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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	What is the name of the Chief Mouser to the Cabinet Office? This tabby cat has lived for a decade at 10 Downing Street under 3 Prime Ministers. He shares a name with one of the Three Stooges.	<u>LARRY</u>
1b	In which US state is the fictional town of Easttown from the HBO show Mare of Easttown located? Philadelphia and Pittsburgh are located in this state.	<u>PENNSYLVANIA</u>
2a	Which former Glee actress played the role of Effie White in the West End production of Dreamgirls in 2016? She went on to win the Olivier award for Best Actress in a Musical.	Amber <u>RILEY</u>
2b	The traditional folk iso-polyphony of which Mediterranean country is included in UNESCO's intangible cultural heritage list? Polyphonic song is part of the culture of the southern regions of this country, including Toskëria and Labëria and it forms a prominent part of the national folklore festival that takes place in Gjirokastër Castle in this country.	<u>ALBANIA</u>
3a	At the 1924 Olympics, Eric Liddell won the gold medal in which track and field event? His story was depicted in the 1981 film Chariots of Fire.	<u>400 metres</u>
3b	Deriving from German words for together and opposite, what two letters are used in the IUPAC preferred method of describing the absolute stereochemistry of double bonds in organic chemistry? This system is an extension of cis-trans notation, which only describes relative stereochemistry.	<u>E AND Z</u> (both required. from German entgegen and zusammen)
4a	Released in late 2021, Beautiful World, Where Are You? is the third novel by which Irish author? Her second novel, Normal People, was adapted into a successful TV series in 2020.	Sally <u>ROONEY</u>

4b	A native of South Los Angeles, where he set many of his films, who was nominated for the Best Director Oscar for 1991's Boyz N The Hood, the first African American and still the youngest person to be nominated for that award?	John <u>SINGLETON</u>
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Round 2

1a	With a one-word name describing the situation the world has been in since early 2020, what Matt Leacock-designed board game was released in 2008? In this co-operative game, players begin in Atlanta, the home of the Centers for Disease Control.	<u>PANDEMIC</u>
1b	Which singer-songwriter and winner of 9 Brit Awards was the first woman to be on the cover of Vogue and British Vogue the same month? She appeared on both issues in November of 2021, the same month her new album dropped.	<u>ADELE</u>
2a	What is the name of the sixth book in the Redwall series by author Brian Jacques? It is about a mouse trying to liberate Marshank.	<u>MARTIN THE WARRIOR</u>
2b	The A1 road connects Douglas to which town on the west coast of the Isle of Man, the fourth largest settlement on the island?	<u>PEEL</u>
3a	A dense chocolate cake with a thin layer of apricot, the exact recipe of the Sachertorte is a closely-guarded secret of the Hotel Sacher in which European city? The cake is one of the city's most famous culinary specialities.	<u>VIENNA/WIEN</u>
3b	With a single word title, which French 2021 Netflix Drama series stars Omar Sy as Assane Diop, a man inspired by a fictional detective and Gentleman thief created by Maurice Leblanc in the early 1900's?	<u>LUPIN</u>
4a	The legendary Chinese figure named Huangdi is also known as the _____ emperor. What colour fills in the blank?	<u>YELLOW</u>

4b	Which pioneering African-American mathematician was known as a “human computer” and helped NASA put men on the moon? The 2016 movie Hidden Figures helped her gain the recognition she deserves	Katherine <u>JOHNSON</u>
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Round 3

1a	Commissioned in the late 15th century by Ludovico Sforza, Duke of Milan, which famous mural is housed in the refectory of the Convent of Santa Maria delle Grazie in that city?	The <u>LAST SUPPER</u>
1b	Deriving from the Greek for neck, what name is given to a narrow piece of land connecting two larger areas across an expanse of water? The land counterpart to a strait, canals are often built across these features and the city of Auckland is situated on one.	<u>ISTHMUS</u>
2a	Named for the national railway company of its country, CFR is a football team based in which European city? The team has won the national league the last four times in a row.	<u>CLUJ</u> -Napoca (accept just CLUJ)
2b	Which American actor and member of the Frat Pack is known for his roles in films such as 'Zoolander', 'Wedding Crashers' and 'You, Me and Dupree'?	Owen <u>WILSON</u>
3a	Serving from 2010 to 2015, Goodluck Jonathan was President of which West African country? He became the first incumbent President of this nation to concede defeat in an election when he lost to Muhammadu Buhari in 2015.	<u>NIGERIA</u>
3b	CWL is the airport code for an airport in which UK City?	<u>CARDIFF</u>

4a	One of the largest companies on the Dublin Stock Exchange, which company with a colour in its name and the slogan “low fuel prices, always” operates over 500 petrol stations and shops around Ireland, the UK and the US? In 2018, it acquired the British motorway services chain, Welcome Break.	<u>APPLEGREEN</u>
4b	What is the name of the song by the bands Coldplay and BTS that debuted in September of 2021? It is the first song by a British Band to debut at Number One on the Billboard Hot 100.	<u>MY UNIVERSE</u>

Round 4

1a	In July of 2021, which actor became the face of Burberry Hero, a new wood fresh scented cologne? He also played Maurizio Gucci in the 2021 film House of Gucci and Kylo Ren in Star Wars.	Adam <u>DRIVER</u>
1b	What is the full name of the character played by John Cena on the HBO Max series Peacemaker?	<u>CHRISTOPHER SMITH</u>
2a	On 25 February 2022, American President Joe Biden nominated which woman to fill a vacancy in the US Supreme Court? If confirmed, she will become the first ever Black female Justice.	Kentaji Brown <u>JACKSON</u>
2b	Which German polymath was one of the two independent discoverers of calculus in the late 17th century? He was also a prominent figure in philosophy, law and history, and is today honoured in the name of a butter (and often cholate) biscuit from the Bahlsen company in Hannover.	Gottfried Wilhelm <u>LEIBNIZ</u>

3a	In the Song of Ice and Fire novels, what is the name of the baker's son who is a companion to Arya Stark and Gendry?	<u>HOT PIE</u>
3b	Known in the US as an eighth note, which musical note is equivalent to half a crotchet? Several of these notes can be connected with a beam to indicate rhythmical groupings, the longest note where this is allowed.	<u>QUAVER</u>
4a	Which athlete captained the successful Britain's womens curling team at the 2022 Winter Olympics?	Eve <u>MUIRHEAD</u>
4b	The capital city of Uzbekistan and the third largest city in Kazakhstan both end in what 4 letters in English, coming from a Sogdian-language root meaning "town"? The second largest city in Uzbekistan also comes from this root, though with a slightly different modern spelling.	<u>KENT</u> (as in Tashkent, Shymkent. Accept KAND as in Samarkand)

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Round 5

1a	Serving from 2006 to 2018, Ellen Johnson Sirleaf was President of which West African country? Succeeded by George Weah in 2018, she was the first elected female head of state in Africa.	<u>LIBERIA</u>
1b	What is the name of a small type of coastal inlet with narrow, restricted entrances, an often circular shape and often situated within a larger bay? A town on the southern coast of Ireland has a name deriving from this word and a notable example is found at the Jurassic Coast World Heritage site in Dorset.	<u>COVE</u>
2a	The Lilleküla stadium is home to both Levadia and Flora, teams based in which European city? In the most recent league season, Levadia finished first, with Flora just a point behind in second.	<u>TALLINN</u>

2b	Also known for films such as 8 Mile and Wonder Boys, which director was nominated for the Best Director Oscar for 1997's LA Confidential? He did share in the victory of Best Adapted Screenplay for the same film.	Curtis <u>HANSON</u>
3a	One of the largest companies on the Dublin Stock Exchange, what is the name (an old slang term in gambling) of the combined bookmaking company of Paddy Power and Betfair? As well as these brands, the company owns many others including FanDuel in the US, SkyBet in the UK and Sportsbet in Australia.	<u>FLUTTER</u>
3b	What is the title of the third English language single by the band BTS? It was co-written by Ed Sheeran and was released in July on the B-side of their single "Butter".	<u>PERMISSION TO DANCE</u>
4a	Situated next to The Haywain Triptych by the same artist, which triptych by Bosch is one of the major attractions of the Museo del Prado in Madrid? Its left panel depicts Eden, the right panel a hellscape, and the central panel the namesake location of the piece.	The <u>GARDEN OF EARTHLY DELIGHTS</u>
4b	In which US state is the fictional town of Kingstown from the Paramount+ TV series Mayor of Kingstown located? Detroit and Flint are located in this state.	<u>MICHIGAN</u>

Round 6

1a	Which Russian Figure Skater helped the ROC win a team gold medal in figure skating at the 2022 Winter Olympics but finished fourth in the women's single event? Controversy surrounded her due to a positive test for a banned drug.	Kamila <u>VALIEVA</u>
1b	The A1 road connects St. Helier to St. Aubin, a town in which parish in the southwest of Jersey? Its name is	<u>ST. BRELADE</u>

	derived from a Celtic saint whose major shrine is at Milton Abbas in Dorset.	
2a	On 16 November 2021, which American lawyer and politician became the first woman and first person of color to serve as Boston's mayor?	Michelle <u>WU</u>
2b	Known in the US as a half note, which musical note is equivalent to two crotchets? Its name in both Spanish (Blanca) and French (Blanche), meaning white, derives from the fact that it is the shortest unfilled note when drawn out in musical notation.	<u>MINIM</u>
3a	In the Song of Ice and Fire novels, what is the name of the assassin in Braavos that helps train a blind Arya Stark?	THE <u>WAIF</u>
3b	Which English polymath was one of the two independent discoverers of calculus in the late 17th century? He was also a prominent figure in physics, astronomy and theology and various trees around England are claimed to be "the" tree described in a famous story about one of this man's discoveries.	Isaac <u>NEWTON</u>
4a	In September of 2021, which singer became the face of Valentino's Voce Viva perfume? She also played Patrizia Reggiani in the 2021 film House of Gucci.	LADY <u>GAGA</u>
4b	With a single word title, which French police procedural and legal drama, starring Caroline Proust as Captain Laure Berthaud, ran for 8 series and was shown on BBC 4 from 2006? It won the 2015 International Emmy Award for Best Series.	<u>SPIRAL</u>

Round 7

1a	What is the name of the talking mouse from The Chronicles of Narnia by CS Lewis? He was a major character in The Voyage of The Dawn Treader.	<u>REEPICHEEP</u>
1b	What is the full name of the character played by John Cena in the 2021 film F9: The Fast Saga?	<u>JAKOB TORRETO</u>
2a	Made up of layers of cognac and vanilla-spiced buttercream sandwiched by almond meringue dough, the Esterházy torta was developed in the late 19th century in which European city on the Danube?	<u>BUDAPEST</u>
2b	What was the name of the American sexologist who was the partner and wife of gynaecologist William H. Masters? Together they researched human sexual response and sexual disorders for over three decades	Virgina E <u>JOHNSON</u>
3a	Also the name of a Beatles song in which “the girl that’s driving me mad/ is going away”, which 2004 board game was designed by Alan R. Moon and requires players to complete rail routes around the United States, competing with other players for lines?	<u>TICKET TO RIDE</u>
3b	The third-largest city in Russia’s far east, the 9th and 10th largest cities in China’s region of Inner Mongolia and the capital of the country of Mongolia all begin with what Mongolic root word meaning “red”? It’s spelt with 4 letters in the first three cases, and with 5 in the modern anglicisation of the Mongolian capital.	<u>ULAN</u> or ULAAN (as in Ulan-Ude, Ulanqab, Ulanhot, Ulaanbaatar)
4a	Huangdi's cult became prominent during which period of Chinese history? This period of conflict is known by the name '_____ States Period', what word completes the blank.	<u>WARRING</u>
4b	Which One Direction member is the first man to appear solo on the cover of Vogue Magazine? He did so in December of 2020.	Harry <u>STYLES</u>

Round 8

1a	Which English actress won the 2016 Tony Award for Best Actress in a Musical for her portrayal of Celie in The Color Purple? She is set to play Elphaba in the upcoming film adaptation of Wicked.	Cynthia <u>ENRIVO</u>
1b	Ghana (pronounced ana), inscribed on the UNESCO intangible cultural heritage list, is a type of folk music in which Mediterranean country? There are three main types of Ghana, including Spirtu Pront (meaning quick-wit), which is essentially an improvised song duel between two singers demonstrating their knowledge of a wide range of social topics and the language of this nation.	<u>MALTA</u>
2a	American author Julia Quinn is perhaps best known for which series of 8 historical romance novels and a short story set in Regency-era England? The series was adapted into a wildly successful Netflix show by Shonda Rhimes, the second season of which is due in March 2022.	<u>BRIDGERTON</u>
2b	BHD is the airport code for an airport in which UK city?	<u>BELFAST</u>
3a	What is the name of the cat that lives at the White House with President Joe Biden? She shares a first name with the title character from a 1988 fantasy movie starring Warwick Davis.	<u>WILLOW</u>
3b	What is the name of the 2008 film based on a memoir with the same title by American author John Grogan? It starred Owen Wilson and is about a yellow Labrador retriever that changed his life.	<u>MARLEY & ME</u>
4a	In which track and field event did Harold Abrahams win the gold medal at the 1924 Paris Olympics? His story was depicted in the 1981 film Chariots of Fire.	<u>100 metres</u>
4b	Like the older DL notation which is still used for sugars and amino acids and also deriving from Latin words for right and left, what two letters are used in stereochemistry as descriptors for the "handedness" of a stereocentre?	<u>R AND S</u> (both required. from rectus and sinister)

We hope you have enjoyed this friendly set. Please remember that the friendlies are written by volunteers who are all members of OQL so please consider that when making comments regarding the friendly set.

Spares

1	Who was Thomas Jefferson's Vice President whose political career was ended when he killed his rival, Alexander Hamilton, in a duel?	Aaron <u>BURR</u>
2	Which uninhabited island off County Sligo was the subject of a poem by W.B Yeats?	<u>INNISFREE</u>
3	John Lennon repeatedly stated that which Beatles hit was inspired by a nursery school drawing by his son, Julian, and was in no way related to hallucinogenic drugs?	<u>LUCY IN THE SKY WITH DIAMONDS</u>
4	What was the name of the famous greyhound that, in 1930, became the first dog to win the English Greyhound Derby twice?	<u>MICK THE MILLER</u>