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## Online Quiz League

Questions set by: OQL Committee

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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	<b>Who</b> provided the voice of Simba in Disney's 2019 computer-animated remake of <i>The Lion King</i> ? Though also famous outside the world of film, his other film roles include Aaron Davis in the 2017 film <i>Spider-Man: Homecoming</i> .	<b>Donald GLOVER (accept CHILDISH GAMBINO)</b>
1b	<b>Which American academic and explorer</b> is best known for visiting the Inca citadel of Machu Picchu in 1911, and bringing its existence to widespread attention?	<b>Hiram BINGHAM III</b>
2a	<b>Which former manager of Manchester City and Inter Milan</b> has been the manager of the Italian national football team since 2018, and will lead them during this summer's European Championships?	<b>Roberto MANCINI</b>
2b	Commonly used as a semi-precious gemstone, <b>what name</b> is given to the typically yellow or orange fossilized tree resin, typically yellow or orange in colour and usually originating from extinct coniferous trees of the Tertiary period?	<b>AMBER (accept RESINITE)</b>
3a	In <b>which massacre</b> of July 1950, early in the Korean War, were around 300 South Korean refugees killed by a US air attack? It is named for the village where it occurred.	<b>NO GUN RI</b>
3b	The 2018 espionage novel <i>Transcription</i> was written by <b>which author</b> , who also wrote <i>Behind the Scenes at the Museum</i> and the Jackson Brodie series of crime novels?	<b>Kate ATKINSON</b>
4a	The first three albums of <b>which English singer-songwriter</b> , released between 2011 and 2017, were all named after mathematical symbols?	<b>Ed SHEERAN</b>
4b	Kevin Systrom and Mike Krieger created <b>which very popular photo-and-video-sharing social networking service</b> , which was acquired by Facebook in 2012?	<b>INSTAGRAM</b>

## Round 2

1a	Kate Howey, who acted as flag bearer at the Athens 2004 Olympics, represented Team GB in <b>which sport</b> ?	<u>JUDO</u>
1b	<b>Which species of amphibian</b> , in the family Bufonidae, was introduced to Australia in the 1930s as a method of agricultural pest control, but is now considered an invasive species, having had a terrible effect on the country's biodiversity?	<u>CANE</u> toads (prompt on <u>TOADS</u> )
2a	Siouxsie and the Banshees scored a hit in 1983 with a cover of <b>which Beatles song</b> , named after Mia Farrow's sister and inspired by Lennon and McCartney's attempts to coax her out of meditative seclusion?	" <u>DEAR PRUDENCE</u> "
2b	Despite Abuja being the capital, <b>which other city</b> is by far the most populated city in Nigeria?	<u>LAGOS</u>
3a	Colin Firth's acting career is said to have been launched by his starring role, alongside Jennifer Ehle, in the BBC's acclaimed 1995 television adaptation of <b>which novel</b> ?	<u>PRIDE AND PREJUDICE</u>
3b	In 2011, Kim Kardashian married <b>which basketball player</b> ? The pair would only stay married for 72 days.	Kris <u>HUMPHRIES</u>
4a	<b>Which Asian country</b> was historically known in the West as Ceylon?	<u>SRI LANKA</u>
4b	The works of <b>which playwright</b> , who won the Nobel Prize for Literature in 2005, include <i>The Homecoming</i> , <i>The Birthday Party</i> and <i>Betrayal</i> ?	Harold <u>PINTER</u>

Round 3

1a	<b>Which woodwind musical instrument</b> is known as 'fagotto' in Italian, a name roughly meaning "bundle of sticks"?	<u>BASSOON</u>
1b	<b>Which carbonated soft drink</b> was invented in the 1880s, in Waco, Texas, by the pharmacist Charles Alderton?	<u>DR PEPPER</u>
2a	<b>Which Archbishop of Canterbury</b> and leader of the English Reformation was executed in 1556, following imprisonment by the Catholic Mary I?	Thomas <u>CRANMER</u>
2b	With the first name Frank, <b>which American proponent of minimalist art</b> and post-painterly abstraction created the 1960s 'Protractor' series, in which brightly coloured, sharply defined arcs with square borders were placed side by side to create full and half circles with rings of concentric colour?	Frank <u>STELLA</u>
3a	Sharing its name with a famous nearby football stadium, <b>which Test cricket ground</b> is also the home of Lancashire County Cricket Club?	<u>OLD TRAFFORD</u> (accept <u>EMIRATES OLD TRAFFORD</u> )
3b	Sometimes called the 'common shoulder muscles', <b>which muscles</b> of the human body get their scientific name from their triangular shape, which is fancied to resemble a letter of the Greek alphabet?	<u>DELTOIDS</u> (prompt on <u>DELTA</u> )
4a	In <b>which acclaimed British podcast series</b> , launched in 2018 and presented by Ed Gamble and James Acaster, are celebrity guests invited to an imaginary 'Dream Restaurant' where they may choose their ideal meal?	<u>OFF MENU</u> (with Ed Gamble and James Acaster)
4b	The Karakum Desert is located solely in <b>which Central Asian country</b> ?	<u>TURKMENISTAN</u>

Round 4

1a	The royal palace known as Sanssouci [ <i>son-soo-SEE</i> ], built on the orders of Frederick the Great of Prussia, is located in <b>which city</b> in Germany? This city was the site of a 1945 conference between the leaders of the UK, USA and USSR following the surrender of Germany in the Second World War.	<u>POTSDAM</u>
1b	<i>America</i> , a fully functioning toilet and art installation by Italian satirical artist Maurizio Cattelan, was stolen from Blenheim Palace in 2019. It was made from <b>what precious metal</b> ?	<u>GOLD</u>
2a	Charlie Chaplin's most commercially-successful film was <b>which 1940 comedy</b> , in which he played Adenoid Hynkel, a scathing parody of Adolf Hitler?	<i>The <u>GREAT DICTATOR</u></i>
2b	The Zonda and Huayra are both cars made by <b>which Italian manufacturer</b> of sports cars?	<u>PAGANI</u>
3a	Born in Egypt, <b>which singer and actress</b> , listed in some sources as the best-selling French performer of all time, became known for such hits as "Paroles, paroles" and "Laissez-moi danser", prior to her death from suicide in 1987?	<u>DALIDA</u> (accept Iolanda Christina GIGLIOTTI)
3b	<b>What name</b> is given to the diacritical mark which, when placed over the letter N in Spanish, creates a different letter which is pronounced with a 'nyuh' sound?	<u>TILDE</u> (accept <u>VIRGULILLA</u> [veer-goo-LEE-ah])
4a	First introduced in 2010, the outlaw John Marston is a playable protagonist in <b>which action-adventure video game franchise</b> ?	<u>RED DEAD</u> (accept anything containing <u>RED DEAD</u> )
4b	<b>What word</b> , derived from the German for 'hermaphrodite', is used in chemistry to refer to a molecule that contains both positively and negatively charged functional groups but a net formal charge of zero?	<u>ZWITTERION</u>

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## Round 5

1a	The first three albums of <b>which English singer-songwriter</b> , released between 2008 and 2015, were all named after the singer's age at the time of recording?	<u>ADELE</u> (accept Adele <u>ADKINS</u> )
1b	The 2016 espionage novel <i>Exposure</i> was written by <b>which late author and poet</b> ? Her final novel, <i>Birdcage Walk</i> , was set during the French Revolution and published in 2017, and her final poetry collection, <i>Inside the Wave</i> , won the 2017 Costa Book of the Year award.	Helen <u>DUNMORE</u>
2a	<b>Which former manager of Swansea, Wigan and Everton</b> has been the manager of the Belgian national football team since 2016, and will lead them during this summer's European Championships?	Roberto <u>MARTINEZ</u>
2b	<b>Which British archaeologist</b> , knighted in 1911, is best known for leading the excavation effort that unearthed the palace of Knossos on the island of Crete at the start of the 20th century?	Arthur <u>EVANS</u>
3a	Though many more were charged, <b>who</b> was the only US Army soldier convicted for perpetrating the Mỹ Lai [MEE lye] massacre of unarmed civilians during the Vietnam War?	William <u>CALLEY</u>
3b	Brian Acton and Jan Koum created <b>which very popular cross-platform messaging service</b> , which was acquired by Facebook in 2014?	<u>WHATSAPP</u>
4a	<b>Who</b> provided the voice of Nala in Disney's 2019 computer-animated remake of <i>The Lion King</i> ? Though primarily famous outside the world of film, her other film roles include Queen Tara in the 2013 animated film <i>Epic</i> .	<u>BEYONCÉ KNOWLES</u> (accept either, or <u>KNOWLES-CARTER</u> )
4b	Commonly used as a semi-precious gemstone and closely associated with the town of Whitby, <b>what name</b> is given to the hard dark brown or black variety of lignite, formed by decaying wood under extreme pressure? This gemstone gives its name to a glossy shade of black.	<u>JET</u>

## Round 6

1a	The name 'Sans-Souci' [ <i>son-soo-SEE</i> ] was given to a palace built in 1813 on the orders of Henri Christophe, the newly-proclaimed king of <b>which country in the Americas</b> ? Christophe, a former slave, had been a leading figure in the revolution in this country which began two decades earlier.	<u>HAITI</u>
1b	Despite Dodoma being the capital, <b>which other city</b> is by far the most populated city in Tanzania?	<u>DAR-ES-SALAAM</u>
2a	Widely considered to be the Marx Brothers' finest film, <b>which 1933 comedy</b> stars Groucho Marx as Rufus T. Firefly, the newly-installed president of the fictional country of Freedonia? The film's culinary-sounding title is an American slang phrase meaning 'an easy task'.	<u>DUCK SOUP</u>
2b	<b>What adjective</b> , derived from the Greek for 'both', is used in chemistry to describe a compound that is able to react both as a base and as an acid?	<u>AMPHOTERIC</u> (accept <u>AMPHIPROTIC</u> )
3a	Siouxsie and the Banshees scored a hit in 1987 with a cover of <b>which Bob Dylan song</b> , originally a hit in the '60s for Julie Driscoll with Brian Auger and the Trinity, and later coming to further prominence when used as the theme to a popular sitcom?	<u>"THIS WHEEL'S ON FIRE"</u> (accept <u>"WHEELS ON FIRE"</u> )
3b	<b>Which playwright's</b> works include the Tony Award-winning 1968 play <i>Rosencrantz and Guildenstern Are Dead</i> and the Olivier Award-winning 2020 play <i>Leopoldstadt</i> ?	Tom <u>STOPPARD</u>
4a	<b>Which cross-country skier and biathlete</b> was the flag bearer for Team GB at three consecutive Winter Olympics between 1994 and 2002, despite never winning a medal at any Olympic Games or World Championship?	Mike <u>DIXON</u>
4b	The Diablo and Countach [KOON-tash] are both cars made by <b>which Italian manufacturer</b> of luxury cars?	<u>LAMBORGHINI</u>



Round 7

1a	First introduced in 2013, the bereaved single father Joel Miller is a playable protagonist in <b>which survival horror video game franchise?</b>	<i>The <u>LAST OF US</u></i>
1b	Khloé Kardashian was married to <b>which basketball player</b> from 2009 until 2016? He participated in a highly-publicised charity boxing match against rapper Aaron Carter last week.	Lamar <u>ODOM</u>
2a	Dubbed "Egypt's Fourth Pyramid", <b>which singer-songwriter and actress</b> , active from the 1920s to the 1970s, is one of the all-time best-selling singers from the Arab world? Upon her death in 1975, around four million grief-stricken Egyptians lined the streets of Cairo for her funeral.	UMM <u>KULTHUM</u>
2b	<i>For the Love of God</i> , an artwork by Damien Hirst, is a platinum cast of a human skull, studded with 8,601 of <b>what precious stones?</b>	<u>DIAMONDS</u>
3a	Jeremy Irons and Anthony Andrews starred in <b>which award-winning 1981 ITV series</b> , an adaptation of the novel of the same name? Filmed primarily at Castle Howard, it was named by the <i>Telegraph</i> in 2015 as the greatest TV literary adaptation of all time.	<i><u>BRIDESHEAD REVISITED</u></i>
3b	<b>Which endangered British amphibian species</b> of the family Bufonidae, found in and around sand-dunes and heathland, can be easily identified by the yellow line running down its back?	<u>NATTERJACK</u> toad
4a	<b>Which Asian country</b> was historically known in the West as Siam?	<u>THAILAND</u>
4b	<b>What name</b> is given to the diacritical mark which, when placed above a vowel in French, typically indicates the deletion of a letter 'S' from a word's historical spelling? One of these marks appears above the letter A in the name of the food item 'pâté'.	<u>CIRCUMFLEX</u> (accept <u>CIRCONFLEXE</u> )

Round 8

1a	<b>Which acclaimed British podcast series</b> , launched in 2014, is presented by the researchers for the BBC2 panel show <i>QI</i> , who present their favourite facts that they learned in the preceding week?	<b><u>NO SUCH THING AS A FISH</u></b>
1b	<b>What is the two-word scientific name</b> for the largest muscle of the human body? This muscle forms the prominence of the buttocks.	<b><u>GLUTEUS MAXIMUS</u></b> (prompt on GLUTES)
2a	Appointed as a cardinal by Pope Leo X in 1515, <b>which influential statesman</b> was Archbishop of York from 1514 to 1530, and was appointed as Lord Chancellor by Henry VIII in 1515?	Thomas <u>WOLSEY</u>
2b	<b>Which carbonated soft drink</b> , created by Coca-Cola Deutschland, originated as a Coca-Cola substitute in 1940s due to the American trade embargo of Nazi Germany? It was originally made using leftover ingredients from other industrial processes.	<u>FANTA</u>
3a	Taking its name from the river near which it is located, <b>what is the name</b> of the Test cricket ground which is also the home of Nottinghamshire County Cricket Club?	<u>TRENT BRIDGE</u>
3b	The region of Puntland, which consists largely of desert, is located solely in <b>which East African country</b> ?	<u>SOMALIA</u>
4a	Though the word has historically referred to various musical instruments, 'Posaune' [poh-SOW-neh] is the usual German name for <b>which brass instrument</b> ?	<u>TROMBONE</u>
4b	With the first name Frank, <b>which German-born figurative painter</b> of the urban environment creates thickly-painted, richly-textured canvases that typically depict his North London locality, such as the 1981 work Euston Steps?	Frank <u>AUERBACH</u>

Spares

1	Justin Bieber was born in <b>which city</b> in Ontario, which stands on the river Thames?	<b><u>LONDON</u></b>
2	Gruinard Island in Scotland was declared uninhabitable in 1942, when it was deliberately contaminated with <b>which deadly disease</b> ?	<b><u>ANTHRAX</u></b>
3	The 1997 Spanish film <i>Open Your Eyes</i> was remade in Hollywood four years later as <i>Vanilla Sky</i> . <b>Which actress</b> starred in both films?	<b>Penelope <u>CRUZ</u></b>
4	John Crome and John Sell Cotman were the first two leaders of a school of painting named after <b>which English city</b> ?	<b><u>NORWICH</u></b>