

ONLINE QUIZ LEAGUE - Friendly

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Round 1

1a	In which 2003 film, starring Bill Nighy, does a fictional UK Prime	Love Actually
	Minister, played by Hugh Grant, dance to the song <i>Jump</i> (For My	
	<i>Love</i>)? The film, which involves a series of interlinked stories about	
	the love lives of its various characters, is Richard Curtis's directorial	
	debut and the highest grossing of his three self-directed films.	
1b	Jerry Rawlings, J.A Kuffuor and John Atta Mills have all been	<u>Ghana</u>
	presidents of which English speaking West African country.	
2a	Which comic book created in 2013, tells the story of the character	<u>Ms. Marvel</u>
	Kamala Khan, is a 16-year-old Pakistani-American from New Jersey,	
	who idolizes Carol Danvers, gains shapeshifting powers after being	
	exposed to Terrigen mists. It has been turned into a TV series with	
	Iman Villani as lead, on Disney+ in 2021	
2b	Give the two-word name of the traditional British dessert that is	Arctic Roll
	cylinder shaped, made of sponge cake, and usually containing vanilla	
	ice cream and strawberry jam? It's an ice cream version of the Swiss	
	cake or as it known in the USA, 'Jelly cake'.	
3a	In May 2004, the largest ever accession of countries to the EU took	<u>Ireland</u>
	place when ten countries joined the EU as part of the 'Fifth Wave of	
	Enlargement'. This occurred under which country's EU Presidency?	
	This country's Prime Minister or 'Taoiseach' at the time was Bertie	
	Ahern.	
3b	If we measure the angle between a ray of light striking a mirror and a	<u>Reflection</u>
	line perpendicular to the mirror at the point of incidence (aka 'the	
	normal'), we should find that this angle of incidence is equal to the	
	angle of what?	
4a	What smooth, sloping chute playground item, that also gives its name	<u>Slide</u>
	to the action performed on it, did artist Carsten Höller install in an	
	interactive exhibition within Tate Modern's Turbine Hall in 2006?	
4b	Offering a 1 in 51 chance of being victim of a violent crime, which city	<u>Detroit</u>
	in the state of Michigan is tragically one of the most violent in the	
	USA? Nicknames reflecting its considerable contributions to culture	
	and American life include "Rock City" and "The Town That Put The	
	World On Wheels".	

1a	Who was the second President of Ireland, serving a full two terms	Sean T O'Kelly (DO NOT
	between 1945 and 1959 and directly preceding Eamonn DeValera?	ACCEPT KELLY)
1b	One of the twelve teams to have played in every Rugby Union World	<u>Argentina</u>
	Cup, which South American country, more noted for football, have	
	made the Semi-Finals twice, in 2007 and 2015. This team's nickname	
	is 'Los Pumas', in spite of the fact their emblem is a Jaguar?	
2a	Which musical written by the original film's creators Baz Luhrmann	Moulin Rouge
	and Craig Pearce will open in the West End this year? It's the tale of a	
	young composer / writer who travels to Paris, falls in love with cabaret	
	performer, and competes for her love against a wealthy Duke in the	
	1890s aided by his brilliant artist friend, Toulouse-Lautrec.	
2b	One of several Number 1 hits by the song writing trio Stock Aitken and	Mel and Kim
	Waterman, who had a hit single in 1987 with the song 'Respectable'?	

3a	What is the largest city by population in the New Zealand region of	<u>Hamilton</u>
	Waikato?	
3b	In January 2007 the last two countries of the 'Fifth Wave of	Germany
	Enlargement', joined the EU under which country's presidency? This	
	country's Prime Minister or 'Chancellor at the time was Angela	
	Merkel.	
4a	Which Danish astronomer, according to a first-hand account by Kepler,	Tycho Brahe
	refused out of politeness to leave a banquet to relieve himself, with the	
	result that he was subsequently unable to urinate and died, most likely	
	of a burst bladder, 11 days later? His artificial nose was probably	
	actually made of brass, not gold.	
4b	One of four NFL teams with an alliterative name, which team based in	Jacksonville Jaguars
	Florida entered the league in 1995 and had Gardner Minshew as the	
	starting Quarter back in the 2020 season (Both names required)?	

Round 3

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1a	Ibrahim Boubacar Keita, Assimi Goita and Bah Ndaw have all been	<u>Mali</u>
	heads of state of which French speaking West African country?	
1b	Who was the sixth President of Ireland, serving a full two terms	Dr Patrick <u>Hillery</u>
	between 1976 and 1990, directly preceding Mary Robinson?	
2a	Give the two-word name of the traditional British pudding that is	Roly Poly
	cylinder shaped, made of suet pastry, and usually containing	
	strawberry or raspberry jam? It can be baked or steamed in an old shirt	

	sleeve. It is also the name used in gymnastics for a somersault.	
2b	Which musical written by the original film's creators Bob Zemeckis	Back to the Future
	and Bob Gale will open in the West End this year? It's the tale of a boy	
	who travels in time, falls from a tree into the path of a car, and	
	competes to get his parents to fall in love again, aided by his brilliant	
	science friend, Doc, who made a time machine out of a Deloren.	
3a	Which Scottish band are best known for a number 3 hit single <i>Same</i>	<u>The View</u>
	Jeans which was released in 2007 from the album "Hats off to the	
	Buskers"?	
3b	What is the largest city by population in the New Zealand region of	<u>Dunedin</u>
	Otago?	
4a	Offering a 1 in 51 chance of being victim of a violent crime, which city	St Louis
	in the state of Missouri is tragically one of the most violent in the	
	USA? A famous home to ragtime, jazz and the blues, a nickname that	
	references an iconic and monumental arch on its skyline is the	
	"Gateway to the West	
4b	What suspended seat playground item, that also gives its name to the	Swing
	action performed on it, did Danish artists' collective Superflex install	
	as an interactive exhibition within Tate Modern's Turbine Hall in	
	2017?	

HALF TIME – SWITCH ORDER

1a	What, at 228 miles long, is the longest and widest river that rises in the	<u>Shinano</u>
	Japanese alps and flows northeast through Nagano and Niigata	
	Prefectures before emptying into the Sea of Japan?	
1b	In <i>The Sound of Music</i> song <i>Do-Re-Mi</i> , Maria teaches the Von Trapp	<u>TE</u>
	children how to sing the major musical scale, by using the solfège	
	syllables and linking them with English homophones. What is the 7th	
	solfège symbol that she describes as "a drink with jam and bread"?	
2a	In Family Guy, which Seth McFarlane voiced character, whose	Stewie Griffin (DO NOT
	speaking voice was based on Rex Harrison, was the youngest child of	ACCEPT GRIFFIN)
	the Griffin family? Originally this character was an aspiring	
	megalomaniac with a desire to kill his own mother. First name required	
2b	What is the one-syllable Hebrew word for "yes"? Its pronounced form	<u>"Ken"</u>
	sounds like the first name of one of America's leading documentary	
	filmmakers, whose works include <i>The Civil War</i> in 1990, <i>Jazz</i> in 2001,	
	and in 2019, Country Music.	
3a	Which member of the Tokyo 2020 GB Women's Athletics team, with a	Dina <u>Asher-Smith</u> (prompt on
	double barrel surname was part of the 4 x 100 metres relay team who	either Asher or Smith)
	won bronze in spite of having to withdraw from the 200 metres event	
	through injury sustained in the 100 metres semi-final? She won the	
	World Championship in the 200 metres in 2019 in Doha, with a British	
	record time of 21.88 seconds.	
3b	What was the name of the 2021 hit podcast from Pineapple Studios,	Welcome to your Fantasy
	that investigates the murderous world of the Chippendales, the male	
	1980's oiled-up, G-string clad beefcakes with mullets, striptease	
	performers?	
4a	What is the name of the annual event that first took place in August	Notting Hill Carnival
	1966 as a parade on the streets of London led by members of the	
	British West Indian community? Set up in response to attacks in the	

	community it now is one of the largest parades of its kind in the world.	
4b	A key concept in modern archaeology, what 12-letter "S"-word is the	<u>Stratigraphy</u>
	study of how deposits occur layer by layer?	

Round 6

1a	Which Netflix comedy show that ran from 2018 until its final season in	The Kominsky Method
	which premiered in 2021, follows the title character with the first	
	name Sandy, who makes his living as an acting coach?	
1b	Which Austrian-British economist, who won the Nobel Prize in	Friedrich <u>Von Hayek</u>
	Economics in 1974, is perhaps most famous for his 1944 work 'The	
	Road to Serfdom'?	
2a	Which Scotsman became Manchester United manager in the 1940s?	Matt <u>Busby</u>
	This manager went onto iconic status at the club, in spite of having	
	played for both the club's main rivals, Liverpool and Manchester City	
2b	On standard periodic tables of elements, each element is normally	<u>proton</u>
	attributed two numbers. The smaller of these two numbers decides	
	the order in which each element appears and tells the reader that	
	each atom of a given element contains how many of which positively	
	charged subatomic particle would be found in its nucleus?	
3a	Which British comedy duo of the 70s and 80s did a well-known	Morecambe and Wise
	Mastermind Sketch with the real Magnus Magnusson as host as they	
	took on each other in what was supposedly the 1974 Mastermind final?	
3b	With approximately 200,000 followers in the UK. What informal name	Quakers
	is used for the Religious Society of Friends?	
4a	Of the key axiomatic principles of archaeological stratigraphy, what	<u>Law of Superposition</u>
	13-letter "law" beginning with S establishes the upper units of	
	stratification are younger and the lower are older?	
4b	What was the name of the book which won Barbara Kingsolver the	<u>The Lacuna</u>
	then Orange Prize for Fiction in 2010, beating <i>Wolf Hall</i> by Hillary	
	Mantel? The story is set in 1930's Mexico, tells the story of Harrison	
	Shepherd, who is a cook for the artists Diego Riveria and Frida Kahlo,	
	before becoming Leon Trotsky's secretary?	

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children how to sing the major musical scale, by using the solfège	
syllables and linking them with English homophones. What is the 5th	
solfège symbol that she describes as "a needle pulling thread"?	
Which Netflix TV show that aired from 2015 until its final season in	<u>Unbreakable Kimmy Schmidt</u>
2019, followed the story of the title character who adjusts to everyday	
life after being rescued from a doomsday cult?	
What is the one-syllable Arabic word for "yes"? Its pronounced form	"Na'am"
sounds like a common nickname of a mid-20 th century conflict covered	
in a 2017 documentary directed by Ken Burns and Lynn Novick	
Which Scotsman became Liverpool Manager in the 1950s? This	Bill Shankly
manager went onto iconic status at the club due to his achievements	
and was famous for his quips, including an often-misquoted line about	
football being more important than life or death.	
What was the name of the 2020 hit podcast from Pineapple Studios,	Wind of Change
that investigates the tall-tale that German rock band The Scorpions had	
their biggest hit written for them by a secret CIA Brill Building in the	
late 1980s as one way end the cold war?	
Which British comedy duo of the 70s and 80s did a well-known	The Two Ronnies
Mastermind Sketch, where one mimicked Magnus Magnusson and the	
other took on his specialist subject of 'Answering the previous	
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	of the 1980's, that featured an elderly gentleman traipsing from bookshop to bookshop in search of his book "Fly Fishing: Memories of	
4b	Angling Days" by JR Hartley? What is the name of the annual event that first took place in July 1972	London Pride / Gay Pride / Pride
40	as a parade on the streets of London led by members of the	in London
	LGBTQQIAAP community? Set up in response to attacks in the	
	community it now is one of the largest parades of its kind in the world	

Round 8

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1a	Winning a shared Nobel Prize in Economics in 2001, which former	Joseph <u>Stiglitz</u>
	chief economist of the World Bank, is famous for works including 'The	
	Great Divide' and 'The Price on Inequality'?	
1b	What, at 710 miles, is the longest river in Afghanistan, that rises in the	Helmand
	Hindu Kush before crossing SW through the desert of Dashti Margo to	
	the Sistan marshes? It lends its name to the largest by area of	
	Afghanistan's 34 provinces.	
2a	On standard periodic tables of elements, each element is normally	<u>isotope</u>
	attributed two numbers. The larger of these two numbers is an	
	average atomic mass of the element as it is found in nature. What	
	name is given to atomic species, used for this calculation, that share	
	the same number of protons but a different number of neutrons?	
2b	In Family Guy, which Seth McFarlane voiced character is the sex	Glen Quagmire (DO NOT
	obsessed drinking buddy of Peter Griffin? This character, primarily	ACCEPT GLEN)
	referred to by his surname, sees sexual innuendo in almost every	
	situation is known for his catchphrases 'giggity' and 'alriiiiiiiiiight!	
3a	With approximately 200,000 followers in the UK. What informal name	<u>Mormons</u>
	is used for the Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints?	
3b	Which member of the Tokyo 2020 GB Women's Athletics team, with a	Katarina Johnson-Thompson
	double barrel surname had to withdraw from the heptathlon after the	(prompt on either Johnson or
	200 metres, due to injuring her calf muscle? This athlete's participation	Thompson
	in the Olympics at all had been in doubt after rupturing her Achiles	
	tendon in December 2020. She won the world championship in the	
	discipline in 2019 in Doha, with a British Record 6,981 points	
4a	What was the name of the book which won Téa Obreht, the then	The Tiger's Wife
	Orange Prize for Fiction in 2011, beating <i>Room</i> by Emma Donoghue?	
	The story is set in the Balkans and is about a young doctor relationship	
	with her grandfather, and the stories he tells about the 'deathless man'	
	who helps an escaped zoo animal.	g
4b	Which company had one of the most popular British television adverts	Specsavers
	of the 2000's, where an elderly couple intending to sit on a nice bench	
	to enjoy a lunchtime sandwich, end up accidentally getting on a	
	rollercoaster instead?	

Spares

1	Which former waiter of the 2i's Rock 'n' R pop hits including Tommy Steel's "Rock v "Living Doll", before creating the book, m		Lionel <u>BART</u>
2	What is the word for the study of faeces in study published by John Gregory Bourke in Nations", and Sigmund Freud wrote a fore	n 1891 was titled "[this word] Rites of All	SCATOLOGY, accept SCATALOGY, SCATOLOGIC,
3		boarders ride with their left foot on the back is its name because most people put their left	GOOFY
4	4 In which colourful Mountain Range would rock formation?	you find the Australian 'The Three Sisters'	BLUE Mountains