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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

<b>1a</b>	Which affirmative word names the title of a UK #1 single by Usher (featuring Lil Jon and Ludacris) that, when repeated (albeit spelled differently), forms the title of a UK #1 single by Georgie Fame and The Blue Flames?	<u>Yeah!</u> /Yeh
<b>1b</b>	In July 2022, which Scottish politician married SNP MSP Jenny Gilruth? The woman in question served as Leader of Scottish Labour from 2015 to 2017, and was in 2017 one of a growing number of politicians to appear on I'm A Celebrity...Get Me Out of Here	Kezia <u>Dugdale</u>
<b>2a</b>	The voice actor Troy Baker voices Joel Miller in which 2013 video game? In the game Joel is tasked with transporting a teenage girl through a United States ravaged by zombies.	The <u>Last of Us</u>
<b>2b</b>	In 1988, who became the first person to win the Edinburgh Comedy Award for Best Show after being nominated the previous year? He later appeared as a team captain on the BBC panel show 'If I Ruled The World' before his death in February 2019.	Jeremy <u>Hardy</u>
<b>3a</b>	The main shopping centre in the town of Eastleigh shares its name with which animal of the family Anatidae? The same animal is also the seventh most common pub name in the UK, with pubsgalore.co.uk listing 276.	<u>Swan</u>
<b>3b</b>	"There's a world of chocolate in every bowl of [BLANK]" was the advertising slogan for which Nestlé breakfast cereal that fills in the blank? The slogan was usually said by its rabbit mascot in commercials for this product, though the brand is now known for its milkshake powders.	<u>Nesquik</u>
<b>4a</b>	Used to refer to one of the two main schools of Jainism, 'sky clad' is an English translation of what Sanskrit word?	<u>Digambara</u>
<b>4b</b>	A glass cylinder designed to straighten cucumbers as they grow was a less well-known invention by which engineer? He is perhaps better known for innovations in engine design in the 1820s.	George <u>Stephenson</u>

## Round 2

<b>1a</b>	In baseball statistics, what does the letter K represent? A forwards K denotes one of these 'swinging', while a backwards K denotes one of these 'looking'.	<b><u>Strikeout</u></b>
<b>1b</b>	With contributors including Brian Wilson, Garth Brooks and 'Weird Al' Yankovic, the 2022 documentary film 'The Day The Music Died' concerns which song, first released in 1971? Until 2010, it held the record for the longest song to reach number 1 in the US.	<b><u>American Pie</u></b>
<b>2a</b>	One of La Monte Young's 'Compositions 1960', 'Piano Piece for David Tudor #2' instructs the pianist to perform what action 'without making any sound'?	<b><u>Opening the keyboard cover</u></b> (accept similar answers)
<b>2b</b>	Which Scottish bridge, designed by Sir Thomas Bouch, was destroyed in 1879 while a train was part way through crossing it during a storm? While notoriously bad poet William McGonagall's most well known poems concern this incident, he also penned two others about this bridge.	<b><u>Tay</u></b> Bridge
<b>3a</b>	Tournesols is the French title of which pair of still-life paintings by Vincent Van Gogh? The eponymous plants belong to the genus Helianthus.	<b><u>Sunflowers</u></b>
<b>3b</b>	In the field of molecular biology, there are two main types of DNA in a cell. What does the 'm' stand for in the abbreviation mDNA, denoting the organelle in which this DNA can be found? This organelle generates ATP ('energy') through the process of aerobic respiration.	<b><u>Mitochondrial</u></b> (accept Mitochondria)
<b>4a</b>	Only three countries of the world have non-rectangular-shaped flags. Among these is the flag of which country, whose flag is completely non-quadrilateral in shape? It is home to the majority of the Himalayas.	<b><u>Nepal</u></b>
<b>4b</b>	Comprising a small rectangular sponge cake flavoured with almonds and beurre noisette, the name of which French patisserie item originates from its popularity with bankers around the Paris stock exchange in the 19th century?	<b><u>Financier</u></b> ['fee-nons-year']

### Round 3

<b>1a</b>	Consisting of 19 lines, which form of poem shares its name with a character from Luke Jennings' novels that were later adapted into the TV series 'Killing Eve'?	<u><b>Villanelle</b></u> (accept Villanesque)
<b>1b</b>	The psychological phenomenon in which people believe that information, such as a horoscope, is tailored to them when it is in fact vague enough to apply to a wide range of people is commonly named after which American born in 1810?	P.T. <u><b>Barnum</b></u>
<b>2a</b>	The full names of Montenegro, Bangladesh, and North Korea all include which two words?	<u><b>People's Republic</b></u>
<b>2b</b>	Twitter's controversial new subscription service 'Twitter Blue' has already proved to be a major economical headache for certain businesses due to impersonators. Which major pharmaceutical giant's shares went down as much as 5% after an imposter account using their name tweeted 'We are excited to announce insulin is free now'? This event has re-ignited debate over the consumer price of insulin in the U.S.	<u><b>Eli Lilly</b></u> Co.
<b>3a</b>	Only eleven of the 77 Grand Slam men's singles since Wimbledon 2003 have been won by players other than Roger Federer, Rafael Nadal, Novak Djokovic and Andy Murray. Which Croatian player won his only Grand Slam title to date when he beat Kei ['kay'] Nishikori in the 2014 US Open final? He also reached the final of Wimbledon in 2017 and the 2018 Australian Open, losing to Federer on both occasions.	Marin <u><b>Čilić</b></u> ['chillitch']
<b>3b</b>	David Tennant succeeded which actor as the Doctor? He is otherwise well-known for his role as Stephen Baxter in The Second Coming, also written by Doctor Who showrunner Russell T Davies.	Christopher <u><b>Eccleston</b></u>

<b>4a</b>	What 2022 Tony Award winner for Best Musical has been described as a "big, Black, and queer Great American Musical for all"?	A <b><u>Strange Loop</u></b>
<b>4b</b>	In 1920, in recognition of the support offered during the First World War, a Métro station in northwest Paris was named after which British monarch?	<b><u>George V</u></b>

## Round 4

<b>1a</b>	Airports with the IATA codes PVG, HGH and NKG are amongst the largest in which Asian country?	<b><u>China</u></b> (Shanghai Pudong, Hangzhou Xiaoshan, Nanjing Lukou)
<b>1b</b>	Named to reflect its overlapping of multiple disciplines, which exercise regimen developed by Greg Glassman in 2000, offers a 'Workout of the Day'? In the world of WWE, Seth Rollins is often nicknamed '[THIS] Jesus'.	<b><u>Crossfit</u></b>
<b>2a</b>	Two Scottish authors have won the Booker Prize since its inception in 1969. The most recent went to Douglas Stuart, for which 2020 novel, set in 1980s post-industrial Glasgow? It was his debut novel.	<b><u>Shuggie Bain</u></b>
<b>2b</b>	What word follows 'Petri' to give the name of a piece of scientific equipment? In a nursery rhyme, this ran away with the spoon.	<b><u>Dish</u></b>
<b>3a</b>	In 1992, British electronic music duo Utah Saints had a top 10 hit with 'Something Good'. The single vocal line sampled on this song - "ooh, I just know that something good is gonna happen" - comes from which singer's 1985 single 'Cloudbusting'?	Kate <b><u>Bush</u></b>

<b>3b</b>	In January 2010, who tweeted that he was going to "blow [Robin Hood Airport] sky high" and was subsequently arrested on suspicion of breaching the Communications Act 2003? He was convicted in what was known as the 'Twitter Joke Trial', though it was subsequently overturned in 2012.	Paul <b><u>Chambers</u></b>
<b>4a</b>	In November 2022, it was reported that MLS franchise D.C United was fined for hiring which former Manchester United striker as their new manager? He was the only person who made it to the final interview, breaking the rule that 1 or more BAME candidates must be considered for the role. In the NFL, a similar law coincidentally shares its name with this man.	Wayne <b><u>Rooney</u></b> (The ROONEY Rule)
<b>4b</b>	'Turbine Hall', 'Vichnaya Pamyat [vitch-nyeh parm-yet]' and 'Evacuation' are tracks from Hildur Guðnadóttir's [hil-DUR GURNA-dott-ear] score for which 2019 television series, which won the Grammy award for Best Score Soundtrack for Visual Media?	<b><u>Chernobyl</u></b>

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### Round 5

<b>1a</b>	What 2019 Tony Award Winner for Best Musical has been described as a "a folk opera musical based on [an] ancient Greek myth"?	<b><u>Hadestown</u></b>
<b>1b</b>	Another victim of Twitter Blue's catastrophic launch was which aerospace and security giant whose share value plummeted by up to 5.3% on the global market after another imposter account tweeted that they were halting all arms sales to Saudi Arabia, Israel and the United States?	<b><u>Lockheed</u></b> Martin (accept just Lockheed)
<b>2a</b>	Another of the men's grand slam singles champions since 2003 not named Federer, Nadal, Djokovic or Murray is which Austrian player, who beat Alexander Zverev to win his only Grand Slam to date at the 2020 US Open? He also lost to Nadal in the finals of the French Open in 2018 and 2019, and Djokovic in the 2020 Australian Open final.	Dominic <b><u>Thiem</u></b> ['teem']
<b>2b</b>	The cognitive bias in which people believe that knowing the existence of a cognitive bias is enough to overcome said bias is commonly named after which famous toy created in 1964?	<b><u>G.I. Joe</u></b>

<b>3a</b>	Consisting of 5 lines, which form of poem shares its name with a city in the west of Ireland?	<b><u>Limerick</u></b>
<b>3b</b>	'Leonard Cohen, A Journey, A Song' is the subtitle of a 2022 music documentary film concerning which song, first released in 1984? Contributors to this film include John Cale, Regina Spektor and Rufus Wainwright. Although Cohen claimed to have written 80 verses, the released version of this song, successfully covered by both Jeff Buckley and Alexandra Burke, comprised only four.	<b><u>Hallelujah</u></b>
<b>4a</b>	The full names of Mauritania, Pakistan and Iran all include which two words?	<b><u>Islamic Republic</u></b>
<b>4b</b>	In 1883, what kind of creature, locally recognised as the 'Monster', was first seen swimming in the Firth of Tay? Locals attempted several failed hunts of this animal, however it eventually turned up dead In January '84. Another of William McGonagall's most well known poems concerns this creature.	Humpback <b><u>Whale</u></b> /Tay <b><u>Whale</u></b> (accept whale alone but not other types of whale such as "blue whale")

## Round 6

<b>1a</b>	The voice actor Troy Baker voices the villain Higgs in which 2019 video game? Created by Hideo Kojima, the game also stars Norman Reedus as Sam, a delivery man tasked with restoring a United States ravaged by ghosts.	<b><u>Death Stranding</u></b>
<b>1b</b>	In April 2016, which Scottish YouTuber posted a video in which he taught his girlfriend's dog to perform a Nazi salute? He was subsequently arrested and found guilty of breaching the Communications Act 2003 and ordered to pay a fine of £800.	Count <b><u>Dankula</u></b> ( Accept Mark Meechan)
<b>2a</b>	What sweet word names the title of a UK top 10 single by Maroon 5 and when repeated, gives a UK #1 single by one-hit wonder The Archies?	<b><u>Sugar</u></b>
<b>2b</b>	'Defeated Clown', 'Penny in the Hospital' and 'Bathroom Dance' are tracks from Hildur Guðnadóttir's [hil-DUR GURNA-dott-ear] score for which 2019 film, which won the Grammy award for Best Score Soundtrack for Visual Media?	<b><u>Joker</u></b>



<b>3a</b>	The main shopping centre in the town of Poole shares its name with which animal of the order Cetacea? It forms part of the 81st most common pub name in the UK, with pubsgalore.co.uk listing 56.	<u><b>Dolphin</b></u>
<b>3b</b>	Patented in 1780, a device for copying freshly written text onto a second sheet of paper was a less well-known invention by which engineer? He is perhaps better known for an innovation in engine design, introduced commercially in 1776.	James <u><b>Watt</b></u>
<b>4a</b>	Used to refer to one of the two main sects of another major religion, 'greater vehicle' is an English translation of what Sanskrit word?	<u><b>Mahayana</b></u>
<b>4b</b>	"We'd rather have a bowl of [BLANK]" was the advertising slogan for which Kellogg's breakfast cereal that fills in the blank? The slogan was usually sung by its monkey mascot in commercials for this product.	<u><b>Coco Pops</b></u> (accept Choco Krispies or Cocoa Krispies)

## Round 7

<b>1a</b>	Airports with the IATA codes CLO, MDE and CTG are amongst the largest in which Latin American country?	<u><b>Colombia</b></u> (Cali, Medellin, Cartagena)
<b>1b</b>	What word follows 'atomic' to give the name of a piece of scientific equipment? In a nursery rhyme, the mouse ran up this.	<u><b>Clock</b></u>
<b>2a</b>	Two New Zealander authors have won the Booker Prize since its inception in 1969. The more recent went to Eleanor Catton in 2013 for which novel, set in 1860s West Coast New Zealand during a gold rush? It was her second novel after her smash debut 'The Rehearsal'.	The <u><b>Luminaries</b></u>

<b>2b</b>	Its name is a term for a group of cyclists in a race, which exercise regimen, developed in 2012, charges a \$44 monthly membership fee to use its Internet-connected exercise bikes?	<u>Peloton</u>
<b>3a</b>	Although the English Premier League hasn't officially adopted the Rooney Rule, they have repeatedly made efforts to increase BAME representation in coaching roles. Despite this, which former Arsenal midfielder is the only black manager in the top flight? He was appointed as manager of Crystal Palace in 2021.	Patrick <u>Vieira</u>
<b>3b</b>	In July 2022, which Scottish politician married her partner Katie? She has been the SNP MP for Paisley and Renfrewshire South since 2015, and at 20 was the youngest person to be elected to the House of Commons since 1832.	Mhairi <u>Black</u>
<b>4a</b>	In 1993, British electronic music duo Utah Saints had a top 10 hit with 'Believe In Me'. The single vocal line sampled on this song - "I believe in me, I believe in you and you know I believe in love" - comes from which group's 1981 single 'Love Action (I Believe in Love)'?	The <u>Human League</u>
<b>4b</b>	Who is the youngest person to win the Edinburgh Comedy Award for Best Show, doing so aged 24 in 1990? He later appeared as a team captain on the BBC panel show 'Never Mind The Buzzcocks' before his death in October 2017.	Sean <u>Hughes</u>

## Round 8

<b>1a</b>	Nymphéas is the French title of which series of roughly 250 oil paintings by Claude Monet? One species of this eponymous plant is the national flower of Sri Lanka.	Water <u>Lilies</u>
<b>1b</b>	David Tennant also succeeded which actor as the Doctor? She is otherwise well-known for her role as Beth Latimer in Broadchurch, also written by Doctor Who showrunner Chris Chibnall.	Jodie <u>Whittaker</u>

<b>2a</b>	Only three countries of the world have non-rectangular-shaped flags. Among these is the flag of which country, often called the 'flag of the Holy See'? It is an enclave located entirely within Italy.	<b><u>Vatican City</u></b>
<b>2b</b>	In 1946, a Métro station in northwest Paris was renamed after which US president, in recognition of the support offered during the Second World War?	Franklin D. <b><u>Roosevelt</u></b> (Accept FDR. Do Not Accept Theodore Roosevelt)
<b>3a</b>	One of La Monte Young's 'Compositions 1960', 'Piano Piece for Terry Riley #1' instructs the pianist to perform what action until 'you are too exhausted'?	<b><u>Pushing the piano against a wall</u></b> (Accept descriptive answers)
<b>3b</b>	Comprising a small ball of choux pastry on top of a larger one, all topped with chocolate ganache and white buttercream icing, the name of which French patisserie item derives from its apparent resemblance to a nun's habit?	<b><u>Réligieuse</u></b> ['ray-lee-zhee-erz']
<b>4a</b>	In baseball statistics, what is the more common term for a BB (Base-on-balls)? A pitcher gets one of these after pitching too many 'balls', allowing the batter to freely take 1st base.	A <b><u>walk</u></b>
<b>4b</b>	In the field of molecular biology, there are three main types of RNA in a cell. What does the 'r' stand for in the abbreviation rRNA, denoting the organelle of which it is a primary component? This organelle links amino acids together to form proteins.	<b><u>Ribosomal</u></b> (accept Ribosome)

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## Spares

1	The pub, The Admiral Benbow, appears in which novel of the late 19th Century	<b>Treasure Island</b>
2	Playing the role of Richard Poole, which actor was the original lead in the TV series Death in Paradise	Ben <b>Miller</b>
3	Who was the first female Prime Minister of New Zealand?	Jenny <b>Shipley</b>
4	Tomorrow night's world cup game will be the first to feature an all female officiating team, which French woman will be acting as referee for the match between Costa Rica and Germany?	Stephanie <b>Frappart</b>