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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	Although often made today from cow's milk, mozzarella cheese was traditionally made from the milk of which animal ?	Water <u>BUFFALO</u> (or Italian <u>BUFFALO</u>, Mediterranean <u>BUFFALO</u>)
1b	Doja Cat's 2021 single 'Kiss me More' interpolated the chorus of which late British-Australian singer 's 1981 hit single 'Physical', leading to credits for its writers?	Olivia <u>NEWTON-JOHN</u>
2a	Who won the series of <i>Taskmaster</i> that also featured Alice Levine [le-veen], Asim Chaudhry, Russell Howard and Tim Vine?	Liza <u>TARBUCK</u>
2b	What two-word French term is used to describe the genre of painting developed by Antoine Watteau and that includes his work <i>The Embarkation for the Island of Cythera</i> ? These paintings typically depict elegantly-attired people in a parkland setting and may mix reality and fantasy in costume and setting.	<u>FÊTE GALANTE</u> (accept <u>FÊTE CHAMPÊTRE</u>)
3a	What name is used in business and economics for any kind of costs that have been incurred and cannot be recouped? This cost also names a fallacy where businesses are reluctant to give up on a project because of the levels of these costs already invested.	<u>SUNK</u> costs
3b	Also a notable source of silver, galena is the most important ore of which metal ?	<u>LEAD</u> (or <u>Pb</u>)
4a	Legendary cricket fast bowlers Allan Donald, Shaun Pollock and Dale Steyn represented which test nation ?	<u>SOUTH AFRICA</u>
4b	Also known as the Viking Great Army, what name was given to the military force that landed on the Isle of Thanet in 865 CE and captured York in 866 CE? They were later defeated by Alfred the Great at the Battle of Edington.	<u>GREAT HEATHEN</u> Army

Round 2

1a	Taking its name from the Quechua [ketch-wah] word for knot, which Incan recording device , usually made of cotton, would use knots to store information, such as calendars and tax obligations, as well as numerical data in a decimal system?	<u>QUIPU</u> (or <u>KHIPU</u>)
1b	Until the monochrome DualSense controllers used for the PS5, the triangle on standard PlayStation controllers has typically been what colour ? This is the same colour as a Plymouth Argyle home kit.	<u>GREEN</u>
2a	<i>Songs and Proverbs of William Blake</i> was a 1965 song cycle by which Suffolk-born composer who founded the Aldeburgh [AWL-bruh] Festival?	Benjamin <u>BRITTEN</u>
2b	What type of tin-glazed pottery , typically decorated by hand in blue on a white background, has a name derived from that of the town in the Netherlands associated with its manufacture?	<u>DELFT</u>ware
3a	Athos, Porthos and Aramis are the names of the title characters of which 1844 novel by Alexandre Dumas ?	<i>The <u>THREE MUSKETEERS</u></i> (or <i>Les <u>TROIS MOUSQUETAIRES</u></i>)
3b	Which President of the United States appeared as himself in the films <i>Zoolander</i> , <i>Wall Street: Money Never Sleeps</i> and <i>Home Alone 2: Lost in New York</i> ?	Donald <u>TRUMP</u>
4a	What word precedes “viper” in the name of the name of a family of venomous snakes that includes the bushmaster and the fer-de-lance? This word refers to a heat-sensing organ located between the nostril and eye.	<u>PIT</u>
4b	Meaning “six trees” in Japanese, what district of Tokyo is particularly notable for being the city’s most popular area for foreign tourists or <i>gaijin</i> [guy-jin] living in the city?	<u>ROPPONGI</u>

Round 3

1a	The Christian Science movement was founded in the 1870s by which American religious leader ?	Mary <u>BAKER EDDY</u> (accept either part)
1b	The award for Best Foreign Language Film at the 74th Academy Awards, held in March 2002, went to <i>No Man's Land</i> . It beat which much better-known French romantic comedy , directed by Jean-Pierre Jeunet and starring Audrey Tautou?	<u>AMÉLIE</u> (or <i>Le Fabuleux Destin d'<u>AMÉLIE Poulain</u></i> or <i>The Fabulous Destiny of <u>AMÉLIE Poulain</u></i>)
2a	What is the scientific name for the kneecap?	<u>PATELLA</u>
2b	Dolly Pentreath, a fishwife who died in 1777, is considered the last native speaker of what language , originating in its namesake county in the south-west of England? The language was revived in the 20th century.	<u>CORNISH</u> (or <u>KERNEWEK</u> ; prompt on “ Cornwall ” by asking for the name of the language)
3a	The Tonton Macoute were a special operations unit that committed systemic violence against their political opponents in which Caribbean country ?	<u>HAITI</u>
3b	Jockey David Egan rode which horse to victory in the 2022 St Leger at Doncaster?	<u>ELDAR ELDAROV</u>
4a	<i>In the Land of Grey and Pink</i> was a critically acclaimed 1971 album by which Canterbury-scene progressive rock band formed in 1968 by David Sinclair, Richard Sinclair, Pye Hastings and Richard Coughlan?	<u>CARAVAN</u>
4b	Which company that has operated the UK National Lottery since 1994 shares its name with the name given to King Arthur's court? They lose their operating licence next year.	<u>CAMELOT</u> Group

Round 4

1a	Rising in the Black Forest and emptying into the Black Sea, which European river passes through ten countries, more than any other in the world?	<u>DANUBE</u>
1b	Which Scottish physicist won the 1927 Nobel Prize in Physics for his invention of the cloud chamber?	Charles Thomson Rees <u>WILSON</u>
2a	Which former British rower is the current chair of UK Sport? She won gold in the Double Sculls with Anna Watkins at the 2012 London Olympics.	Katherine <u>GRAINGER</u>
2b	Lindsay Hoyle is the current holder of which position within the House of Commons, whose role includes presiding over debates and maintaining order?	<u>SPEAKER</u> of the House of Commons
3a	The retailer Walmart is headquartered in which American state , where it was founded in 1962?	<u>ARKANSAS</u>
3b	Will Gregory is the keyboardist for which electronic duo , who are named after their singer and whose most recent album was <i>Silver Eye</i> in 2017? Their other albums include <i>Supernature</i> and <i>Tales of Us</i> .	<u>GOLDFRAPP</u> (accept Alison <u>GOLDFRAPP</u>)
4a	Which British actor portrayed the former Stormtrooper Finn in the <i>Star Wars</i> sequel trilogy? His other films include <i>Attack the Block</i> and <i>Detroit</i> .	John <u>BOYEGA</u> (accept John <u>ADEGBOYEGA</u>)
4b	The line "Water, water every where, nor any drop to drink " comes from which 1798 poem by Samuel Taylor Coleridge?	<i>The <u>RIME OF THE ANCIENT MARINER</u></i>

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Round 5

1a	Quasimodo is the title character of which 1831 novel by Victor Hugo?	<i>The HUNCHBACK OF NOTRE-DAME</i> (or <i>NOTRE-DAME DE PARIS, 1482</i>)
1b	The film roles of which President of the United States include George “The Gipper” Gipp in <i>Knute Rockne</i> [kuh-NOOT ROCK-nee], <i>All American</i> and Commander Casey Abbott in <i>Hellcats of the Navy</i> ? The latter film co-starred his wife, who was credited under the name Nancy Davis.	Ronald REAGAN
2a	What word precedes “adder” to give the name of a snake responsible for more fatalities than any other African snake? This word refers to the snake’s habit of inflating itself before striking.	PUFF
2b	Deriving its name from the god of a firefighting shrine, what district of Tokyo is sometimes known as “Electric Town”, due to housing shopping centres dedicated to both household electrical goods and consumer electronics?	AKIHABARA (accept AKIBAGAHARA, AKIBA)
3a	What name is given to a traditional shell bead of the Native Americans of the Eastern Woodlands that was used as a memory aid and as a certificate of office for Iroquois chiefs?	WAMPUM (or WAMPUMPEAG)
3b	The X on standard PlayStation controllers have typically been what colour ? This is the same colour as a Birmingham City home kit.	BLUE
4a	<i>Ten Blake Songs</i> , based on poems from <i>Songs of Innocence and Experience</i> by William Blake, was a 1957 work by which Gloucestershire-born composer , who died a year later, aged 85? He is also known for his <i>Fantasia on a Theme by Thomas Tallis</i> .	Ralph VAUGHAN WILLIAMS (prompt on partial answer)
4b	The name of what type of tin-glazed pottery derives from that of the Balearic island that was on the sailing route such pottery took to Italy?	MAJOLICA (or MAIOLICA ; prompt on “Mallorca”)

Round 6

1a	Related to the concept of the 'law of averages', what name is given to the fallacy that if an event has previously occurred more often than expected, it will occur less often in the future to balance out, despite the events being statistically independent? It is most often seen in the context of coin flips or dice rolls.	GAMBLER's fallacy (accept MONTE CARLO fallacy , fallacy of the MATURITY OF CHANCES)
1b	Cassiterite is the most important ore of which metal ?	TIN
2a	Legendary cricket fast bowlers Malcolm Marshall, Michael Holding and Joel Garner represented which test team ?	WEST INDIES (or WINDIES)
2b	Ivar Ragnarsson, one of the leaders of the Great Heathen Army, was known by what epithet ? Some historians have suggested that this name comes from the fact that he lived with a skeletal disease.	Ivar the BONELESS
3a	Yarg is a Cornish cheese wrapped in an edible rind made from which plant ? This plant can also be used to make soup, although it is more often considered a weed than a crop.	Stinging NETTLE
3b	The similarity of Dua Lipa's 2020 single 'Break My Heart' to the 1987 hit song <i>Need You Tonight</i> led to which Australian band , led by the late Michael Hutchence, being given a writing credit?	INXS
4a	Who won the series of <i>Taskmaster</i> that also featured James Acaster, Jessica Knappett, Phil Wang and Rhod Gilbert?	Kerry GODLIMAN
4b	Common during the Dutch Golden Age, what genre of painting depicted models with exaggerated characteristics and facial features? Differing from caricatures, the aim of this type of painting was to capture particular expressions of the subject.	TRONIE

Round 7

1a	The fast food chain Subway is headquartered in which American state , where it was founded in 1965?	<u>CONNECTICUT</u>
1b	Helen Marnie and Mira Aroyo are the vocalists for which electronic band formed in Liverpool in 1999, and named for a song from Roxy Music's debut album? They released the album <i>Time's Arrow</i> in 2023, and their previous releases include the album <i>Light & Magic</i> and the single 'Destroy Everything You Touch'.	<u>LADYTRON</u>
2a	Which British actor portrayed the character Rey in the <i>Star Wars</i> sequel trilogy? Her other films include <i>Murder on the Orient Express</i> and <i>Peter Rabbit</i> .	Daisy <u>RIDLEY</u>
2b	In <i>The Rime of the Ancient Mariner</i> , what type of bird leads the ship to safety from the ice? The mariner later shoots the bird and is forced to wear it around his neck by the crew.	<u>ALBATROSS</u>
3a	The Danube flows through four capital cities, more than any other river in the world. From west to east, it flows through Vienna, Bratislava, Budapest and which fourth city , the capital of Serbia?	<u>BELGRADE</u> (or <u>BEOGRAD</u>)
3b	Which American physicist won the Nobel Prize for Physics in 1960 for his invention of the bubble chamber?	Donald A. <u>GLASER</u>
4a	Which former British rower won gold along with Steve Redgrave and Matthew Pinsent in the coxless fours at the 2000 and 2004 Summer Olympics? In 2010, he was involved in a serious cycling accident that caused a brain injury.	James <u>CRACKNELL</u>
4b	Who held the role of Speaker of the House of Commons from 1992 until 2002 and was the first woman to hold the position? She died in February 2023.	Betty <u>BOOTHROYD</u> (or <u>Baroness BOOTHROYD</u>)

Round 8

1a	What was the surname of the Haitian dictator nicknamed Papa Doc who came to power in 1957? He based his physical appearance on Baron Samedi and claimed to be the physical embodiment of Haiti.	<u>DUVALIER</u> (François <u>DUVALIER</u>)
1b	Jockey Ryan Moore rode which horse to victory in the 2022 Oaks?	<u>TUESDAY</u>
2a	Guitarist and flautist Andrew Latimer headed which Guildford progressive rock band who released the critically acclaimed album <i>Mirage</i> , and <i>Music inspired by The Snow Goose</i> , a concept album based on a Paul Gallico short story?	<u>CAMEL</u>
2b	Which company that operates Alton Towers, Chessington World of Adventures, and Legoland Windsor among many other tourist attractions, shares its name with a sorcerer in the court of King Arthur?	<u>MERLIN</u> Entertainments
3a	Which Englishman founded the Quakers, also known as the Religious Society of Friends, in the mid-17th century?	George <u>FOX</u>
3b	The award for Best Foreign Language Film at the 77th Academy Awards, held in February 2005, went to <i>The Sea Inside</i> . It beat which better-known and much-memed German historical drama , directed by Oliver Hirschbiegel and starring Bruno Ganz?	<u>DOWNFALL</u> (accept <i>Der</i> <u>UNTERGANG</u>)
4a	What is the scientific name for the collarbone?	<u>CLAVICLE</u>
4b	Ned Maddrell, a fisherman who died in 1974, was the last native speaker of what language , from its namesake island in the Irish Sea? Like Cornish, this language is also undergoing a revival.	<u>MANX</u> (or <u>NY MANNINEE</u> ; prompt on “the Isle of Man” by asking for the language?)

Spares

1	The celebrity magazine <i>Hello!</i> was launched in Britain in 1988 and is based on a similarly-titled magazine that has been published in which country since 1944?	<u>SPAIN</u>
2	Which reggae singer starred as Ivan Martin in the 1972 Jamaican crime film <i>The Harder They Come</i> ? He recorded the title song for this film's soundtrack that also featured his song 'Many Rivers to Cross'.	Jimmy <u>CLIFF</u> (or James <u>CHAMBERS</u>)
3	Toni Morrison, Kamala Harris and Thurgood Marshall are among the alumni of which university ? This institution is one of two historically black colleges and universities, or HBCUs, located in Washington D.C.	<u>HOWARD</u> University
4	Grantham, Grimsby and Gainsborough are all towns in which English county ?	<u>LINCOLNSHIRE</u> (or <u>LINCS.</u>)