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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

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| <b>1a</b> | Which K in statistics refers to the relative weight of values in the tails of a probability distribution compared to the centre?   | <u>KURTOSIS</u>  |
| <b>1b</b> | What word follows "House of the ...." in the name of the prequel to Game of Thrones portraying the beginning of the end of House Targaryen? This week sees the launch of Episode 4, King of the Narrow Sea   | <u>DRAGON</u>  |
| <b>2a</b> | "Porch", "State of Love and Trust", and "Even Flow" were among the songs performed for MTV Unplugged in 1992 by which Grunge band? Their lead singer Eddie Vedder is considered to be the last standing frontman from the Seattle Grunge movement.   | <u>PEARL JAM</u>   |
| <b>2b</b> | In 324 BC, which Macedonian King and Military Leader had the General Hephaestion worshipped as a Divine Hero following Hephaestion's death while they were in Persia?  | <u>ALEXANDER the Great</u><br>(ALEXANDER III OF MACEDON)                             |
| <b>3a</b> | Name any of three bordering countries at whose tri-point you would find Moussa Ali. It is located within the Tadjourah, Afar and Southern Red Sea regions of their respective African countries  | <u>ETHIOPIA/ERITREA/DJIBOUTI</u>   |
| <b>3b</b> | A velour tracksuit with rhinestones is one of the flagship items of which fashion brand? Seen on 00s icons such as Paris Hilton, Jennifer Lopez, and Lindsay Lohan, this brand is currently experiencing a resurgence thanks to 'Y2K' inspired fashion trends.                             | <u>JUICY</u> Couture   |
| <b>4a</b> | The Jabberwocky, the Bandersnatch, and the Borogrove are creatures found in the works of which English author?   | Lewis <u>CARROLL</u>   |
| <b>4b</b> | A golf course will have a 'par' score which is set by a number of criteria according to the R&A, it will also have an SSS which is a better measure of the actual course difficulty. In this context what does the middle S stand for if the first S is Standard and the third S is Score? | Standard <u>SCRATCH</u> Score (the score a zero handicap golfer would typically get) |

## Round 2

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| <b>1a</b> | What world renowned political activist, concert artist and actor, played a memorable role in Showboat on both stage and film? He was the first black person to sing in St Paul's Cathedral   | Paul <u>ROBESON</u>                         |
| <b>1b</b> | A photo taken by David Scherman in April 1945 depicts which female model, journalist, and surrealist bathing in the bathroom of Adolf Hitler's Munich apartment? She was also an apprentice to Man Ray, with some of her early photographs being attributed to him.        | Elizabeth <u>MILLER</u> (accept LEE MILLER) |
| <b>2a</b> | Also called a consonant alphabet, what "A" is a writing system that only contains symbols for consonants? Extant examples include the writing systems used for Arabic and Hebrew.  | <u>ABJAD</u>                                |
| <b>2b</b> | What is the name of the crime series based on the Liebermann Series of books by Frank Tallis? In this series Matthew Beard plays Max Lieberman, a doctor and student of Sigmund Freud who acts as an unlikely partner with 'traditional' Police Detective Oskar Reinhardt. | <u>VIENNA BLOOD</u>                         |
| <b>3a</b> | Mollie, Una, Frankie, Rochelle and Vanessa were the lineup for which girl band who are named after a day of the week and who had hits with songs including 'Ego' and 'What About Us'?  | The <u>SATURDAYS</u>                        |
| <b>3b</b> | Which European men's national football team, set to compete in the 2022 world cup, has only ever qualified for one previous world cup in 1958? This side features Ben Davies who often plays as a left-back for Tottenham Hotspur.   | <u>WALES</u>                                |
| <b>4a</b> | A shortened form of which element precedes the word 'jaw' in the name of an illness developed by match factory workers in the 19th and early 20th century? The disease was caused by the inhalation of vapours from the 'white' variation of this element.                 | <u>PHOSPHORUS</u> (Accept PHOSSY)           |
| <b>4b</b> | The latin origin of which Swedish car manufacturers name translates into English as "to roll" and therefore gives away the company's origins as a part of ball bearing manufacturer SKF? It is known for models such as P1800s driven by the                               | <u>VOLVO</u>                                |

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|  | Roger Moore's Simon Templar, and the more up to date XC90's used on the TV series Hunted |  |
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### Round 3

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| <b>1a</b> | A 2022 viral hit by Yung Gravy containing the lyrics "Never take an L no more, never take a damn thing slow", samples which extremely viral song that was the UK's best selling song of 1987 and, due to being the target destination of a Rickrolling, has one of the most recognisable URLs on Youtube? | <u>NEVER GONNA GIVE YOU UP</u>  |
| <b>1b</b> | Which Thai hot sauce originating in a town of the same name, is made from a paste of chilli peppers, distilled vinegar, garlic, sugar, and salt?  | <u>SRIRACHA</u>   |
| <b>2a</b> | What parts of the body are affected by Carpal Tunnel Syndrome?  | <u>HANDS/FINGERS</u> (accept WRIST)   |
| <b>2b</b> | The Salchow Jump, the Biellmann Spin, and the Kerrigan Spiral are among the moves named after people in which Winter Olympic sport in which Torvill and Dean won Olympic gold in 1984?  | <u>FIGURE SKATING</u> (Prompt on SKATING or ICE SKATING, do not accept SPEED SKATING) |
| <b>3a</b> | Used in Native American beadwork, Wampum beads are made from what natural resource found in or around bodies of water?  | Mollusk <u>SHELL</u>  |
| <b>3b</b> | Which 2019 horror film was the directorial debut for Rose Glass, it follows a recent Christian convert nurse who becomes obsessed with delivering the soul of one of her patients?  | <u>ST MAUD</u>  |

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| <b>4a</b> | What is the second largest region in metropolitan France by area? It contains the city of Toulouse and its name is that of a larger cultural region whose language is also an official language in Catalonia                            | <u>OCCITANIA</u>   |
| <b>4b</b> | The last Welsh-born Prince of Wales served as squire to Henry Bolingbroke, the future King Henry IV, only in later life to launch a rebellion against English rule, and appeared as a King in Shakespeare's Henry IV. What is his name? | Owain ap <u>GRUFFYDD</u> , commonly known as Owain <u>GLYN DWR</u> (pronounced Glyn Durr], anglicised as Owen <u>GLENDOWER</u> |

## Round 4

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| <b>1a</b> | Topkapi Palace, the main residence of the Ottoman Sultans for several centuries, is located in which Turkish city?   | <u>ISTANBUL</u>       |
| <b>1b</b> | In baseball, what is the term used to describe someone who can bat left or right handed, gaining an advantage by batting left handed against right-handed throwers and vice versa?   | <u>SWITCH</u> Hitter  |
| <b>2a</b> | Michael R. Jackson won the 2022 Tony awards for Best Musical and Best Book for which musical which contains the songs "Tyler Perry writes real life", "Periodically" and "Inner white girl"? Jennifer Hudson secured her EGOT with her award for this musical. | <u>A STRANGE LOOP</u> |

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| <b>2b</b> | What is the name of the Russian fur cap with ear covering flaps, also popular in Scandinavia and the Baltic states, it derives its name from ears in Russian and many Slavic languages?                                     | <u>USHANKA</u>              |
| <b>3a</b> | Which word of French-origin in ecology can be understood as a species' role within an environment or community? Species with a narrow one of these are known as specialists, whereas those with wider ones are generalists. | ecological <u>NICHE</u>     |
| <b>3b</b> | Trung Trac, the eldest of the Trung sisters was the first Queen Regnant of which nation after their rebellion against Chinese rule? This country is currently led by Nguyễn Xuân Phúc. (N-wain Shu-an F-o-k)                | <u>VIETNAM</u>              |
| <b>4a</b> | Sixteen Tons' was the most famous hit of which musician, who was Inducted into the Country Music Hall of Fame in 1990?  | Tennessee Ernie <u>FORD</u> |
| <b>4b</b> | Kate Hudson plays Penny Lane, a groupie of the fictional band Stillwater in which 2000 movie directed by Cameron Crowe?   | <u>ALMOST FAMOUS</u>        |

## HALF-TIME - PLEASE CHANGE ORDER

### Round 5

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| <b>1a</b> | What S in statistics refers to the distribution of error terms? If the errors are random with constant variance, this is prefixed 'homo-', and if there is a pattern it is prefixed 'hetero-'.                              | <u>SCEDASTICITY</u>    |
| <b>1b</b> | On a golf course, the holes have an SI rating, which ranks the holes by difficulty. The I stands for Index, for what does the S stand?  | <u>STROKE</u> index    |
| <b>2a</b> | "Rooster", "Nutshell", and "Down in a Hole" were among the songs performed for MTV Unplugged in 1996 by which Grunge band? This was their first performance in over two years, and one of the last for singer Layne Staley. | <u>ALICE IN CHAINS</u> |

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| <b>2b</b> | Another brand experiencing a resurgence due to the 'Y2K' trend, which tattoo artist gives his name to a clothing brand recognisable for its use of his tattoo-style artwork on items such as T-shirts, hoodies, and caps?            | Don <u>ED HARDY</u>   |
| <b>3a</b> | The Alhambra Palace has been used by both Muslim and Christian rulers during its history. It is located in the city of Granada, in which country?  | <u>SPAIN</u>  |
| <b>3b</b> | In 130 AD, which wall-building Roman Emperor had his companion Antinous deified after Antinous died while on a trip to Egypt?  | <u>HADRIAN</u> (Publius Aelius Traianus Hadrianus Augustus) |
| <b>4a</b> | Anaïs Mitchell won the 2019 Tony awards for Best Musical and Best Original Score for which musical which contains the songs "Wait for me", "Chant" and "Why we build the wall"? This musical is inspired by a famous tale from myth. | <u>HADESTOWN</u>  |
| <b>4b</b> | What word follows Lord of the Rings Rings of ... in the name of the prequel to Lord of the Rings portraying the rise of the Dark Lord Sauron? This week sees the launch of Episode 4 on Amazon Prime.                                | Lord of the Rings rings of <u>POWER</u>                     |

## Round 6

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| <b>1a</b> | Also called an alphasyllabary, what "A" is a writing system where each symbol represents a consonant and diacritics denote different vowel sounds? Extant examples include Tamil and Ge'ez.   | <u>ABUGIDA</u>         |
| <b>1b</b> | Which 2016 horror film was the feature length directorial debut for Julia Ducournau, it follows a first semester veterinary medicine student who develops an insatiable lust for human flesh?   | <u>RAW</u>             |
| <b>2a</b> | What world renowned activist, dancer, singer and actress was the first black woman to star in a major motion picture? She was awarded the Resistance Medal by her adopted homeland , France, for her aid to the French Resistance in WW2. | Josephine <u>BAKER</u> |



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| <b>2b</b> | What Knight was was a prime mover in the deposition of Richard II in favour of Henry Bolingbroke in 1399? Known for his readiness to attack, he joined Owain Glyn Dwr to rebel against King Henry iV and died in the Battle of Shrewsbury  | Sir Henry <u>PERCY</u> , accept <u>HOTSPUR</u> |
| <b>3a</b> | What element precedes the word 'jaw' in the name of an illness developed by young women who worked as watch dial painters in the early 20th century? The disease was caused by the ingestion of paint made with this element.  | <u>RADIUM</u>                                  |
| <b>3b</b> | Whilst literally translating into English as "Listen", the latin origin of which German car manufacturers name is taken from a translation of the founders name? It is known for the four wheel drive vehicle used by DCI Gene Hunt in Ashes to Ashes and the R8 driven by Tony Stark in the Marvel Cinematic Universe | <u>AUDI</u>                                    |
| <b>4a</b> | Shaun, Bez and Rowetta are the most successful line up of which band who released songs such as 'Step On' and 'Kinky Afro'? The name of this band includes a day of the week.  | The <u>HAPPY MONDAYS</u>                       |
| <b>4b</b> | Which North American men's national football team, set to compete in the 2022 world cup, has only ever qualified for one previous world cup in 1986? This side features Alphonso Davies who often plays as a left-back for Bayern Munich?  | <u>CANADA</u>                                  |

## Round 7

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| <b>1a</b> | A 2022 viral hit by Yeat containing the lyrics "La papaya, du la potato (Yeah, la potato, oh, yeah)", samples which yellow film characters, whose most recent appearance was in the 2022 film 'Rise of Gnu'?                 | <u>MINIONS</u>      |
| <b>1b</b> | Which Cantonese dipping sauce is made of fermented soybeans and often includes five spice, chillies, garlic and sugar? Its name is derived from the Chinese word for seafood despite it not containing any such ingredients. | <u>HOISIN</u> sauce |

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| <b>2a</b> | If the carpal bones are in the hand, more specifically the wrist, what are the corresponding bones in the foot called?   | <u>TARSALS</u> (Accept if preceded by Meta-)                |
| <b>2b</b> | The Amanar Vault, the Dos Santos exercise, and the Biles Dismount (named after American Simone Biles) are among the moves named after people in which Summer Olympic sport?  | Artistic <u>GYMNASTICS</u>                                  |
| <b>3a</b> | Quillwork is another traditional Native American craft that uses the quills of which animal of the rodentia order?   | <u>PORCUPINE</u>  |
| <b>3b</b> | What is the name of the crime series set in Victorian London, in which Kate Philips plays Eliza, a private detective struggling to build a reputation in a male dominated world? Eliza often partners, or competes with traditional Detective Inspector William Wellington of Scotland Yard        | <u>Miss SCARLETT and the DUKE</u>                           |
| <b>4a</b> | What is the second largest autonomous community of Spain by area? It contains the city of Seville and its name refers to its history as a province of the Umayyad caliphate  | <u>ANDALUSIA</u>  |
| <b>4b</b> | Many of the early photographs attributed to the photographer Robert Capa were likely taken by which female photographer? A song named after her by the band Alt-J describes the events of Capa's death 17 years after her own in 1937, as a result of a car accident during the Spanish Civil War. | Gerda <u>TARO</u> (accept PORPHORYLLE or GERTA PORPHORYLLE) |

## Round 8

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| <b>1a</b> | Skimbleshanks, Bustopher Jones, and Jennyanydots are fantastical names for the feline characters in a work by which poet?  | T. S. <u>ELIOT</u>  |
| <b>1b</b> | Queen Seondok of Silla was the first Queen Regnant of what is mostly which modern day nation? Park Chun-Hee and Kim Dae-Jung are former leaders of this country. | South <u>KOREA</u> (Do not accept North Korea or Democratic |

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|           |  | People's Republic of Korea)  |
| <b>2a</b> | Name any of the three bordering countries at whose tri-point you would find Mount Roraima? It is located within the Roraima, Cuyuni-Mazaruni and Bolívar regions of their respective South American countries  | <u>BRAZIL/GUYANA/VENEZUELA</u>   |
| <b>2b</b> | Brie Larson plays Envy Adams, the lead singer of the fictional band “The Clash at Demonhead” and the ex-girlfriend of the titular character in which Edgar Wright movie?   | <u>SCOTT PILGRIM vs The World</u>  |
| <b>3a</b> | 'Big Bad John' was one of the most famous hits of which musician, also known for his eponymous TV show? He was inducted into the Country Music Hall of Fame shortly before his 2010 death.   | Jimmy <u>DEAN</u>  |
| <b>3b</b> | In cricket, what word can precede 'sweep' when a batsman has switched hands to play this shot, the batsman gains an advantage by attacking an area with fewer fielders?  | <u>REVERSE</u>   |
| <b>4a</b> | Which word in ecology means an interaction between two individuals or species where the presence of one will lower the fitness of the other? This is commonly categorised as either inter or intra-specific.   | <u>COMPETITION</u>   |
| <b>4b</b> | What is the name of the brimless, rounded cap worn by North, East and West African men? It can be made of cloth or by knitting or crocheting and is not to be confused with the similar Taqiyah which predominantly worn by the Muslim faith of Central and East Asia. | <u>KUFI</u> is strictly correct but TOPI/TUPI is very similar so accept either of these. |

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## Spares

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| 1 | World Rugby introduced some trial regulations to help improve the game. One such rule is when the ball is 'held up' in the 'in goal area', in the past the attacking team gained a 5m scrum, now the defending team gets to kick from what line on the pitch?                    | <u>GOAL</u> Line           |
| 2 | Another trial regulation in World Rugby is a kick from inside one's own half, which if it goes out of play beyond a line on the pitch, results in the kicking team retaining the possession. Named for a number, what is this line called  | <u>22m</u> Line            |
| 3 | About which 2022 film did Harry Styles say "My favourite thing about the movie is it feels like a movie" during its chaotic press tour which has contained leaked texts, a spitting scandal, a love triangle and multiple potential feuds between cast members and the director. | <u>DON'T WORRY DARLING</u> |
| 4 | Chocolate Digestive, Jelly & Ice Cream, and Welsh Cake Cwtch are among the flavours of loose leaf tea sold by which British brand?   | <u>BIRD AND BLEND</u>      |
| 5 | The honorific title 'Porphyrogenitus', given to legitimate heirs in the Byzantine Empire, describes the heir as having been born in/under what colour?   | <u>PURPLE</u>              |