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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 Yorkshire lawyer was executed in 1537 on the orders of King Henry VIII, due to his role as the leader of a popular uprising known as the Pilgrimage of Grace?	Robert <u>ASKE</u>
1b	Which New Zealand author wrote the novel <i>The Bone People</i> , which was awarded the Booker Prize in 1985? She passed away in December 2021.	Keri <u>HULME</u> (accept Kai <u>TAINUI</u>)
2a	Which British rock musician , the lead guitarist for Queen, began a doctorate in astrophysics at Imperial College London in 1971, and completed it in 2007 after a lengthy hiatus? His thesis was entitled <i>A Survey of Radial Velocities in the Zodiacal Dust Cloud</i> .	Brian <u>MAY</u>
2b	What nickname is shared by a Major League Baseball team from Detroit and a rugby union team from Leicester?	<u>TIGERS</u>
3a	In musical terminology, which Italian word is typically used to instruct the player of a stringed instrument to play notes by plucking the strings?	<u>PIZZICATO</u> [<i>PIT-si-ca-toe</i>]
3b	Which Commonwealth country , with a coastline on the Atlantic Ocean, is the smallest nation in mainland Africa in terms of area?	The <u>GAMBIA</u>
4a	What is the title of the monthly film magazine which is published by the British Film Institute? It is noted for its prestigious poll of the 'Greatest Films of All Time', conducted once every decade.	<u>SIGHT & SOUND</u>
4b	<i>The Morning After</i> , hosted by Kem Cetinay and Arielle Free, is a companion podcast to which popular ITV reality show?	<u>LOVE ISLAND</u>

Round 2

1a	'Back', 'Clones', 'Hope' and 'Sith' are all the last words in titles of films in which series ?	<u>STAR WARS</u>
1b	Its name derived from a Spanish Arabic word meaning 'east wind', which dry, dusty wind originates in the Sahara Desert and blows across the Mediterranean Sea? It gives its name to a hatchback produced by Volkswagen between 1974 and 2017.	<u>SIROCCO</u> (accept <u>SCIROCCO, SIROC, GHIBLI</u> or <u>JUGO</u>)
2a	Which Puerto Rican rapper , whose best known songs include 'Mia' and 'Yonaguni', was, according to Spotify, the most-streamed artist of both 2020 and 2021?	<u>BAD BUNNY</u> (accept <u>Benito OCASIO</u>)
2b	Its name translating into English as 'fire meat', what Korean dish consists of thin strips of marinated beef or pork, grilled on a barbecue or stove-top griddle?	<u>BULGOGI</u>
3a	Which invasive duck species , originating in Jamaica, must be reported if seen in the UK, due to its ability to interbreed with the endangered white-headed duck? Males of this species can be identified by their cobalt-blue bills and the chestnut-red breeding plumage which gives this species its common name.	<u>RUDDY duck</u> (accept <u>OXYURA JAMAICENSIS</u>)
3b	Which play by William Shakespeare , written in around 1600 and set in Denmark, shares its name with a brand of cigar that was first sold in 1964?	<u>HAMLET</u> (accept <u>THE TRAGEDY OF HAMLET, PRINCE OF DENMARK</u>)
4a	Though he created innovative designs for the hoe and various other agricultural devices, the English agriculturist Jethro Tull is perhaps best-remembered for his horse-drawn version of what device , which he introduced in 1701?	<u>SEED DRILL</u>
4b	Which Hong Kong swimmer won silver medals in the women's 100m and 200m freestyle at the 2020 Tokyo Olympics?	Siobhán <u>HAUGHEY</u> [<i>shi-VA WN HA W-hee</i>]

Round 3

1a	Celebrating its 20th anniversary this year, the album <i>Turn On The Bright Lights</i> , ranked by Pitchfork magazine as the best album of 2002, was recorded by which American band ?	<u>INTERPOL</u>
1b	Which footballer , who currently plays as a winger for Inter Milan, scored the equaliser for Croatia in their 2018 FIFA World Cup semi-final against England? Mario Mandžukić [<i>MAN-joo-kitch</i>] went on to score the winning goal for Croatia in that game.	Ivan <u>PERIŠIĆ</u> [<i>PEH-ri-shitch</i>]
2a	Sarah-Jane Mee, Anna Botting and Kay Burley are all presenters for which television channel and organisation ? A two-word answer is required.	<u>SKY NEWS</u>
2b	In which famous ballet does Prince Siegfried get tricked into marrying Odile, the daughter of the evil Baron von Rothbart, believing she is Odette, his true love? The plot of an Oscar-winning 2010 film revolves around a staging of this ballet.	<u>SWAN LAKE</u>
3a	Which politician served as Chancellor of the Exchequer in the governments of David Cameron, and was later appointed as editor of the <i>London Evening Standard</i> ?	George <u>OSBORNE</u>
3b	Which make-up brand , a subsidiary of L'Oréal, is known for its 'Naked' eyeshadow palettes and 'All Nighter' setting spray?	<u>URBAN DECAY</u>
4a	The 17th-century mathematical conjecture known as Fermat's Last Theorem was proven by which British mathematician , who published his proof of it in 1995?	Andrew <u>WILES</u>
4b	In a common British idiom, a person who is being ostracised is said to be 'sent to' which city in the Midlands ?	<u>COVENTRY</u>

Round 4

1a	The intercostal muscles are found between which multiply-paired bones of the human body?	<u>RIBS</u> (accept <u>RIB CAGE</u>)
1b	The clothing brand 'Tu' is sold by which British supermarket chain?	<u>SAINSBURY'S</u>
2a	Which East German politician served as First Secretary of the Socialist Unity Party of Germany from 1950 until 1971? During this time, he ordered the construction of the Berlin Wall.	Walter <u>ULBRICHT</u>
2b	Although its name is thought to be Turkic in origin, the Turul is a mythical bird of prey that serves as one of the national symbols of which European country?	<u>HUNGARY</u>
3a	Which English actor , who rose to prominence with his leading role in the ITV drama series <i>Chancer</i> , played President Bill Clinton in <i>Impeachment</i> , the 2021 season of the FX true-crime anthology series <i>American Crime Story</i> ?	Clive <u>OWEN</u>
3b	Name either of the two letters which are worth 4 points in English-language Scrabble, but worth only 1 point in Welsh-language Scrabble.	<u>W</u> or <u>Y</u>
4a	Which 1985 rock song by Starship, which includes the lyrics "Marconi plays the mamba, listen to the radio", was the subject of a sausage-roll-themed parody by LadBaby, which became the UK's Christmas number one single in 2018?	<u>'WE BUILT THIS CITY'</u>
4b	Which Italian painter and sculptor , known for portraying subjects with distinctive elongated necks and faces, died in Paris in 1920 at the age of 35, due to tuberculous meningitis?	Amedeo <u>MODIGLIANI</u> [<i>mo-deal-YA-nee</i>]

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Round 5

1a	Which monthly British film magazine , launched in 1997 as a competitor to Empire magazine, published a special 'summer' issue each year between 2004 and 2018, and usually features a six-page in-depth interview with an actor or director, alongside a critique of their body of work?	<u>TOTAL FILM</u>
1b	The novel <i>The Siege of Krishnapur</i> , which was awarded the Booker Prize in 1973, forms part of the 'Empire Trilogy' by which Anglo-Irish author , who drowned at the age of 44? His novel <i>Troubles</i> , the first instalment in the trilogy, was retrospectively awarded the so-called 'Lost Man Booker Prize' in 2010.	James Gordon <u>FARRELL</u>
2a	Which 1981 rock song by Journey, which includes the lyrics "Just a city boy, born and raised in South Detroit", was the subject of a sausage-roll-themed parody by LadBaby, which became the UK's Christmas number one single in 2020?	<u>'DON'T STOP BELIEVIN'</u>
2b	Which former Spanish colony , with a coastline on the Pacific Ocean, is the smallest mainland nation in the Americas in terms of area?	<u>EL SALVADOR</u>
3a	What common name is given collectively to the three muscles in the back of the thigh which are known formally as the biceps femoris, semimembranosus and semitendinosus?	<u>HAMSTRINGS</u>
3b	The clothing brand, 'F&F', an abbreviation of 'Florence & Fred', is sold by which British supermarket chain ?	<u>TESCO</u>
4a	Which politician was the leader and namesake of a popular uprising in England in 1554, thought to have arisen partly due to concerns surrounding Queen Mary I's impending marriage to Philip II of Spain?	Thomas <u>WYATT</u>
4b	Which letter is worth 10 points in English-language Scrabble, but only 1 point in Polish-language Scrabble?	<u>Z</u>

Round 6

1a	According to Spotify, the song 'Levitating' was the world's most-streamed song by a UK artist in 2021, despite first being released in 2020. It was a trans-Atlantic hit for which singer , along with featured artist DaBaby?	Dua <u>LIPA</u>
1b	In a common British idiom, a person who is performing a pointless action is said to be 'carrying coals to' which city in northern England?	<u>NEWCASTLE</u> (accept <u>NEWCASTLE-UPON-TYNE</u>)
2a	Cathy Newman, Matt Frei and Krishnan Guru-Murthy are all presenters of news programmes for which UK terrestrial television channel?	Channel <u>4</u>
2b	In which famous ballet does Princess Aurora dance the 'Rose Adagio' with a series of suitors?	<i>The <u>SLEEPING BEAUTY</u></i>
3a	Which future Prime Minister served as Home Secretary in the governments of David Cameron?	Theresa <u>MAY</u>
3b	Which Japanese swimmer won gold medals in the women's 200m and 400m individual medleys at the 2020 Tokyo Olympics?	Yui <u>OHASHI</u>
4a	Which duck species , whose common name contains an antiquated name for a European region, is considered an invasive species in North America, where large feral populations have become established? Ducks of this species are large, predominantly black and white, and feature distinctive red or pink wattles around the beak and eyes.	<u>MUSCOVY</u> duck (accept <u>BARBARY</u> duck or <u>CAIRINA MOSCHATA</u>)
4b	Its name translating into English as 'mixing rice', what Korean dish traditionally consists of warm rice topped with sauteed vegetables or kimchi, gochujang [<i>GO-choo-jang</i>], soy sauce and often a fried egg or beef?	<u>BIBIMBAP</u> (or <u>BIBIMBOP</u>)

Round 7

1a	Which recently-retired German politician completed a doctorate in quantum chemistry in 1986, with a thesis entitled <i>Investigation of the Mechanism of Decay Reactions With Single Bond Breaking and Calculation of their Velocity Constants on the Basis of Quantum Chemical and Statistical Methods</i> ?	Angela <u>MERKEL</u>
1b	<i>No Such Thing as a Fish</i> is a podcast produced and presented by the researchers for which popular BBC2 panel game show ?	<u>QI</u>
2a	Which politician , who had previously served as First Secretary of the Georgian Communist Party, served as President of Georgia from 1995 until his overthrow in the Rose Revolution of 2003? He is regarded as having played a significant role in the dissolution of the USSR.	Eduard <u>SHEVARDNADZE</u> [<i>she-ward-NAD-zee</i>]
2b	What nickname is shared by an NFL team from Atlanta and a rugby union team from Newcastle?	<u>FALCONS</u>
3a	Which American actor , who played Bob Fosse [<i>FOSS-ee</i>] in the FX biographical miniseries <i>Fosse/Verdon</i> , portrayed President George W. Bush in <i>Vice</i> , a 2018 film directed by Adam McKay?	Sam <u>ROCKWELL</u>
3b	A strong influence on Amedeo Modigliani [<i>mo-deal-YA-nee</i>] was which Romanian-born sculptor , who also made his name in Paris and is known for sculptures such as <i>Bird In Space</i> and <i>The Endless Column</i> ?	Constantin <u>BRÂNCUȘI</u> [<i>bran-KOOSH</i>]
4a	Which Italian word , which appears in the common title of a famous work for strings by Samuel Barber, is used in musical terminology to instruct a player that a piece is to be played slowly?	<u>ADAGIO</u>
4b	Although it originated in Chinese mythology, the Chollima is a mythical winged horse that serves as one of the national symbols of which Asian country ?	<u>NORTH KOREA</u> (accept <u>DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF KOREA</u> or <u>DPRK</u> - prompt on <u>KOREA</u> alone, do not accept 'South Korea' or 'Republic of Korea')

Round 8

1a	Though he also created a milling machine and other devices, the American inventor Eli Whitney is perhaps best-remembered for inventing the modern version of which agricultural device , which he introduced in 1793?	Cotton <u>GIN</u>
1b	Which footballer , who currently plays as a centre-back for Juventus, scored the equaliser for Italy in the Euro 2020 final against England? He also scored in the subsequent penalty shoot-out.	Leonardo <u>BONUCCI</u> [<i>bo-NOO-chee</i>]
2a	For his proof of Fermat's Last Theorem, Andrew Wiles received which mathematical prize in 2016? It is awarded annually by the King of Norway, and is named after a 19th-century Norwegian mathematician.	<u>ABEL Prize</u>
2b	Which make-up brand , founded in 1976 and now a subsidiary of LVMH, is known for its best-selling 'Hoola' bronzer and award-winning 'They're Real' mascara?	<u>BENEFIT</u>
3a	Celebrating its 20th anniversary this year, the album <i>Yankee Hotel Foxtrot</i> , ranked by Pitchfork magazine as the second-best album of 2002, was recorded by which American band ?	<u>WILCO</u>
3b	Named after an indigenous people who live along the Columbia River in Oregon and Washington state, which warm, dry wind blows down the east side of the Rocky Mountains at the end of winter? It gives its name to the Boeing CH-47 helicopter used by the US Army.	<u>CHINOOK</u>
4a	'Fire', 'Phoenix', 'Secrets' and 'Azkaban' are all the last words in titles of films in which series ?	<u>HARRY POTTER</u>
4b	Which play by William Shakespeare , written in around 1603 and set in Venice during the Ottoman-Venetian war, shares its name with a form of the strategy board game Reversi, patented in 1971?	<u>OTHELLO</u> (accept <i>THE TRAGEDY OF OTHELLO, MOOR OF VENICE</i>)

Spares

1	The phrase "I pity the fool" has become closely associated with which American actor , who spoke the words while playing the role of Clubber Lang in the film Rocky III?	<u>MR. T</u> (accept Laurence <u>TUREAUD</u>)
2	In 1992, Elton John was inducted into the Songwriters Hall of Fame alongside which lyricist , who wrote the lyrics for many of John's songs, including 'Candle in the Wind' and 'Crocodile Rock'?	Bernie <u>TAUPIN</u>
3	As well as being the capital city of the country as a whole, Rome is also the capital city of which of Italy's 20 administrative regions?	<u>LAZIO</u> [<i>LAT-see-ob</i>]
4	By some estimates, the best-selling Irish novel of all time is which novel by Ethel Voynich , which was first published in 1897 and became wildly popular in the USSR? Dmitri Shostakovich composed the score for a famous film adaptation of this novel.	<i>The <u>GADFLY</u></i> (accept <i><u>OVOD</u></i>)