



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

1a	Which actress holds the record for most Oscar nominations for Best Actress without ever winning, with five? She was nominated for roles in <i>I Remember Mama</i> , <i>Love Affair</i> , <i>The Awful Truth</i> , <i>Theodora Goes Wild</i> and Best Picture Winner <i>Cimarron</i> ?	Irene <u>Dunne</u>
1b	With the chemical symbol F and the atomic number 9, what is the lightest Halogen in the periodic table?	Fluorine (do not accept Fluoride)
2a	In office from 1960 to 1993, Félix Houphouët-Boigny [Ooh-fwet Bwan-yee] was the first President of which West African nation after it achieved independence from France? Amongst his acts was moving the capital to his birthplace of Yamoussoukro	Cote d'Ivoire or Ivory Coast
2b	David Embury's <i>The Fine Art of Mixing Drinks</i> lists six basic cocktails. The recipe for which of these involves shaking cognac or armagnac with lemon juice and triple sec, and garnishing with a twist of lemon peel?	Sidecar
3a	Which British singer had a backing band called The Blockheads? Their hits included the 1979 number one Hit Me With Your Rhythm Stick	lan <u>Dury</u>
3b	Which lake, the largest by volume and surface area in South America, sits on the border between Bolivia and Peru?	Lake <u>Titicaca</u>
4a		Rugby Union - Accept Rugby but Do Not Accept Rugby League

4b	In 2019, the Queen's Theatre in London's West End was renamed in honour of which late American writer and	Stephen <u>Sondheim</u>
	composer of musicals? Amongst his best known works are Company and A Little Night Music	

1a	Currently the fifth best selling album of 2022 on the British album charts, <i>Between Us</i> is the first greatest hits release by which British girl band? It contains songs such as Shout Out To My Ex, Black Magic and Wings	Little Mix
1b	Carassius auratus is the scientific name for the fish commonly called the goldfish in English. This fish is referred to in its common French name by what different colour?	Red (or rouge. Accept poisson rouge)
2a	Of the clubs in the top four divisions of the English football pyramid, which club is the only one based in Bedfordshire? Nicknamed the Hatters, they play their games at Kenilworth Road	<u>Luton</u> Town
2b		AB Negative (Prompt on AB but do not prompt or Accept AB positive or A or B)
3a	A spin-off from the BBC sci-fi series Doctor Who, which series first broadcast in 2007 featured Elizabeth Sladen as the title character? It ran on CBBC until Sladen's death in 2011	Sarah Jane Adventures (prompt on Sarah Jane)
3b	Equivalent to Ares in Greek mythology, what is the name of the Roman god of war? He lends this name to a planet in	Mars

	our solar system, a delicious chocolate bar, and the stage surname of Pete Hernandez	
	One of the bloodiest battles in English history, what battle of the Wars of the Roses took place in 1461 near the North Yorkshire village that lends the engagement its name?	Battle of <u>Towton</u>
4b		South Holland (or Zuid-Holland) Prompt on Holland

1a	What is the name given to the class of performing artists, entertainers and tea ceremony hosts associated with kimono and oshiori makeup who emerged during the Edo period of Japanese history?	Geisha (accept geiko or geigi)
1b	What four-letter Welsh word meaning 'river mouth' is found in many Welsh place names, including towns whose names end in -fan [pron. 'van'], -gavenny and -ystwyth?	Aber
2a	What is the titular surname of father and son rag-and-bone-men Albert and Harold in a British sitcom of the 1960s and 1970s?	Steptoe
2b		Ayn <u>Rand</u> (accept Alice <u>O'Connor</u> or Alisa Zinovyevna <u>Rosenbaum</u>)
3a	The British record of 37.36 seconds for a men's 4x100m relay was set in the final of the event at the 2019 World	Adam <u>Gemili</u> or Zharnel <u>Hughes</u>

	Athletics Championships. Name any member of the squad that set this mark, who each won silver medals for their efforts; doping violator CJ Ujah was not among them	or Richard <u>Kilty</u> or Nethaneel <u>Mitchell-Blake</u>
3b	The Space Shuttle <i>Challenger</i> disaster in January 1986 claimed the lives of all seven crew members, including which Mission Specialist, the first Jewish woman of any nationality to reach space?	Judith <u>Resnik</u>
4a	The lyrics of the national anthem of India are not written in Hindi but instead in which of its other 'scheduled' languages, that is also the official and national language of Bangladesh?	Bengali (or Bangla)
4b	Which confectionary item, based on a gel of sugar and starch, is often served in small cubes? Named after a country that straddles two continents, it played a key role in the events of CS Lewis' <i>The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe</i>	Turkish Delight

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	The 1997 Turner Prize was awarded to which artist for her film 60 Minutes Silence, in which actors dressed as uniformed police officers stand or sit still for the titular period of time?	Gillian <u>Wearing</u>

2a	A pioneer of Minimalist music, which American composer extensively used sustained notes (or drones) in compositions such as <i>Trio for Strings</i> , and <i>The Well Tuned Piano</i> , the latter being unfinished?	La Monte <u>Young</u>
2b	Sharing its name with a 2002 musical film starring Catherine Zeta-Jones and Renee Zellweger, what is the largest city in the US state of Illinois?	Chicago
3a	Only nine people have served as British Prime Minister for longer than ten years. Who is the seventh-longest serving British Prime Minister, in office from 1979 to 1990?	Margaret <u>Thatcher</u>
3b	Toddington, Newport Pagnell and Northampton (formerly Rothersthorpe) are the names of service stations found on which UK motorway?	<u>M1</u>
4a	Tom Jones' "You Can Leave Your Hat On" and Donna Summer's "Hot Stuff" are among the songs that feature on the soundtrack of which 1990s film set against a backdrop of Northern English industrial decline?	The <u>Full Monty</u>
4b	What geologic period that immediately succeeded the Carboniferous period and immediately preceded the Triassic period was named by Roderick Murchison for a region of Russia?	Permian

HALF-TIME - PLEASE CHANGE ORDER

1a	Currently the sixth best selling album of 2022 on the British album charts, 50 Years - Don't Stop is a greatest hits release by which Anglo-American rock band? Originally released in 2018, it contains songs such as Dreams, Go Your Own Way and the titular Don't Stop	Fleetwood Mac
1b	Equivalent to Aphrodite in Greek mythology, what is the name of the Roman goddess of love and beauty? She lends this name to a planet in our solar system and a song by Shocking Blue famously covered by Bananarama	Venus

2a	Of the clubs in the top four divisions of the English football pyramid, which club is the only one based in Berkshire? Nicknamed the Biscuitmen or The Royal, they play their home games at the Madejski stadium	Reading
2b	Of the eight standard blood types, which is the most common, accounting for around 39% of the global population?	O Positive (Prompt on O but do not accept O Negative)
3a	One of the bloodiest battles in American history, what battle of the American civil war took place in 1862 near the Maryland town that has commonly lent its name to it in Southern US histories? Northern US historians have tended to use the name of a creek nearby instead	Battle of <u>Sharpsburg</u> or Battle of <u>Antietam</u>
3b	Cavia porcellus is the scientific name for the rodent commonly called the guinea pig in English. Rather than Guinea, which country - that is also distant from the animal's South American place of origin - is referred to in its common French name?	India (or Inde. Accept <i>cochon</i> d'Inde)
4a	Torchwood, another spin-off from the BBC sci-fi series Doctor Who, has its central focus in which British city - where a fictional rift in time and space flows through it?	Cardiff
4b	The city of Eindhoven is located in which province of the Netherlands, which has a southern border with Belgium?	North Brabant (or Noord- Brabant)

1a	Second on the active list of women's tennis grand slam winners is which Japanese woman, who won the Australian Open	Naomi <u>Osaka</u>
	in 2019 and 2021 and the US Open in 2018 and 2020?	

1b	What geologic period that immediately succeeded the Ordovician period and immediately preceded the Devonian period was named by Roderick Murchison for a Celtic tribe of Wales?	Silurian
2a	A pioneer of Minimalist music, which American composer and friend of La Monte Young extensively used repetition, delay and the influence of jazz to create works titled <i>In C</i> and <i>A Rainbow in Curved Air</i> ?	Terry <u>Riley</u> (accept Terrence Mitchell <u>Riley</u>)
2b	The 1999 Turner Prize was awarded to which artist for his film <i>Deadpan</i> ? The work featured a Buster Keaton-inspired stunt in which the gable of a house falls down around the artist without injuring him	Steve <u>McQueen</u>
3a	The Grimethorpe Colliery Band's renditions of "Jerusalem" and the <i>William Tell</i> overture feature on the soundtrack of which 1990s film set against a backdrop of Northern English industrial decline? Its title is a colloquial expression for annoyance that is also a pun on the type of instruments used by the band in their performances	Brassed Off
3b	Its name is featured in the title of a 1995 crime film starring Andy Garcia and Steve Buscemi, what is the largest city in the US state of Colorado?	<u>Denver</u>
4 a	Only nine people have served as British Prime Minister for longer than ten years. Who is the ninth-longest serving British Prime Minister, in office from 1997 to 2007?	Tony <u>Blair</u>
4b	Membury, Chieveley, Reading East and Reading West are the names of service stations found on which UK motorway?	<u>M4</u>

1a	What is the name given to the class of aristocratic swordsmen and army officers associated with <i>katana</i> and the <i>bushido</i> virtue code whose military role became obsolete during the Meiji era of Japanese history?	<u>Samurai</u>
1b	What four-letter Welsh word meaning 'church' is found in many Welsh place names, including towns whose names end in -dudno and -elli [pron. roughly 'ETH-lee'], as well as the district of Cardiff whose name ends -daff?	<u>Llan (</u> be generous with pronunciation)
2a	What is the surname of 'independent trader' brothers Derek and Rodney in British sitcom <i>Only Fools and Horses</i> ?	Trotter
2b	Which mild, crumbly cheese, which shares its names with the town in North Yorkshire in which it was originally made, came to renewed prominence in the Wallace and Gromit series of films?	Wensleydale cheese
3a	Although there are authorised translations of the lyrics of Singapore's national anthem in English, Mandarin and Tamil, by law they must be sung in which other of the country's official languages?	Malay
3b	The Space Shuttle <i>Challenger</i> disaster in January 1986 claimed the lives of all seven crew members, including which Mission Specialist, the first Asian American and first person of Japanese origin to reach space?	Ellison <u>Onizuka</u>
4 a	The British record of 41.55 seconds for a women's 4x100m relay was set during the qualifying heats at the 2020 Olympic Games. Besides Dina Asher-Smith, name any member of the squad that set this mark; they won bronze medals for finishing third in the subsequent final	Asha <u>Philip</u> or Imani <u>Lansiquot</u> or Daryll <u>Neita</u>
4b	Published in 1943, what is Rand's earliest work exploring the concept of Objectivism? It centres around the character Howard Roark, possibly inspired by the architect Frank Lloyd Wright	The <u>Fountainhead</u>

1a	Which actress holds the record for most Oscar nominations for Best Supporting Actress without ever winning, with six? She was nominated for roles in <i>Birdman of Alcatraz</i> , <i>Pillow Talk</i> , <i>Pickup on South Street</i> , <i>With a Song in My Heart</i> , <i>Mating Season</i> and Best Picture Winner <i>All About Eve</i> ?	Thelma <u>Ritter</u>
1b	The recipe for which of the six basic cocktails in David Embury's The Fine Art of Mixing Drinks involves combining whisky, simple syrup and Angostura bitters, and garnishing with a twist of lemon peel and a Maraschino cherry?	Old Fashioned
2a	In office from 1961 to 1985, Julius Nyerere was the first President of which East African nation after it achieved independence from the United Kingdom? Zanzibar became a semi-autonomous region of this country in 1964, prompting the country's name change to its current form	<u>Tanzania</u>
2b	Lake Balaton, the largest lake in Central Europe, is located entirely within which country?	Hungary
3a	Named after a legendary coach, the Vince Lombardi trophy is awarded to the winners of which annual sporting event?	Super Bowl
3b	In 2011, the Comedy Theatre in London's West End was renamed in honour of which late British playwright? Amongst his best known works are <i>The Caretaker</i> and <i>The Birthday Party</i>	Harold <u>Pinter</u>
4a	lan Dury's final recording before his death was on the song 'Drip Fed Fred', a collaboration with which band whose other songs include House of Fun and Baggy Trousers?	Madness
4b	With the chemical symbol N and the atomic number 7, what is the lightest member of group 15 in the periodic table?	Nitrogen

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Spares

1	The common Sikh surname Singh roughly translates into English as what animal?	Lion
2	What film, with a screenplay by Mario Puzo and Marlon Brando prominently featured among its ensemble cast, was the highest-grossing film of 1978 in North America?	<u>Superman</u> : The Movie
3	The fictional diaries of Adrian Mole, written by Sue Townsend, begin when the author is at which age, as referenced in the title of the first volume?	<u>13 ¾ (</u> Prompt on 13)
4	As at the end of the 2021-2022 season, despite being one of the most successful English clubs of all time with 5 FA Cup wins and 9 league titles, which team had conceded the most goals in Premier League history, with 1,481?	<u>Everton</u>
5	The early-20th century political reform movement that led an eponymous 1908 rebellion against the monarchical system of government of the Ottoman Empire is known by what two-word name?	Young Turks (accept Jön Türkler or Genç Türkler)