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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	Rio Grande do Sul, Minas Gerais and Espirito Santo are amongst the states of which South American country?	<u>Brazil</u>
1b	Which 19th century industrialist, philanthropist and architectural patron was responsible for the renovation of both Cardiff Castle and the nearby Castell Coch in the Gothic Revival style?	John Patrick <u>Crichton-Stuart</u> or <u>Marquis of Bute</u> (accept either)
2a	The Bennet sisters feature in which novel by Jane Austen, which also features Mr Darcey?	<u>Pride and Prejudice</u>
2b	Which eponymous TV detective series set in Oxford, does the lead character drive around in a Jaguar Mark 2?	Inspector <u>Morse</u>
3a	Which English female vocalist featured on the original recording of 'The Great Gig in the Sky' on Pink Floyd's Dark Side of the Moon album? Although her wordless vocal section was originally uncredited, she subsequently sued (successfully) for songwriting co-authorship.	Clare <u>Torrey</u>
3b	Named for its Hungarian-born inventor, the Schick [SHICK] test is used to determine susceptibility to which serious bacterial disease?	<u>Diphtheria</u>
4a	In which sport is the Heisman Trophy awarded?	<u>American Football</u> (Accept NFL or just Football if offered by an American player)

<b>4b</b>	Who is credited as being the first human in space? (Or at least the first one to make it back alive....)	Yuri <u>Gagarin</u>
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## Round 2

<b>1a</b>	Which famous British quartet from Liverpool, who came to prominence in the 1960s, were originally known as The Quarrymen?	The <u>Beatles</u>
<b>1b</b>	Give any year in the life of the explorer Christopher Columbus, who is credited with discovering much of the Americas.	<u>1451 -1506</u> (accept any year)
<b>2a</b>	Which English Premiership Rugby Union team plays their home matches at Franklin's Gardens?	<u>Northampton Saints</u> (accept either word)
<b>2b</b>	What is the process called whereby liquids turn into gases or vapours?	<u>Evaporation</u>
<b>3a</b>	Standing at 601 metres tall, the 4th tallest building in the world, the Abraj Al-Bait Clock Tower, can be found in which Middle Eastern city?	<u>Mecca</u>
<b>3b</b>	Which female actor won the best supporting actor award at the 1991 Oscars for her performance in 'The Fisher King'?	Mercedes <u>Ruehl</u>
<b>4a</b>	What is the name of the 'wise-cracking' ex basketball player turned Sports Agent/Private Detective who features in a series of novels by US-author Harlen Coben?	Myron <u>Bolitar</u>

<b>4b</b>	If you went into a shop in Wales and asked for some 'cwrw' (NOTE TO READER SPELL THIS OUT) (pronounced 'coo-roo') what would you come out with?	<u>Beer</u>
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### Round 3

<b>1a</b>	What title is shared by a 2016 opera by Lori Laitman and David Mason and an 1850 novel by Nathaniel Hawthorne?	The <u>Scarlet Letter</u>
<b>1b</b>	Which chemical element, number 67 in the Periodic Table, takes its name from the Latin for Stockholm?	<u>Holmium</u>
<b>2a</b>	Which island is the largest of the St Kilda archipelago, and contains the UK's highest cliffs?	<u>Hirta</u>
<b>2b</b>	Which 19th English explorer of Australia led several expeditions in New South Wales and Victoria, which established that the west-flowing rivers all merged into the Murray River? – the highway from Wagga Wagga to Adelaide is named after him	Charles Napier <u>Sturt</u> (do not accept Stuart)
<b>3a</b>	What is the traditional term for the person who finishes last in the Tour de France?	<u>Lantern Rouge</u>
<b>3b</b>	Which male singer, born Thomas John Woodward in 1940, has had many hit songs in the 1960s, including, Delilah, Green Green Grass of Home and It's Not Unusual?	Tom <u>Jones</u>

<b>4a</b>	Melanie Brown, Melanie Chisholm, Emma Bunton, Victoria Adams and Gerri Halliwell all found fame in the 1990s under what collective name?	The <u>Spice Girls</u>
<b>4b</b>	Who wrote both the score and the lyrics for the musical 'Blood Brothers, set in Liverpool and originally written as a school play?	Willy <u>Russell</u>

#### Round 4

<b>1a</b>	Which football club, relegated to the Scottish League fourth tier in 2018, won the inaugural Scottish Cup in 1874 and won it a total of 10 times in the next 20 years, but never since?	<u>Queen's Park</u>
<b>1b</b>	Who played Professor Albus Dumbledore in Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone? He would go on to appear in only 1 further film in the series before his death in 2002.	Richard <u>Harris</u>
<b>2a</b>	Beethoven's 5th Symphony, Opus 67, is written in which key?	<u>C minor</u> (prompt on C but do not allow C Major)
<b>2b</b>	In the BBC sitcom, Gavin and Stacey which Welsh actress played Stacey's mother Gwen whose culinary skills focused around the production of omelettes at a moment's notice	Melanie <u>Walters</u>

<b>3a</b>	Which American author wrote the Hunger Games trilogy of a series of dystopian novels aimed at young adults?.	Suzanne <u>Collins</u>
<b>3b</b>	Who is generally credited as being the first person to lead a successful expedition to the South Pole?	Roald <u>Amundsen</u>
<b>4a</b>	The distillery for Bushmills whiskey can be found in which Irish county?	County <u>Antrim</u>
<b>4b</b>	In cytogenetics, what term describes the entire chromosomal complement of a cell which may be observed during mitotic metaphase?	<u>Karyotype</u>

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### Round 5

<b>1a</b>	Although never formally a member of the band, which English female vocalist featured on many of Culture Club's albums and singles between 1981 and 1985? She went on to have one Top 40 hit in 1984 with 'Love Lies Lost' and is now Executive Producer of the Brit Awards.	Helen <u>Terry</u>
<b>1b</b>	Who is credited as being the first person to set foot on the moon? (or was it a studio somewhere in California?)	Neil <u>Armstrong</u>
<b>2a</b>	Veracruz, Sinaloa and Yucatan are amongst the states of which North American country?	<u>Mexico</u>
<b>2b</b>	Which eponymous TV detective series set in the North East of England, does the lead character drive around in a battered Land Rover Defender?	<u>Vera</u>
<b>3a</b>	The Dashwood sisters feature in which novel by Jane Austen, which also features Edward Ferrars	<u>Sense and Sensibility</u>

	and John Willoughby?	
<b>3b</b>	Which Welsh 19th century industrialist, landowner and Liberal politician was responsible for the renovation of Margam Castle in South Wales in the Gothic Revival style?	Christopher Rice Mansel <u>Talbot</u>
<b>4a</b>	In which sport is the Brownlow Medal awarded?	<u>Australian Rules Football</u> (Accept Aussie rules or AFL)
<b>4b</b>	Which German scientist won the first ever Nobel Prize in Physiology or Medicine for his discovery of a diphtheria antitoxin?	Emil <u>von Behring</u>

### Round 6

<b>1a</b>	What is the term for the marker that designates the final 1km of each stage of the Tour de France?	<u>Flamme Rouge</u>
<b>1b</b>	Who wrote the TV drama 'Boys from the Blackstuff', set in and around Liverpool, which first aired in 1980?	Alan <u>Bleasdale</u>
<b>2a</b>	What title is shared by a 2013 opera by Nolan Gasser and Carey Harrison and a 1911 novel by Frances Hodgson Burnett?	The <u>Secret Garden</u>
<b>2b</b>	Which 19th Scottish explorer of Australia led the first successful expedition to traverse the Australian mainland from south to north and return?— the highway from Port August, South Australia to Darwin, Northern Territory is named after him	John McDouall <u>Stuart</u> (do not accept Sturt)



<b>3a</b>	Which is the largest and most populated of the Faroe Islands?	<u>Streymoy</u>
<b>3b</b>	Which chemical element, number 72 in the Periodic Table, takes its name from the Latin for Copenhagen?	<u>Hafnium</u>
<b>4a</b>	Taking their stage name from the family surname, how were brothers Jackie, Tito, Jermaine, Marlon and Michael better known?	The <u>Jacksons</u> (accept the Jackson 5)
<b>4b</b>	Which female singer, born in Cardiff in 1937, sang the theme songs to 3 James Bond films – Goldfinger, Diamonds are Forever and Moonraker?	Shirley <u>Bassey</u>

## Round 7

<b>1a</b>	Which American author wrote the Twilight series of fantasy novels aimed at young adults?	Stephanie <u>Meyer</u>
<b>1b</b>	In cytogenetics, the presence of an abnormal number of chromosomes in a cell, for example a human cell having 45 or 47 chromosomes instead of the usual 46 is known as what?	<u>Aneuploidy</u>
<b>2a</b>	Nicknamed The Sons, which football club, relegated to the third tier in 2018, were top-flight champions in both of the first two seasons of the Scottish Football League, in 1891 and 1892, but never since?	<u>Dumbarton</u>

<b>2b</b>	In the BBC sitcom, Gavin and Stacey, which Welsh actress played Stacey's elderly next door neighbour Doris, who regularly dates younger men, even offering herself up to Gavin for "discreet" extramarital relations and is described by Bryn as "a player".	Margaret <u>John</u>
<b>3a</b>	Bach's Toccata and Fugue, BWV 365, is written in which key?	<u>D minor</u> (prompt on D but do not allow D Major)
<b>3b</b>	Who played Sirius Black in Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban? He would also go on to appear in 3 further films in the series.	Gary <u>Oldman</u>
<b>4a</b>	The distillery for Tullamore Dew whiskey can be found in which Irish county?	County <u>Offaly</u>
<b>4b</b>	Which Anglo-Irish explorer led three expeditions to the Antarctic in the early 1900's without ever reaching the South Pole. The wreck of his ship, the Endurance which became stuck in the ice and sank in 1915 was discovered in March 2022.	Ernest <u>Shackleton</u>

## Round 8

<b>1a</b>	Standing at 599.1 metres tall, the 5th tallest building in the world, the Ping An International Finance Centre, can be found in which Asian city?	<u>Shenzhen</u>
<b>1b</b>	If you went into a shop in Wales and asked for some 'caws' (NOTE TO READER SPELL THIS OUT) (pronounced 'cow-ss') what would you come out with?	<u>Cheese</u>

<b>2a</b>	Which famous USA duet from New York, who came to prominence in the 1960s, were originally known as Tom and Jerry?	<u>Simon and Garfunkel</u>
<b>2b</b>	What is the process called whereby gases or vapours turn into liquids?	<u>Condensation</u>
<b>3a</b>	Which English Premiership Rugby Union team plays their home matches at Sandy Park?	<u>Exeter Chiefs</u> (accept either word)
<b>3b</b>	Give any year in the life of the Venetian merchant and explorer Marco Polo who travelled extensively on the Silk Road in Asia.	<u>1254 -1324</u> (accept any year)
<b>4a</b>	What is the name of the 'wise-cracking' Private Detective who features in a series of novels by US-author Robert Crais?	Elvis <u>Cole</u>
<b>4b</b>	Which female actor won the best supporting actor award at the 2000 Oscars for her performance in 'Pollock'?	Marcia Gay <u>Harden</u>

**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	Which book by Jorge Amado, first published in 1943, with an English translation following in 1945, tells the story of the violent struggles to develop the cacao plantations in the Brazilian state of Bahia?	<u>The Violent Land</u> (accept Terras do Sem Fim)
2	Louise Fletcher won her only Oscar for her portrayal of Nurse Ratched in which 1975 film?	<u>One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest</u>
3	Which classical work written by Edward Elgar in 1899 consists of 14 musical sketches of the composer's friends including Ysobel, Dorabella and Nimrod?	<u>Enigma Variations</u>
4	First broadcast in 1986, the UK children's TV series Jossy's Giants, was written by which legendary, late sports commentator, who passed away in 2012? One of his more memorable quotes is "'The atmosphere is so tense, if Elvis walked in with a portion of chips, you could hear the vinegar sizzle on them!!'"	Sid <u>Waddell</u>