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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	Reigning from 1837-1901 and a member of the House of Hanover, which queen of England has the second longest reign of any British Monarch?	Queen <u>Victoria</u>
1b	The reinsurance company Swiss Re commissioned which building to be built in London? It was designed by Norman Foster, is located at 30 St Mary Axe and is known by a food related nickname.	The <u>Gherkin</u>
2a	Which TV show that ran for 4 series between 1976 and 1985 follows the misadventures of a corner shop owner called Arkwright and his nephew Granville who works for him?	<u>Open All Hours</u>
2b	Only two countries in the world have a population of over 1 billion, which of these countries has major cities that include Mumbai, Jaipur and New Delhi?	<u>India</u>
3a	What is the real name of the Youtube megastar Mr Beast? His videos often involve helping people & animals on a large scale by giving away large amounts of money, building wells in Africa and helping dogs get adopted. You may answer with his first name or surname.	<u>James</u> Stephen <u>Donaldson</u> (Accept either underlined part or <u>Jimmy</u>)
3b	Which French anthropologist, who died in 2009, was of the structuralist school and argued that the "Savage" mind had the same structures as the "Civilized" mind across his many works which include the 1995 work "Tristes Tropiques" (Sad Tropics)?	Claude <u>Levi-Strauss</u>
4a	' <i>Ignorance</i> ', ' <i>Still Into You</i> ' and ' <i>Misery Business</i> ' are some of the songs released by which American rock band fronted by Hayley Williams?	<u>Paramore</u>
4b	Which British heavyweight Boxer had an eventful 2023, controversially losing to Oleksander Uysk in August before defeating Jarrell Miller in December?	Daniel <u>Dubois</u>

Round 2

1a	Regarded as one of the most successful Afrobeat songs of all time, the song " <i>Calm Down</i> " spent a good chunk of 2023 in the UK top 10 and was by which Nigerian rapper & singer?	<u>Rema</u>
1b	A powerhouse of Olympic kayaking, which German kayaker won 8 gold medals over 6 Olympic games for both East Germany & then the reunited Germany? She has been both the youngest ever and the oldest ever Olympics canoeing champion, winning titles at the ages of 18 in 1980 and 42 in 2004.	Birgit <u>Fischer</u>
2a	Founded by Julian Hearn and James Collier in 2014, which brand's mission is to 'make nutritionally complete, convenient, affordable food, with minimal impact on animals and the environment'? Its powdered food line also comes in a 'black edition' which contains a higher ratio of protein than their original version.	<u>Huel</u>
2b	Pierre Agostini, Ferenc Krausz and Anne L'Hullier won the 2023 Nobel Prize in Physics for their work on which unit of time which is equivalent to around one quintillion of a second?	<u>Attosecond</u>
3a	The Game show 'Wheel of Fortune' returned to UK screens in January 2024 with which Irish comedian, actor, author and chat show host as the presenter? He can also be seen fronting his own chat show on BBC One on Friday evenings.	Graham <u>Norton</u>
3b	Which river is the largest river in the UK by discharge and also the longest river in Scotland?	<u>Tay</u>
4a	What colourful name is given to the Revolution that took place in Ukraine in 2004 and 2005 after Pro-Russian PM Viktor Yanukoych was declared the winner of an election?	The <u>Orange</u> Revolution
4b	Which painting by Leonardo Da Vinci causes a stir in the Louvre when she comes to life and boards a flight to Athens in a recent Easjet Advert? Her passport reads Gherardini.	<u>Mona Lisa</u> (Accept Gioconda)

Round 3

1a	Writing and performing in his stand-up show 'Modern Life is Goodish' between 2013-2017, which comedian has appeared on various panel shows such as 'Have I got news for you', 'QI' and 'Taskmaster' as well as boasting earlier writing credits for 'The Mrs Merton Show' and 'The Fast Show'?	Dave <u>Gorman</u>
1b	What is the 2nd smallest state in the USA by area? Wilmington is the largest city in this state whilst the capital of this state shares its name with an English town.	<u>Delaware</u>
2a	Which German city hosted, and gave its name to, the conference held in July 1945 attended by Joseph Stalin, Winston Churchill and Harry Truman, aimed at deciding how to administer Germany in the aftermath of World War 2? This was the final of three similar conferences, the others held in Tehran and Yalta.	<u>Potsdam</u> Conference
2b	<i>"Women who love themselves are threatening; but men who love real women, more so."</i> is a quote by Naomi Wolf and is taken from which of her works? This work critiques society for the ever growing pressure on women to adhere to unrealistic aesthetics standards.	The <u>Beauty Myth</u>
3a	"Don't you ever, don't you ever, stop being Dandy, showing me you're handsome" – These are the opening lyrics to which Number 1 single from Adam and the Ants? It was their second UK Number 1 after 'Stand and Deliver'.	<u>Prince Charming</u>
3b	Which German tennis player won 22 majors singles titles across her career, the third most of all time in women's singles, & was the first player to achieve a Golden Slam, completing this feat in 1988? She was also ranked world No. 1 for a record 377 weeks across her career.	Steffi <u>Graf</u>
4a	What folk dance is often performed in the spring and summer months, often found in festivals and fetes across the UK and Europe? Participants gather around a central object and dance around in a regular pattern, winding long ribbons around the central object as they go.	<u>Maypole</u> Dancing

4b	Which organelle, found in the cells of most eukaryotes, is known as the 'powerhouse of the cell' & generates adenosine triphosphate (ATP) which is used as a source of chemical energy within the cell?	<u>Mitochondria</u>
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Round 4

1a	What name is given to the sweet tasting naan bread which is filled with coconut, almonds and raisins or sultanas?	<u>Peshwari</u> Naan
1b	Siberian & Bengal are two subspecies of which species of big cat, most commonly found in India, Southeast Asia & the Russian Far East?	<u>Tiger</u>
2a	According to the title of her 60's hit, Nancy Sinatra claimed that "These Boots Are Made for..." what?	<u>Walkin'</u>
2b	Sean Millis went viral on Tik Tok with his song "Waiting On a Miracle" due to his resemblance to which football player? This Danish striker has been struggling for Manchester United this season but finally scored his first premier league goal, in a 3-2 victory over Aston Villa, after a series of videos by Sean wishing him the best.	Rasmus <u>Hojlund</u>
3a	Who was the Romanian military officer and marshal who led the country during most of World War II, forming an alliance with Nazi Germany and becoming known for his role in the Holocaust in Romania, before being tried and executed for war crimes in 1946?	Ion <u>Antonescu</u>
3b	One of the composers from the Russian group known as "The Five", who composed the opera <i>Prince Igor</i> and the symphonic poem <i>In the Steppes of Central Asia</i> ?	Alexander <u>Borodin</u>
4a	In which 2013 movie does Brad Pitt star as Gerry Lane, a former UN investigator searching for a cure for a Zombie	<u>World War Z</u>

	Pandemic? The movie is adapted from a novel by Max Brooks.	
4b	Which thinker from Miletus is considered to be the “first Philosopher”? He broke tradition and used natural philosophy to explain the world rather than mythology, and he believed that the Earth floated on a bed of water.	<u>Thales</u>

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Round 5

1a	The Amapiano song " <i>Water</i> ", which has elements of R&B and Afrobeats, reached the top 10 in the UK in 2023 and is by which South African singer?	<u>Tyla</u>
1b	One of the men Margaret Mead studied under at Barnard College, was which individual often labelled as the “Father of American Anthropology”? This man's most famous work was perhaps the 1911 work “The Mind of Primitive Man” which describes the gift giving ceremony of Potlatch.	Frank <u>Boas</u>
2a	First airing in 2020, who is the host of the BBC comedy game show <i>The Wheel</i> ? This comedian devised the show himself and is also known for presenting his self-titled <i>Big Show</i> .	Michael <u>McIntyre</u>
2b	Which British Boxer, who had defeated Daniel Dubois earlier in his career, had a hard time of things in 2023? Entering the year 15-0, this Olympian was defeated twice by Zhilei Zhang in April and September.	Joe <u>Joyce</u>
3a	Referring to floral items that demonstrators held in their hand as they stormed a parliament session, what name was given to the Revolution that took place in Georgia in 2003?	The <u>Rose</u> Revolution
3b	Another painting that comes to life in the Easyjet advert is a piece by Johannes Vermeer. This painting is known as "Girl with a Earring", what blank fills in the title?	<u>Pearl</u>

4a	Founded by Saeju Jeong and Artem Petakov in 2008, which brand's mission is to 'help people everywhere lead healthier lives, fueled by a powerful combination of technology, psychology, and human coaching'? This subscription based app tracks a user's food intake and exercise habits and has a strong emphasis on behaviour change and mental wellness to achieve long lasting health benefits for users.	<u>NOOM</u>
4b	Which river is the longest in the British Isles and the longest in Ireland?	<u>Shannon</u>

Round 6

1a	Which TV show that ran from 1972 – 85 follows the misadventures of the staff & customers of the ladies' & gentlemen's clothing department of the flagship store of the fictional Grace Brothers chain of department stores?	<u>Are You Being Served?</u>
1b	The other country in the world with over 1 billion people is which country? Major cities in this country include Shanghai, Beijing and Wuhan.	<u>China</u>
2a	<i>Sugar, We're Goin Down</i> , <i>Dance Dance</i> & <i>Thnks fr th Mmrs</i> (pronounced Thanks For The Memories) are some of the songs released by which American rock band who are named after a minor character from <i>The Simpsons</i> ?	<u>Fall Out Boy</u>
2b	The tallest building in the United Kingdom was designed by Renzo Piano and is known by which name?	The <u>Shard</u> (Accept <u>Shard London Bridge</u> or <u>London Bridge Tower</u>)
3a	What is the real name of the Youtube megastar, rapper and boxer <i>KSI</i> ? He is known for his involvement with the Youtube group <i>The Sidemen</i> as well as losing a boxing match to Tommy Fury last year. You may answer with his first name, his surname or his nickname.	<u>Olajide</u> Olayinka Williams <u>Olatunji</u> (Accept either underlined part, also accept <u>JJ</u>)
3b	A powerhouse of Olympic Equestrian, which German holds the record for the most medals won by any Equestrian athlete? She has competed in six Olympic games and gained 7 gold medals, her most recent being 2020.	Isabell <u>Werth</u>

4a	Reigning from 1558-1603 and a member of the House of Tudor, which queen of England has the 9th longest reign of any British Monarch and the third longest reign of any British Queen?	Queen <u>Elizabeth I</u> (Accept Queen <u>Elizabeth</u> but do not accept or prompt on Queen Elizabeth II (second))
4b	Moungi G. Bawendi, Louis E. Brus and Aleksey Yekimov won the 2023 Nobel Prize in Chemistry for their work on which technology, a semiconductor crystal of nanometre dimensions?	<u>Quantum Dots</u>

Round 7

1a	What folk dance consists of a choreographed rhythmic dance where participants wear bell pads on their shins or shoes, usually wielding sticks or handkerchiefs as part of their routine? Dancers will often wear white clothing and waistcoats, although there is some variation across counties and regions.	<u>Morris</u> Dancing
1b	Pete Boc is a Tik Tok influencer who sings many songs about his football club Liverpool and in particular which of their strikers? This Uruguayan striker is also struggling to score goals this season having only scored 5 goals, in the Premier League, before the New Year.	Darwin <u>Nunez</u>
2a	What name was given to the American Initiative to provide aid to Western Europe that was enacted in 1948? It was named for the Secretary of State who proposed the plan a year earlier.	<u>Marshall</u> Plan
2b	Polar & Brown are two subspecies of which carnivoran mammals? The Brown subspecies is the most widespread, being found from Western Europe, Asia & North America.	<u>Bear</u>
3a	Accompanying his wife Lucy Beaumont in their namesake TV Show, which comedian is also known for his regular appearances as team captain on '8 out of 10 cats' as well as guest appearances on 'Never mind the Buzzcocks' and 'Have I got news for you' among others?	Jon <u>Richardson</u>
3b	What is the 4th smallest state in the USA by area? This state is the most densely populated and its largest city is Newark.	<u>New Jersey</u>

	If you were to list all the state capitals alphabetically this states capital would be last on the list.	
4a	"Desert loving in your eyes all the way, If I listen to your lies, would you say I'm a man without conviction" - These are the opening lyrics to which UK Number 1 by Culture Club? It was their second UK number 1 coming after 'Do You Really Want to Hurt Me'.	<u>Karma Chameleon</u>
4b	"When she stopped conforming to the conventional picture of femininity, she finally began to enjoy being a woman." is a quote by Betty Friedan and is taken from which of her works? This work is said to have been the catalyst which started the second-wave feminism in America.	The <u>Feminine Mystique</u>

Round 8

1a	What was the name of the Belgian Walloon politician and Nazi collaborator, known for his leadership of the Rexist Party before World War II? He enlisted in the German army during the war and after the war he fled to Spain and became a prominent neo-Nazi figure, whilst denying the Holocaust.	Léon <u>Degrelle</u>
1b	Based on a folk legend, <i>Bluebeards Castle</i> is the only opera by which alliteratively named Hungarian composer?	Bela <u>Bartok</u>
2a	What name is given to the savoury tasting naan bread that is filled with spiced minced meat, either lamb or goat?	<u>Keema</u> Naan
2b	Which pre-Socratic philosopher from Ephesus emphasised the constant change in the universe, famously stating "No man ever steps in the same river twice"? He considered fire to be the primary substance shaping the world and is known	<u>Heraclitus</u>

	for his doctrine of change and the unity of opposites.	
3a	According to the title of their 60's hit, The Supremes wanted you to "Stop! In the Name of..." what?	<u>Love</u>
3b	Which organelle, situated in the cytoplasm of eukaryotic and prokaryotic cells, is essential for protein synthesis, translating messenger RNA into polypeptides to form proteins?	<u>Ribosomes</u>
4a	In 2013, Harrison Ford starred alongside Asa Butterfield, who played the title role, in an adaptation of which 1985 Sci Fi Novel by Orson Scott Card?	<u>Ender's Game</u>
4b	Which Czech & later American tennis player won 18 major singles titles, 31 major women's doubles titles & major mixed doubles titles across her career? Alongside her great rival Chris Evert, she dominated women's tennis in the 1970s & 1980s.	Martina <u>Navratilova</u>

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1	With a 3 letter female name as the answer, what is the name of the company that runs the world's largest in-depth nutrition study? You take tests at home, such as a finger prick test then send off your results to the company to get scores for different foods so you can build new, healthier, habits.	<u>ZOE</u>
2	" <i>One is not born, but rather becomes a woman.</i> " is a famous quote by Simone de Beauvoir and is taken from which of her works of 1949 which was banned by The Vatican?	The <u>Second Sex</u>
3	Which TV soap, that originally ran from 1964 – 88, focuses on the lives of two feuding sisters, the titular business, its staff & their customers?	<u>Crossroads</u>

4	Spoofing the name of a popular children's TV series that ran for over 30 years, which Dave exclusive featured comedians such as Jack Dee, Harry Enfield, Vic Reeves, Johnny Mitchell and David Mitchell amongst many others narrating stories?	<u>Crackanory</u>
5	Which organelle within eukaryotic cells is responsible for many important functions, including protein folding & transport? It's distinguished into two types: smooth and rough.	<u>Endoplasmic Reticulum</u>
6	Belize adopted its current name in 1973, 8 years before it gained full independence. What was the name of the country we now know as Belize between 1783 and 1973?	<u>British Honduras</u>
7	Named the Apple iPhone App of the Year in 2022, which app that had launched two years earlier, requires users to respond to a daily notification that encourages them to share a photo of themselves in a randomly selected 2 minute window every day? The app has around 15-20 million daily users worldwide	<u>BeReal</u>