p>Mick <u>CHANNON</u></p>

Round 3

1a	First appearing in the novel <i>Catching Fire</i> , which character in <i>The Hunger Games</i> trilogy was selected as the male tribute for District 4 for the 75th games, having previously won the 65th games at the age of 14? A participant in the rebellion, he is killed in a tunnel by human-lizard mutations during an attempt to infiltrate the Capitol. First name or surname acceptable.	<u>FINNICK ODAIR</u> (accept either part)
1b	Which French mathematician known for his work on algebraic topology and algebraic geometry was the first winner of the Abel Prize in 2003? He also won the Fields Medal in 1954.	Jean-Pierre <u>SERRE</u>
2a	Turning 18 in April 2024, Suri is the daughter of Katie Holmes and which actor, producer and Scientologist?	Tom <u>CRUISE</u>
2b	Which English snooker player , who reached six world finals between 1984 and 1994 without ever winning the title, is known by the nickname ‘the Whirlwind’?	Jimmy <u>WHITE</u>
3a	In which American city were 250,000 people left homeless after a major earthquake in 1906?	<u>SAN FRANCISCO</u>
3b	“Whispering” Bob Harris was a long-term host of what British music television show that aired on BBC Two from 1971 until 1988?	<i>The <u>OLD GREY WHISTLE TEST</u></i>
4a	In geology, what name is given to a body of underground porous rock and can be described as confined or unconfined? Groundwater from these features can be used as a source of freshwater.	<u>AQUIFER</u>
4b	The <i>hajj</i> is a Pillar of Islam that requires that Muslims make a pilgrimage to which city at least once in their life?	<u>MECCA</u>

Round 4

1a	At the beginning of a game of chess, which is the only piece where each player has more than two?	<u>PAWN</u>
1b	Known for their decadent and ethnically-influenced styles, what is the four-letter name of the fashion brand founded by Barbara Hulanicki that operated in London from 1964 until 1975? This brand was relaunched by House of Fraser in 2014 with Hulanicki serving as design consultant.	<u>BIBA</u>
2a	Which actor played Joan Norton, an aunt of the title character in <i>Doc Martin</i> ? Her other TV roles include Dr. Beatrice Mason in all three series of <i>Tenko</i> ; Diana Trent, one of the stars of <i>Waiting for God</i> ; and Muriel in 'Soldiering On', one of Alan Bennett's <i>Talking Heads</i> monologues?	Stephanie <u>COLE</u>
2b	The RMS <i>Titanic</i> was built at the Harland & Wolff shipyard in which UK city ?	<u>BELFAST</u>
3a	The plot of which 19th-century Russian book , the most famous novel by Nikolai Gogol, concerns the efforts of the main character Chichikov to pull off a macabre get-rich-quick scheme?	<u>DEAD SOULS</u>
3b	Nueva Gerona is the largest city on which island , the second largest Cuban island after the country's mainland?	Isla de <u>JUVENTUD</u>
4a	The alloy brass is made up of zinc and which other metallic element ?	<u>COPPER</u>
4b	Which pop star , also known for hits like 'Just the Way You Are' and 'Grenade' was listed as a featured artist on Mark Ronson's 2014 hit 'Uptown Funk', despite this pop star doing all the singing?	Bruno <u>MARS</u>

HALF-TIME - PLEASE CHANGE ORDER

Round 5

1a	Who replaced Zoe Ball as presenter of the Radio 1 <i>Breakfast Show</i> in 2000? Since 2019 she has presented the drive time slot on Radio 2 and has previously hosted TV shows such as <i>Back in Time for...</i> and <i>The Great Pottery Throwdown</i> .	Sara <u>COX</u>
1b	What word is used to describe trees or plants that shed their leaves every year?	<u>DECIDUOUS</u>
2a	Which American skincare and fragrance brand influenced by Brazilian beach culture is also beloved of TikTok “Sephora kids”? Its bestsellers include Bum Bum cream, Beija Flor ElastiCream and Delicia Drench Body Butter.	<u>SOL DE JANEIRO</u>
2b	Scoring a total of 306 goals between 1986 and 1999, which player is the all-time top goalscorer for Wolverhampton Wanderers?	Steve <u>BULL</u>
3a	Which two-word phrase first began appearing in the American press around 1840, expressing the belief that the USA was pre-ordained to expand west across the North American continent?	<u>MANIFEST DESTINY</u>
3b	1957 also saw the release of what Ingmar Bergman film , often called his magnum opus? The film is particularly famous for a scene in which Max von Sydow’s character sits down to play chess against Death.	<i>The</i> <u>SEVENTH SEAL</u>
4a	What four-letter prefix meaning “mouth of the river” can precede “-fan” [van] and “-gavenny” in the name of settlements in south Wales, and also can be found at the beginning of the Welsh name for the city of Swansea?	<u>ABER-</u>
4b	Which English writer was inspired by his World War II service in India to write the novels in <i>The Raj Quartet</i> series? These novels were dramatised for television as <i>The Jewel in the Crown</i> , and the coda to the series, <i>Staying On</i> , won this writer the 1977 Booker Prize.	Paul <u>SCOTT</u>

Round 6

1a	Team GB's first medal at the 2020 Tokyo Olympics came when Chelsie Giles came through a repechage to win a bronze medal in which indoor sport?	<u>JUDO</u>
1b	Since 1996, Blue Nun has contained 30% of which white grape variety that was first cultivated along the Rhine and is known for its petrol quality? In the <i>Only Fools and Horses</i> episode 'Miami Vice', Del Boy imports a truckload of this wine from Romania to sell as "pre-blessed" communion wine.	<u>RIESLING</u>
2a	Which actress starred in <i>Gentlemen Prefer Blondes</i> as Lorelei Lee, in an early example of her playing the "blonde bombshell" character she would also play in <i>Some Like It Hot</i> ?	Marilyn <u>MONROE</u>
2b	Libyan dictator Muammar Gaddafi was born in the village of Qasr Abu Hadi on the outskirts of which city halfway between Tripoli and Benghazi? Gaddafi was captured and killed in the immediate aftermath of a 2011 battle named after this city.	<u>SIRTE</u>
3a	The largest version of Barbara Hepworth's <i>Single Form</i> is on public display outside the New York City headquarters of which international organisation?	<u>UNITED NATIONS</u> (or <u>UN</u>)
3b	BE is the two-letter abbreviation for which Swiss canton , sharing its name with the country's capital city?	<u>BERN</u>
4a	Which endocrine gland located in the neck secretes calcitonin as well as two hormones responsible for the regulation of metabolism?	<u>THYROID</u>
4b	'D.I.S.C.O.' and 'Hands Up (Give Me Your Heart)' were top 5 hits in 1980 and 1981 respectively for which French pop music duo?	<u>OTTAWAN</u>

Round 7

1a	The plot of which 19th-century Russian novel , the most famous work by Ivan Turgenev, concerns the juxtaposition of the main characters Arkady Kirsanov and Yevgeny Bazarov in terms of their political outlooks and romantic entanglements?	<u>FATHERS AND SONS</u> (or <u>FATHERS AND CHILDREN</u>)
1b	Also among the oldest cities on the island, which city is the second-largest in Cuba? It is found in the southeast of the island.	<u>SANTIAGO de Cuba</u>
2a	The alloy pewter was traditionally made with tin and which other metal , which has since been phased out due to its toxicity? This was also traditionally used in solders.	<u>LEAD</u>
2b	Which pop star , also known for hits like ‘Wrecking Ball’ and ‘Flowers’ was listed as a featured artist on Mark Ronson’s 2018 hit ‘Nothing Breaks Like a Heart’, despite this pop star doing all the singing?	Miley <u>CYRUS</u>
3a	At the beginning of a game of chess, which pieces are placed on the corner squares of the board? These pieces may move any number of squares horizontally or vertically without jumping.	<u>ROOK</u> (accept <u>CASTLE</u>)
3b	His designs influencing Christian Lacroix, Anna Sui and John Galliano; which ‘Swinging Sixties’ British fashion designer was the subject of a famous 1970 painting alongside his wife and collaborator, the textile designer Celia Birtwell?	Ossie <u>CLARK</u>
4a	Succeeding Stephanie Cole, which actor played Ruth Ellingham, an aunt of the title character in <i>Doc Martin</i> ? She is known for her long stage career and for co-creating the shows <i>Upstairs, Downstairs</i> and <i>The House of Eliott</i> .	Eileen <u>ATKINS</u>
4b	The <i>Lusitania</i> , <i>Hood</i> , <i>Queen Mary</i> , and <i>QE2</i> were all built by John Brown & Company in Clydebank, close to which major UK city ?	<u>GLASGOW</u>

Round 8

1a	In which southern European capital city did an earthquake kill around 30,000 people on All Saints' Day in 1755?	<u>LISBON</u>
1b	Based on an American show with the same name, David Jacobs was the long-time host of what BBC music television programme , in which four celebrity guests would judge each of the week's recent releases and judge them hits or misses?	<u>JUKE BOX JURY</u>
2a	Aquifers can develop in limestone, which, when worn away, forms what type of landscape which is characterised by caves, sinkholes and large flat plains? Australia's Nullarbor Plain is the world's largest limestone area of this type.	<u>KARST</u>
2b	By what name is the ninth month of the Islamic calendar known? During this month, all Muslims who are healthy enough are obliged to fast from dawn until sunset.	<u>RAMADAN</u>
3a	First appearing in the novel <i>Catching Fire</i> , which character in <i>The Hunger Games</i> trilogy was selected as the female tribute for District 7 for the 75th Hunger Games, having previously won the 71st games? A prominent figure in the rebellion against the Capitol, at the end of <i>Mockingjay</i> she votes in favour of a special Hunger Games featuring children of Capitol politicians. First name or surname acceptable.	<u>JOHANNA MASON</u>
3b	Known for his contributions to differential geometry with Isadore Singer and considered a co-founder of topological K-theory, which mathematician was the second winner of the Abel Prize after Jean-Pierre Serre?	Michael <u>ATIYAH</u>
4a	Turning 18 in May 2024, Shiloh is the daughter of Brad Pitt and which actress, filmmaker and humanitarian ?	Angelina <u>JOLIE</u>
4b	Which Australian snooker player , who won the world championship in 2010, is known by the nickname 'the Thunder from Down Under'?	Neil <u>ROBERTSON</u>

If the scores are level after Round 8, please play Round 9 – if scores are still level after that, the tie should be broken using the ‘Nearest the Bull’ question that follows. If the ‘Nearest the Bull’ is required, please inform Jon Stitcher of the result. Order reverses back.

1a	Which Dutch physicist gives his name to transformations used to convert from one inertial reference frame to another in special relativity?	Henrik <u>LORENTZ</u>
1b	More commonly called the Michelin Man, what is the original name of the humanoid figure, made of white tyres, who is the mascot for the company, Michelin?	<u>BIBENDUM</u>
2a	Which member of the ‘Gang of Four’ who founded the SDP won the 1981 Crosby by-election? She went on to lead the Liberal Democrats in the House of Lords.	Shirley <u>WILLIAMS</u>
2b	Eric McCormack, a straight man, portrayed the male title character in which groundbreaking US sitcom that debuted in the late 1990s? McCormack’s fellow cast members on the show included Debra Messing, Megan Mullally and Sean Hayes.	<u>WILL & GRACE</u>
3a	Also known simply as Mr Monopoly, what is the name of the mascot for the board game Monopoly?	Rich Uncle <u>PENNYBAGS</u> (accept <u>Milburn PENNYBAGS</u>)
3b	Which German physicist gives his name to a system of spacetime comprising three traditional space dimensions and an additional time dimension?	Hermann <u>MINKOWSKI</u>
4a	Aidan Gillen, a straight man, portrayed prominent player in the Canal Street scene Stuart Jones in which groundbreaking comedy drama by Russell T. Davies that debuted in the late 1990s?	<u>QUEER AS FOLK</u>
4b	Which member of the ‘Gang of Four’ who founded the SDP, a former Labour Foreign Secretary, led the party from 1983–87 and did not join the Liberal Democrats after the SDP-Liberal merger.	David <u>OWEN</u>

Nearest the Bull

If this question is required, each team must nominate one player only to answer this question. The QM should read the question aloud and ask the two nominated players to send them a private message with their answer. Whichever team's answer is closer to the correct answer wins the match.

Q: For how many shows did *Life with Father* by Howard Lindsay and Russel Crouse run on Broadway, a record for a non-musical production?

A: 3,224

Spares

1	Rudge Park was the name of the school attended by the four main characters of which UK sitcom?	<i>The <u>INBETWEENERS</u></i>
2	Tardar Sauce was an internet sensation and the source of many memes. By what two-word name was Tardar Sauce known in these memes?	<u>GRUMPY CAT</u>
3	Who dictated the Jerilderie letter to his fellow gang member Joe Byrne? The letter was written in 1879, one year before this man's execution.	Ned <u>KELLY</u>
4	Which rodent of the genus <i>Dasyprocta</i> is native tropics in the Americas? They are closely related to guinea pigs and are among the few species able to open brazil nuts.	<u>AGOUTI</u>