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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>	Hugh Town is the largest settlement on which British series of islands?	<u>SCILLY ISLES</u>
<b>1b</b>	Hasdrupal was the leader of which African city when it was besieged by Rome during the Third Punic War?	<u>CARTHAGE</u>
<b>2a</b>	Winning in 1967, who was the only New Zealand winner of the Formula 1 World Championships?	Denny <u>HULME</u>
<b>2b</b>	Three down and out young men look for the meaning of life in a jukebox musical based on the music of which pop-punk band? In one scene set to this band's song Holiday, one of the characters enlists in the US army before losing his leg in Iraq.	<u>GREEN DAY</u>
<b>3a</b>	Pete Davidson gets around a bit, between December of 2022 and September 2023, he courted which film and television actress, known for her roles in the drama series Generation and the comedy horror film Bodies Bodies Bodies?	Chase Sui <u>WONDERS</u>
<b>3b</b>	Which is the largest object in the Asteroid Belt? It is classified as both an asteroid and a dwarf planet and is named after the Roman Goddess of agriculture.	<u>CERES</u>
<b>4a</b>	Which true crime documentary series, debuting in 2004, follows Michael Peterson, a man suspected of murdering his wife Kathleen. This documentary series was picked up by Netflix in 2018 for additional episodes following the case, and the title references a feature in a house.	<u>THE STAIRCASE</u> (accept Soupçons if they want to be pretentious)
<b>4b</b>	The 2000 novel Gertrude and Claudius is a retelling of the relationship between the King and Queen of Denmark in Hamlet, by which American novelist also known for Rabbit, Run and The Witches of Eastwick?	John Hoyer <u>UPDIKE</u>

## Round 2

<b>1a</b>	Which New Zealand rugby player won Women's Sevens Player of the Decade in 2020? The first female player to score 250 tries in the Sevens Series, she was also part of the gold medal team at the Tokyo 2020 Olympics.	PORTIA <u>WOODMAN</u>
<b>1b</b>	Anne L'Huiller's 2023 Nobel Prize in Physics came after her research into which branch of physics, where she generated incredibly brief pulses of light to measure electron dynamics?	<u>ATTOPHYSICS</u> (accept ATTOSECONDS or ATTOSECOND PHYSICS)
<b>2a</b>	Tourists can take a cable car to the top of picturesque Mount Trebevic in which Balkan capital city which once hosted the Winter Olympics?	<u>SARAJEVO</u>
<b>2b</b>	Portraying his garden in Giverny, Claude Monet painted over 250 works between 1895 and 1926 depicting which flowers?	<u>WATER LILIES</u>
<b>3a</b>	Currently in cinemas starring in <i>The Fall Guy</i> , Emily Blunt portrayed the wife of the title character in which 2023 historical blockbuster based on a World War 2 scientist?	<u>OPPENHEIMER</u>
<b>3b</b>	Which former Chancellor of the Exchequer, the MP for Spelthorne, announced recently he would be stepping down at the upcoming General Election? He served as Chancellor under Liz Truss, and was the second shortest chancellor in terms of service.	Kwasi <u>KWARTENG</u>
<b>4a</b>	Named for a Native American people and also the game being played in the advertisement, which British public information film depicts a group of children who die in a series of accidents while playing on a farm? The film warned against dangerous activities like swimming in slurry pits and drinking random chemicals.	<u>APACHES</u>
<b>4b</b>	Taylor Swift's Eras tour has seen fans paint each of their nails different colours to represent a different one of Swift's albums. Which album, her seventh, is represented by a pink nail? The title of this album refers to Swift's then-partner Joe Alwyn, but could now refer to Travis Kelce.	<u>LOVER</u>

### Round 3

<b>1a</b>	Which word was tacked on the end of 'Nemesis' when it reopened at Alton Towers earlier this year after a period of closure and re-theming in the surrounding area? The new name reflected the re-theming of the area.	<b><u>REBORN</u></b>
<b>1b</b>	Most notably writing for the Observer, which film critic now hosts a movie review podcast alongside Simon Mayo? Previously their show was hosted on BBC Radio 5 live, but has been a separate endeavour since 2022.	Mark <b><u>KERMODE</u></b>
<b>2a</b>	Based on a 1985 Larry Kramer play of the same name, Matt Ruffalo, Alfred Molina and Jim Parsons starred in which Emmy-winning 2014 television film which depicted the rise of the AIDS crisis in 1980s New York?	The <b><u>NORMAL HEART</u></b>
<b>2b</b>	Which Catholic plot of 1571 to overthrow Elizabeth I was led and financed by an Italian banker and financier? It was the first of the three major plots to install Mary Queen of Scots on the English throne.	<b><u>RIDOLFI</u></b> Plot
<b>3a</b>	The controversial 'Obedience Experiments', in which subjects were encouraged to administer what they believed were fatal electric shocks to others, was overseen by which psychologist?	Stanley <b><u>MILGRAM</u></b>
<b>3b</b>	Commedia dell'arte has four stock character types. Which character type, which has a name reminiscent of 'silly', includes servants and clowns including the Harlequin character?	<b><u>ZANNI</u></b> (pronounced 'zany')
<b>4a</b>	In chess notation, which symbol is used to represent a checkmate? Also known as an Octothorpe, it is often used to denote trending topics on social media.	<b><u>HASH</u></b> tag
<b>4b</b>	Spermology (no laughing at the back, thank you) is the study of what? This is not a biological field, and instead is often a botanical one.	<b><u>SEED</u></b> s

## Round 4

<b>1a</b>	Which actress, with the first name Jennifer, won an Emmy for her role in 'The White Lotus', but also played Stifler's Mom in American Pie and Paulette in Legally Blonde? She is known for her deep, deadpan voice.	Jennifer <b><u>COOLIDGE</u></b>
<b>1b</b>	In Greek mythology, Clio was the muse of which discipline?	<b><u>HISTORY</u></b>
<b>2a</b>	Ketchup, mustard, fried onions and jalapenos are all popular and delicious toppings for what kind of fast food, often served out of street carts and usually consisting of a wiener sausage served in a sliced bun?	<b><u>HOT DOGS</u></b>
<b>2b</b>	A 1687 work by Isaac Newton that delves into his theories and laws of gravity and motion has what title? The full title is four words, but you may answer with the one-word title by which it is best known.	<b><u>PRINCIPIA</u></b> (accept Philosophiae Naturalis Principia Mathematica)
<b>3a</b>	What word, containing a word that one might normally associate with a bear, is used in boxing terminology to refer to a fighter who is left-handed? It is also used for left-handed baseball players.	<b><u>SOUTHPAW</u></b>
<b>3b</b>	Back in the U.S.S.R., Ob-La-Di, Ob-La-Da and Helter Skelter are all tracks on which band's 1968 album called 'The White Album'? The album's real name is the name of this band.	The <b><u>BEATLES</u></b>
<b>4a</b>	Found among Western states such as Wyoming, Utah, Idaho and Colorado, which Native American group has a name which comes from the phrase 'High Growing Grasses'? Sacagawea was a member of this tribe.	<b><u>SHOSHONE</u></b>
<b>4b</b>	One of the nephews of the Hunnic ruler Rugila, which brother of Attila the Hun ruled jointly with him until his death in the year 445 CE? It is unknown how he died, though it is widely suspected that Attila - perhaps unsurprisingly - had him murdered.	<b><u>BLEDA</u></b>

## HALF-TIME - PLEASE CHANGE ORDER

### Round 5

<b>1a</b>	It's celebrity lothario Pete Davidson again. After breaking up with Chase Sui Wonders, Davidson began a relationship with which actress and model, known for her role in the sci-fi series <i>Outer Banks</i> and the murder mystery <i>Glass Onion</i> ? At time of writing, they are still together.	Madelyn <u>CLINE</u>
<b>1b</b>	After Ceres, what is the second largest asteroid within the Asteroid Belt and is also the brightest asteroid visible from Earth? It is named after the Roman goddess of the hearth.	<u>VESTA</u>
<b>2a</b>	Currently in cinemas starring in <i>The Fall Guy</i> , Ryan Gosling portrayed the boyfriend of the title character in which 2023 comedy based on a toy?	<u>BARBIE</u>
<b>2b</b>	Which former Chancellor of the Exchequer, the MP for Stratford, announced recently he would be stepping down at the upcoming General Election? He served as Chancellor under Boris Johnson after Rishi Sunak's July 2022 resignation, and is also a failed candidate for Tory party leadership.	Nadhim <u>ZAHAWI</u>
<b>3a</b>	What is the first name of the director of <i>Lost in Translation</i> which she shares with a city? She could ski down the stunning Mount Vitosha in this Balkan capital city.	<u>SOFIA</u>
<b>3b</b>	Painted at Arles, which flowers are depicted in a series of still life paintings by Vincent van Gogh, painted in 1888 and 1889?	<u>SUNFLOWERS</u>
<b>4a</b>	Who was the only winner of the Formula 1 World Championships to hail from South Africa? He won in 1979.	Jody <u>SCHECKTER</u>
<b>4b</b>	Described as a 'rock ballet', a series of characters enlist and serve in the Vietnam War in a jukebox musical set to the music of which soft-rock singer? In one scene, set to the song <i>Goodnight Saigon</i> , one character describes his traumatic memories of the conflict.	Billy <u>JOEL</u>

## Round 6

<b>1a</b>	Kirkwall is the largest town on which British archipelago?	<b><u>ORKNEY</u></b>
<b>1b</b>	Mehmed II of the Ottoman Empire took which European city during a siege in the 15th century?	<b><u>CONSTANTINOPLE</u></b>
<b>2a</b>	Awarded Women's 15s Breakthrough Player of the Year in 2023, which New Zealand rugby player was part of the Kiwi Ferns and Newcastle Knights before joining the Blues for the Super Rugby Aupiki season?	KATELYN <b><u>VAHA'AKOLO</u></b>
<b>2b</b>	Donna Strickland, who won the Nobel Prize in Physics in 2018, is known for her work in which technique? In this process, ultrashort lasers are stretched out, and then compressed again, and different colour components of the light travel different distances.	<b><u>CHIRPED PULSE AMPLIFICATION</u></b> (prompt on CPA)
<b>3a</b>	Donald Pleasance voiced Death in which British public information film that warned children against playing near open riverbanks or ponds? Pleasance, as the Grim Reaper, remarks in this film that 'Only a fool would ignore' a No Swimming sign.	<b><u>LONELY WATER</u></b> (accept The Spirit of Dark and Lonely Water, or any combination as long as Lonely Water is present)
<b>3b</b>	Which Taylor Swift album is represented by dark blue nail varnish by Swift fans? This album, her tenth, has a title which refers to the time of day in which it was written.	<b><u>MIDNIGHTS</u></b>
<b>4a</b>	Which Netflix true crime documentary series, debuting in 2015, follows the story of Steven Avery, a man exonerated 18 years after being convicted of the attempted murder of one person but then arrested and convicted a year after his release for the killing of another person, a photographer for Auto Trader magazine? The title questions how a person may be driven to kill someone.	<b><u>MAKING A MURDERER</u></b>
<b>4b</b>	The 2016 novel <i>Nutshell</i> , which retells <i>Hamlet</i> from the perspective of a baby in Gertrude's womb, is by which British novelist also known for <i>Atonement</i> and <i>The Child In Time</i> ?	Ian <b><u>MCEWAN</u></b>



## Round 7

<b>1a</b>	Which actress, with the first name Jennifer, was Oscar nominated for her role in <i>Bullets over Broadway</i> , but also voices Tiffany in the Chucky films and Bonnie Swanson in <i>Family Guy</i> ? She is known for her breathy, squeaky voice, and her sister Meg co-starred in <i>The Big Chill</i> .	Jennifer <b><u>TILLY</u></b>
<b>1b</b>	Which film critic, who died in 2013, made his name writing for the Chicago Sun-Times and also for working alongside fellow critic and sparring partner Gene Siskel? He won the Pulitzer Prize for Criticism in 1975.	Roger <b><u>EBERT</u></b>
<b>2a</b>	At Thorpe Park, which word is added to 'Nemesis' to differentiate it from its sister ride at Alton Towers? It represents a descent into darkness which riders are supposed to undergo.	<b><u>INFERNO</u></b>
<b>2b</b>	In Greek mythology, Urania was the muse of which discipline?	<b><u>ASTRONOMY</u></b>
<b>3a</b>	In chess notation, which letter is used to represent one piece taking another? It is the current name of a social media platform.	<b><u>X</u></b>
<b>3b</b>	The regent of Russia in the mid-late 17th century, which Russian noblewoman was the sister of Peter I and Ivan V who did most of the ruling and administration until her political downfall in 1689? First name is sufficient.	<b><u>SOPHIA</u></b> Alekseyevna (accept just Sophia)
<b>4a</b>	Found in Northeastern states such as New York and Pennsylvania, the Mohawk and Seneca people were among which Native American confederacy, of which Hiawatha was the leader?	<b><u>HAUDENOSAUNEE / IROQUOIS</u></b>
<b>4b</b>	Mycology is the study of what? Yeast is often included in this research.	<b><u>MUSHROOMS / FUNGI</u></b>

## Round 8

<b>1a</b>	A synonym for 'normal', and occasionally preceded in a different context by 'Eastern', which word is used in boxing terminology to refer to a fighter who is right-handed?	<b><u>ORTHODOX</u></b>
<b>1b</b>	Another commedia dell'arte stock character type is which stock character type, a blustering and bragging older man? The name of this character type is similar to a military rank.	Il <b><u>CAPITANO</u></b> (prompt on 'Captain)
<b>2a</b>	The Stanford Prison Experiment, where subjects were divided into prisoners and guards, was controversial for its unethical conditions. Which psychologist was the overseer of this experiment?	Philip <b><u>ZIMBARDO</u></b>
<b>2b</b>	Say You Love Me, Landslide and Rhiannon are all tracks on which band's 1975 album, also called 'The White Album'? This band's album, 'Rumours', is regarded as one of the greatest of all time and includes tracks such as Dreams, Go Your Own Way and The Chain.	<b><u>FLEETWOOD MAC</u></b>
<b>3a</b>	Taking its title from Randy Shilts' non-fiction book of the same name, Lily Tomlin, Matthew Modine and Ian McKellen starred in which Emmy-winning TV movie of 1993 that detailed the effects of AIDS in San Francisco?	<b><u>AND THE BAND PLAYED ON</u></b>
<b>3b</b>	The 1910 work Principia Mathematica was written by which mathematician and philosopher? Written with Alfred North Whitehead, it deals with the foundation of Mathematics.	Bertrand <b><u>RUSSELL</u></b>
<b>4a</b>	Ketchup, cheese, onions and lettuce are all delicious toppings for what kind of fast food? Gherkins are a more controversial condiment for this particular dish which usually consists of a patty of ground beef inside a sliced bun or bread roll.	<b><u>BURGERS</u></b> (accept Hamburgers, Beefburgers. Unprompt on Big Macs)
<b>4b</b>	Organised in 1583, which plot to overthrow Elizabeth I and replace her with Mary Queen of Scots was led by a cousin to one of Elizabeth I's ladies-in-waiting? This gentlewoman to Elizabeth, who shares a surname with the name of the plot, was also the wife of Walter Raleigh.	<b><u>THROCKMORTON</u></b> Plot

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### Spares

1	In King Lear, what is the name of Lear's eldest daughter?	<u>GONERIL</u>
2	Complete the television advert to sell a particular box of chocolates: 'And all because the Lady loves [BLANK BLANK]	<u>MILK TRAY</u>
3	Which two-word phrase does the Japanese word 'Kamikaze' translate to?	<u>DIVINE WIND</u>
4	Which actor described having 'a million reasons, all of them with the Queen's face on' to play the private detective Eddie Valiant in 'Who Framed Roger Rabbit'?	Bob <u>HOSKINS</u>