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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	Which extrusive igneous rock is formed from the rapid cooling of low viscosity lava, rich in magnesium and iron, exposed at, or very near the surface of a rocky planet or moon?	<u>Basalt</u>
1b	What charismatic, but divisive, Latin American leader, who died in 2016 was known for his long speeches to the UN? He still holds the longest timed speech to the UN . This speech was given on September 27th 1960 and lasted for 269 minutes.	Fidel <u>Castro</u>
2a	Which deodorant brand, under the ownership of Unilever, uses the tagline "It won't let you down"?	<u>Sure</u>
2b	Adagio means to do what in music?	Play <u>slower</u>
3a	Recently deceased wrestler, Scott Hall, wrestled under which ring name during his initial stint in what is now WWE? This character's gimmick was as a rather suave and cocky Cuban immigrant in Miami, who had a toothpick in his mouth and called everyone 'chico'. In spite of the gimmick, Hall himself was very much not Cuban.	<u>Razor Ramon</u> (Accept Razor, but prompt on Ramon)
3b	The Mesopotamian god, Shabash, was the subject of which ancient art work, work "Code of Hammurabi", created around BC 1792?	Code of <u>Hammurabi</u>
4a	One of the three domains of biological taxonomy developed by Carl Woese (pronounced 'WOES') in 1990, which domain consists mainly of single-celled organisms? Unlike bacteria, these organisms lack peptidoglycan in their cell walls and possess genes similar to that of multicellular organisms.	<u>Archaea</u>
4b	Created by Brett Tjaden, the Centre of the Hollywood Universe is a computer program that calculates a weighted average of the degree of separation of all of the actors in Hollywood to a particular actor. Once believed to be Kevin Bacon with an average of 3.164 according to most recent calculations, who is now regarded as the Centre of the Hollywood Universe with an average of 2.900? Films featuring this actor include "I, Monster", "Killer Force" and "The Castle Of Fu Manchu".	Christopher <u>Lee</u>

Round 2

1a	GCSE Chemistry candidates are expected to know of five different metal ions and the flame colours they produce when heated strongly. The ions of which metal, with an atomic number of 3 and found in group 1 of the periodic table, produces a crimson flame?	<u>Lithium</u>
1b	Released in 1940, what was the name of the second feature film released by Walt Disney Animation Studios? The film involves an old Italian woodcarver who carves the eponymous wooden puppet. The puppet becomes a real boy at the end of the film after proving himself to be brave, truthful, and unselfish.	<u>Pinocchio</u>
2a	Which Irish Olympian finally added an Olympic silver medal in 2000, which she won at 5000 metres, to her World championship gold medal at 5000 and three European medals? She would go on to be a successful marathon runner and Chef d'Equipe of the Irish Olympic team.	<u>Sonia O'Sullivan</u>
2b	Which Japanese born, British raised novelist won the Booker Prize in 1989 for Remains of the Day?	<u>Kazuo Ishiguro</u>
3a	Wordle - a game in which players have 6 tries to guess a different word each day, has faced some criticism with some players claiming the words have become "too obscure" since the recent acquisition of the game by the New York Times. One of the solutions to face the most criticism is which five-letter word, defined as a flexible and waterproof material used to seal air leaks through cracks and joints, commonly used in a bath or shower?	<u>Caulk</u>
3b	Taylor Swift was interrupted by Kanye West during her acceptance speech for Best Female Music Video at the 2009 VMA awards, where he said "Imma let you finish, but Beyoncé had one of the best videos of all time!". Kanye was referring to which Beyoncé music video? This video ended up winning the award for Music Video of the Year later on in the ceremony.	<u>Single Ladies</u>
4a	The Corpus Clock, also known as the Grasshopper Clock, due to the insect-like sculpture above the clock face, can be found in which city in the East of England?	<u>Cambridge</u>

4b	Which Presbyterian Irish revolutionary leader was executed after being caught while on the run following the battle of Balynahinch in 1798. The song laments that 'many's a lassie mourns her lad and mother mourns her boy'?	Henry Joy <u>McCracken</u>
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Round 3

1a	Which participant in the inaugural World Seniors Darts Championship in 2022, won the Embassy World Professional Darts Championship in 1979, 1987 and 1993? This player was nicknamed Old Stoneface because of his unemotional facial expressions while playing.	<u>John Lowe</u>
1b	Berthe Morisot, Marie Bracquemond and Mary Cassatt were known collectively as ' Les Trois Grandes Dames' of which art movement?	<u>Impressionism</u>
2a	The largest of the eight detector experiments at the Large Hadron Collider at CERN, What name is given to the detector which is designed to accurately measure quantitative properties of particles in the Standard Model? It's five-letter acronym is sufficient.	<u>ATLAS</u> (A Toroidal LHC ApparatuS)
2b	Produced in part by comedian and musician Brendon Small, which animated series which aired from 1999-2004 centred around an 8-year-old filmmaker also called Brendon Small? The series was bought by Cartoon Network and was included as part of the initial run of the night-time programme block Adult Swim.	<u>Home Movies</u>
3a	The Forbidden City can be found in which country?	<u>China</u>
3b	Who became the first female republican party Vice Presidential nominee and only the second of any party when she was selected as John McCain's running mate in 2008?	Sarah <u>Palin</u>

4a	Cranberry and orange juice can be mixed with vodka and peach schnapps to create which classic cocktail?	<u>Sex on the Beach</u>
4b	Prince was known to write and produce for other artists, sometimes under a pseudonym to not take the spotlight away from them. One of these songs, written and composed by Prince under the pseudonym Christopher, is "Manic Monday" released in 1986 by which band?	The <u>Bangles</u>

Round 4

1a	In 2013, Jerry Lorenzo founded which three-word American luxury streetwear brand? This brand has collaborated with both Vans and Nike, and is sometimes abbreviated to the initials FOG and shares part of its name with a religious figure.	<u>Fear Of God</u>
1b	What female name fills in the blank in the name of the pop punk band that released their hit "The Anthem" in 2002?	<u>Charlotte</u> (Good Charlotte)
2a	The national flag of which country is the only to feature a Druk, which translates into English as "Thunder Dragon"? The Druk is on a yellow and orange background in this nation's flag.	<u>Bhutan</u>
2b	Which battle of the War of the Roses took place on 4 May 1471? Edward of Westminister, Prince of Wales, was killed during this battle.	The Battle of <u>Tewkesbury</u>
3a	Measuring 207 km in diameter and located near the Eastern limb of the Moon, which crater is named after a Prussian	Wilhelm von <u>Humboldt</u> (Friedrich

	philosopher, linguist and diplomat? His younger brother Alexander has a species of penguin named after him.	Wilhelm Christian Karl Ferdinand von Humboldt)
3b	Trent Reznor of the band Nine Inch Nails won the Oscar for Best Original Score alongside Atticus Ross for which 2010 film? This film also won the Oscar for Best Adapted Screenplay and Best Film Editing, but Jesse Eisenberg missed out on the Best Actor Oscar.	The <u>Social Network</u>
4a	Although there had never been a manager from this country in the FA Premier League prior to the 2013/2014 season, there have been a few since. These include Daniel Farke, who was sacked as Norwich manager in 2021, as well as current Liverpool manager Jurgen Klopp and Chelsea manager Thomas Tuchel. Which country?	<u>Germany</u>
4b	What was the name of the Play , written by Willy Russell, about a working class hairdresser from Liverpool, who goes back to School in a bid to improve her circumstances? The original 1980 production starred Julie Walters, who would go on to reprise this role in the 1983 film version.	<u>Educating Rita</u>

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Round 5

1a	Which participant in the recent inaugural 'World Seniors Darts Championship', won the Embassy World Professional Darts Championship in 1988. This player was nicknamed the Limestone Cowboy. Fittingly, his walk on music while a player with the PDC was Rhinestone Cowboy by Glen Campbell?	Bob <u>Anderson</u>
1b	Born in Wisconsin in 1887, which artist was known as "The Mother of American Modernism"? Among this artist's most famous paintings is the 1936 oil painting, 'Jimson Weed'.	Georgia <u>O'Keeffe</u>
2a	One of the eight detector experiments at the Large Hadron Collider at CERN, What name is given to the detector which is	<u>ALICE</u> (A Large Ion Collider

	designed to study the collisions of heavy ions? It's five-letter acronym is sufficient.	Experiment)
2b	Produced in part by comedian and musician Brendon Small, which animated series which aired from 2006-2013 centred around a larger-than-life melodic death metal band called Dethklok? Featuring songs written and performed by Small, this series also featured on the Adult Swim programming block.	<u>Metalocalypse</u>
3a	Which personal care and cosmetics brand uses the slogan "Because you're worth it"?	<u>L'Oreal</u>
3b	Crescendo means to do what in music?	Play <u>Louder/Increase Volume</u>
4a	Which coarse-grained intrusive igneous rock, composed mostly of Quartz,alkali feldspar and plagioclase, is formed from magma, with a high content of silica and alkali metal oxides that slowly cools and solidifies underground?	<u>Granite</u>
4b	What charismatic, but divisive, Latin American leader, gave a speech to the UN where he referred to George W Bush as the devil . Apart from a few days in April 2002, he was leader of his country, between 1999 and his death in 2013	<u>Hugo Chavez</u>

Round 6

1a	The Eastgate Clock, said to be the second most photographed clock in the UK after the Elizabeth Tower, can be found in which city in the North West of England?	<u>Chester</u>
1b	In a song about the '1798 Rebellion', which young man 'goes to die on the Bridge of Toome today'? The song about this man, shares its air with a song about a much later battle, that took place on January 1, 1957 , where the leader was a Limerick man, 'Sean South of Garryowen' in spite of him being from Henry Street in Limerick City.	<u>Roddy McCorley</u>

2a	Another Wordle solution to face criticism for being “too obscure” by some players is which five-letter adjective, that describes something which is implied without being explicitly stated? This word can commonly precede “consent” and “admission of guilt”.	<u>Tacit</u>
2b	It was reported that Adele allegedly broke her 2017 Grammy for Album of the Year in half and gave half to Beyoncé, after an emotional speech in which she stated which Beyoncé album was “monumental”, “beautiful” and “soul bearing”?	<u>Lemonade</u>
3a	Measuring 93 km in diameter and located in the Ocean of Storms, which moon crater is named after a Polish astronomer and polymath? His surname is the given name of the dog who accompanies Doctor Emmett Brown in the year 1955 in the film 'Back to the Future'.	Nicolaus <u>Copernicus</u>
3b	Trent Reznor of the band Nine Inch Nails won the Oscar for Best Original Score alongside Atticus Ross and Jon Batiste for which 2020 film? This film, starring Jaime Foxx and Tina Fey, also won the Oscar for Best Animated Feature Film, but missed out on the Best Sound Oscar.	<u>Soul</u>
4a	Michael Laudrup, who managed Swansea City between 2012 and 2014, and current Brentford manager Thomas Frank, have been the only Premier League managers from which nordic country? Although he subsequently returned to the team, Laudrup opted not to play for this country in Euro 92 , which this country surprisingly won.	<u>Denmark</u>
4b	What was the name of the Play , written by Willy Russell, about a downtrodden housewife from Liverpool, who goes on a holiday to Greece, then decides to stay? The original 1986 production starred Pauline Collins in the lead role. She would go on to reprise this role in the 1989 film version.	<u>Shirley Valentine</u>

Round 7

1a	GCSE Chemistry candidates are expected to know of five different metal ions and the flame colours they produce when heated strongly. The ions of which metal, with an atomic number of 29 and found in the first row of the transition metals in	<u>Copper</u>
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	the periodic table, produces a green or blue-green flame?	
1b	Also released in 1940, what was the name of the third feature film released by Walt Disney Animation Studios? The film consists of eight animated segments set to pieces of classical music including Toccata and Fugue in D Minor, The Nutcracker Suite, and The Sorcerer's Apprentice.	<u>Fantasia</u>
2a	Which Irish Olympian finally added Olympic gold at lightweight to multiple World and European Championship gold medals when women's boxing debuted in the Olympics. She has also represented Ireland in women's football and is currently undisputed Women's lightweight professional champion, having also won the WBO Junior Welterweight title	Katie <u>Taylor</u>
2b	Which Australian Novelist won the 1982 Booker Prize for Schindler's Ark, which was published in the U.S as Schindler's List and subsequently re-issued in Commonwealth countries under that name.	Thomas <u>Kenneally</u>
3a	The national flag of which country is the only to feature a Raggiana Bird of Paradise, which is golden on this flag? This flag features 5 stars and has a black and red background.	<u>Papua New Guinea</u>
3b	Which battle of the War of the Roses took place on 29 March 1461? It has been described as "probably the largest and bloodiest battle ever fought on English soil"	The Battle of <u>Towton</u>
4a	Francesco Ragazzi, a former artistic director of Moncler, founded which two-word luxury streetwear brand in 2015? The brand has released collaborations with Under Armour and the rapper Playboy Carti. The brand name shares part of its name with a heavenly figure.	<u>Palm Angels</u>
4b	What female name fills in the blank in the title of the 2008 pop punk hit by All Time Low, "Dear _____, Count Me In"?	<u>Maria</u> (Dear Maria, Count Me In)

Round 8

1a	And just in case you haven't had enough of cocktails tonight, which traditional cocktail is made with vodka, Triple Sec, cranberry juice and freshly squeezed lime juice?	<u>Cosmopolitan</u>
1b	Nothing Compares 2 U" was written by Prince, but was released as a single in 1990 by which Irish artist?	Sinéad <u>O'Connor</u>
2a	Mount Fuji can be found in which country?	<u>Japan</u>
2b	Who is the current US Vice President? She is the first female and person of colour to attain this position.	Kamala <u>Harris</u>
3a	What was the name of the tag team formed by the late Scott Hall with Kevin Nash in WCW in the mid 90s? Their name came from the fact they did not identify with the WCW having come from 'a rival organisation up north.' This tag team would shortly become a faction known as the NWO when joined by Hollywood Hulk Hogan.	The <u>Outsiders</u>
3b	Which Egyptian queen was immortalized in a limestone bust that dates back to 1360 BC?	Queen <u>Nefertiti.</u>
4a	One of the three domains of biological taxonomy developed by Carl Woese (pronounced 'WOES') in 1990, which domain consists mainly of multicellular organisms? Unlike bacteria and archaea, the cells of these organisms have a nucleus where genetic information is stored in a nuclear envelope.	<u>Eukaryota/Eukarya/Eukaryotes/Eukaryotic etc.</u>
4b	The Centre of the Hollywood Universe is a computer program that calculates a weighted average of the degree of separation of all of the actors in Hollywood to a particular actor. Who is regarded as the second-best centre with an average of 2.928? Films featuring this actor include "Blood and Wine", "The Fourth Protocol" and "A Hill in Korea".	Michael <u>Caine</u> (Maurice Joseph <u>Micklewhite Jr.</u>)

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1	Lily James and Sebastian Stan play the lead roles in which eponymous TV series available on Hulu and Disney+? The story is set during the time in which their sex tape was made public by disgruntled former employee Rand Gauthier.	<u>Pam & Tommy</u>
2	With a population of over 100,000, which town is the largest town in Hampshire? Notable people that have been born here include former cricketer Darren Flint, actress and model Elizabeth Hurley and one of your question writers.	<u>Basingstoke</u>
3	In the famous 'Mastermind' sketch on the Two Ronnies, answering the previous question, what did Charlie Smithers say was the difference between a Donkey and an ass?	<u>One's a Trade Union Leader, the other is a member of the cabinet.</u>
4	Which team won the F.A Cup in 2013? This was the same year they got relegated from the Premier League.	<u>Wigan Athletic</u>