

ONLINE QUIZ LEAGUE

Questions set by OQL USA Setting Team

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READER'S NOTE: Cup matches in Spring 2022 are to be conducted under the Free Guess Rule. All normal rules of a match apply, except when the first player gives an incorrect answer or has time run out, that is treated the same way as if they had "passed." Their captain can still designate one of the three remaining teammates to give an answer for one point. Play then proceeds as normal.

| 1A | What musical artist became known as a featured artist on hits "I Love It" and "Fancy" before releasing her first top-ten solo single, "Boom Clap"? | CHARLI XCX (acc. Charlotte AITCHISON) |
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| 1B | 3M's patent expired in 1997, but they still own what trademark that forces generic brands to call their product "repositionable notes" or "adhesive notes"? | POST-IT |
| 2A | Charles Barkley and Bo Jackson were both heavily decorated athletes for what SEC school known for its "War Eagle" chant despite not being named the Eagles? | AUBURN University |
| 2B | The Southern Book Club's Guide to Slaying Vampires and The Final Girl Support Group are books by what popular quirky horror author? My Best Friend's Exorcism is also scheduled for a film adaptation. | Grady <u>HENDRIX</u> |
| ЗA | What eldest son of King Henry the Seventh was Catherine of Aragon's first husband? She was then married to his younger brother Henry. | ARTHUR, Prince of Wales |
| 3B | What most common variety of coal is named for its inclusion of a tar-like substance also known as asphalt? | <u>BITUMINOUS</u> coal / acc. <u>BITUMEN</u> |
| 4A | "The trick, William Potter, is not minding that it hurts" is a quote from which title character of a film, referring to the act of putting out matches with his fingers? | LAWRENCE of Arabia |
| 4B | After Marquette, what French-named city with a Canadian counterpart is the second largest in Michigan's Upper Peninsula? | SAULT STE. MARIE ("soo saint marie," be fairly generous) |

| 1A | Though he didn't improve THAT much from 2020-21, what point guard, leading scorer, and assist leader for the Cleveland Cavaliers was nominated for this season's Most Improved Player award? | Darius GARLAND |
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| 1B | The <i>Hall of the Bulls</i> and the <i>Chamber of Felines</i> are so-called "galleries" at what cave site in France? | LASCAUX |
| 2A | Evolved from the <i>chanson</i> and the <i>motet</i> , what form of polyphonic vocal music of the Renaissance spawned a school of composers in England including Thomas Morley and John Wilby? | MADRIGAL |
| 2B | An island emerged between Java and Sumatra in 1927, and is known as the "child of" what caldera left by an 1883 eruption? | KRAKATOA / KRAKATAU |
| 3A | What titular group of a film includes Awkwafina's Constance, who is a pickpocket, and Mindy Kaling's Amita, who is a jewelry maker? | OCEAN'S 8 |
| 3B | Associated with the late 80s and early 90s, what brand of often high-top shoes sold the popular "lights" brand of light-up shoes exclusively at Foot Locker? | LA GEAR |
| 4A | The Institutional Revolutionary Party, represented as "PRI" since 1946 but founded in 1929, dominated much of the 20th century history of what Western Hemisphere country? | MEXICO |
| 4B | A funnel-like dilated part of the ureter in the kidney has the same name as what other body part? | (renal) <u>PELVIS</u> |

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| 1A | What work of Soren Kierkegaard is titled for the distinction between the hedonistic and ethical life? | EITHER/OR |
| 1B | The International Sociological Association listed what French sociologist's book "Distinction: A Social Critique of the Judgment of Taste" as the sixth greatest work of sociology of the 20th century? | Pierre BOURDIEU |
| 2A | Central to the plot of a certain film, what character wears a signature look: a shirt that says "Bed Stuy Do or Die" and a pair of camo shorts, in addition to a certain accessory? | Radio <u>RAHEEM</u> |
| 2B | What astronomical structure was known as a white band in the sky that resembled clouded water long before the Earth and its solar system was known to be a part of it? | MILKY WAY galaxy |
| 3A | Zildjian (ZILD-jun), Sabian and Paiste are three of the "big four" manufacturers of what common metal percussion instrument? | <u>CYMBALs</u> |
| 3B | Determinism and scientific objectivism are features of what literary school, adjacent to Realism, emblematized by Emile Zola? | NATURALISM |
| 4A | Since merged with Dow Chemical, what major chemical conglomerate - specifically its paints division - sponsored Jeff Gordon's #24 NASCAR ride during his stint as the Rainbow Warrior? | <u>DUPONT</u> |
| 4B | The official cat of a certain U.S. state, what large breed known as a "gentle giant" is characterized by a prominent chest ruff and vocal chirping? | MAINE COON cat |

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| 1A | What Alfonso Ribeiro-played brother gives his name to a now-famous meme of a dance from <i>The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air</i> . Don't say Banks. | CARLTON |
| 1B | Especially common during the Jurassic, what order of marine reptiles known for their long necks were first distinguished from ichthyosaur fossils in the 19th century? | PLESIOSAURus |
| 2A | What Roman rank was given to a commander of a unit of around 80 troops, a number which was reduced from its original meaning? | <u>CENTURION</u> |
| 2B | Bone broth ramen is known as "Tonkotsu" in most of Japan, and as Hakata ramen in what city on Kyushu where it originated? Hakata bay is the name of this city's port area. | <u>FUKUOKA</u> |
| 3A | Brian Boitano was known for his modified Lutz jump with one hand raised above his head. What American skater made famous a lutz with BOTH arms raised, colloquially named for him? | Adam RIPPON |
| 3B | What national park contains a 4,000 foot limestone chamber called The Big Room and the Guadalupe Room, home to a large number of soda straw stalactites? | CARLSBAD CAVERNS |
| 4A | "All I Really Want" is the opening track, but the sixth and final single from what extremely successful album? | JAGGED LITTLE PILL |
| 4B | Which character in "Alice's Adventures in Wonderland" is the first character from Wonderland she sees, exclaiming "Oh dear, oh dear, I shall be too late"? | White RABBIT |

| 1A | What titular group of a comedy film includes Rose Byrne as the rich Helen and Ellie Kemper as the naive Becca? | BRIDESMAIDS |
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| 1B | The beginning of a nephron unit in the kidney is what cluster of capillaries that filters blood into the Bowman's capsule? Its long name comes from the Latin for "yarn ball." | <u>GLOMERULUS</u> |
| 2A | Nine books of madrigals dedicated to such figures as Duke Vincenzo Gonzaga of Mantua are part of the output of what important transitional composer of the early Baroque? | Claudio MONTEVERDI |
| 2B | According to such endorsers as Kool Moe Dee, "The shoe ain't nothin without" what actually-non-UK brand's diamond-shaped button? | BRITISH KNIGHTS / BK |
| 3A | The PRI is known as "el tricolor" because it adopted as its official colors what three colors of the Mexican flag? | GREEN, RED and WHITE (accept in any order) |
| 3B | The first European cave paintings for which prehistoric origin was suggested, what cave complex in Cantabria, Spain includes a large number of pictures of Bison? This complex's Spanish name has a similar origin to that of a bygone search engine. | <u>ALTAMIRA</u> |
| 4A | Cleveland Cavaliers came close to two of the major NBA awards this season; what efficient rookie center out of USC was one of the finalists for Rookie of the Year? | Evan <u>MOBLEY</u> |
| 4B | Krakatoa and its island offspring lie between Java and Sumatra, and are therefore part of what country's territory? | INDONESIA |

| 1A | Irina Slutskaya was known for her double, foot-switching version of what spin, where a skater raises their skate behind their head and grasps it? | BIELLMANN |
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| 1B | Which character in "Alice's Adventures in Wonderland" is known for smoking a hookah and asking difficult questions? | <u>CATERPILLAR</u> |
| 2A | What large military unit consisted of around 5500 troops, mainly infantry led by centurions? | <u>LEGION</u> |
| 2B | What national park contains the Snake River Overlook of its namesake mountain range in Wyoming? | GRAND TETON |
| 3A | "I'm Holdin' On To Love (To Save My Life)" is the second track, but the twelfth and final single from what extremely successful album? | COME ON OVER |
| 3B | What aquatic reptile of the late Cretaceous appeared memorably in <i>Jurassic World</i> had a fossil once named the "great animal of Maastricht" and named for a nearby river? This animal was known for its very flexible, powerful jaws. | MOSASAURus (Meuse river, which also named Maastricht) |
| 4A | "The Routine" is a ridiculous dance performed by what brother-and-sister duo, the only brother and sister duo of the main cast of "Friends"? | ROSS and MONICA / acc. GELLER siblings |
| 4B | Miso-based ramen is associated with what Japanese city home to the snow festival in Odori Park? | <u>SAPPORO</u> |

| 1A | A tam-tam which makes a familiar, spreading "crash" sound is one type of | GONG |
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| 1B | what well-known metal percussion instrument originating in China? Named for a nearby body of water, what university in Sault Ste. Marie (soo saint marie), Michigan flies both US and Canadian flags on campus? | LAKE SUPERIOR STATE |
| 2A | Richard Petty's classic number 43 car was sponsored from the early 70s through the 90s by what red-white-and-blue lubricant brand? | STP (its initials once stood for "Scientifically Treated Petroleum," as well as "Studebaker Tested Products") |
| 2B | What thriller author's bestseller <i>The Paris Apartment</i> was named one of the most anticipated books of 2022? Other books by this Brit include <i>The Guest List</i> and <i>The Hunting Party</i> . | Lucy FOLEY |
| 3A | In <i>Do the Right Thing</i> , Spike Lee's character Mookie sports a throwback jersey of what athlete throughout the film? | Jackie <u>ROBINSON</u> |
| 3B | The company called Sealed Air owns what trademark that forces generic brands to call their product "inflated cushioning" or "air packing"? | BUBBLE WRAP |
| 4A | What work of Soren Kierkegaard is titled for a line from Philippans 2:12, as applied to the patriarch Abraham? | FEAR AND TREMBLING |
| 4B | Coal with the highest carbon content is given what name, an "a" word that comes from the Greek for "coal"? | ANTHRACITE |

| 1A | Henry the Eighth was in France during what 1513 battle against Scotland, leaving Catherine of Aragon as regent during the victory? This battle saw the death of Scottish king James IV, the last British monarch to die in battle. | <u>FLODDEN / FLODDEN</u> <u>FIELD</u> |
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| 1B | What breed of cat consists mainly of the descendents of a single female known as <i>Wong Mau</i> who was bred with Siamese in the 1930s? Classically, these cats with a different national name are a sable brown color. | BURMESE |
| 2A | Feuding a bit with his royal brothers at the holidays, Peter O'Toole asks "What shall we hang? The holly, or each other" in what film about Henry II? | The LION IN WINTER |
| 2B | The Chinese <i>Records of the Grand Historian</i> record a 240 B.C.E. appearance of what celestial object, eventually a bit generously named for a British astronomer who predicted its return in 1758? | HALLEY's comet / 1P Halley |
| ЗA | Charles Woodson and Chris Webber were both decorated athletes for what Big Ten school known for its very large stadium and its "Hail to the Victors" fight song which anachronistically calls them the "Champions of the West"? | University of MICHIGAN |
| 3B | The International Sociological Association listed what Canadian sociologist's book, "The Presentation of Self in Everyday Life" as the tenth greatest work of sociology of the 20th century? | Irving GOFFMAN |
| 4A | Charli XCX had a songwriting credit on what omnipresent Shawn Mendes- Camila Cabello collaboration of 2019? | <u>SENORITA</u> |
| 4B | What movement rejecting realism and focusing on form and metaphor was emblematized by Verlaine and Mallarme? | SYMBOLISM / SYMBOLIST |

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| 1A | Which dwarf who originally appeared in The Hobbit was the father of Gimli from "Lord of the Rings"? | GLOIN |
| 1B | <i>Collapse: How Societies Choose to Fail or Succeed</i> is probably the second best known work of what popular historian and sociologist? | Jared DIAMOND |
| 2A | According to song lyrics, what extremely swanky street were Rage Against the Machine "Rollin' downwith a shotgun"? | RODEO (Drive) |
| 2B | What name is given to the suspension of solid particles or liquid droplets in a gas? Examples include fog and atomized perfume. | AEROSOL |
| ЗA | What name is given to a mixture of two liquids that don't normally mix, because of phase separation? Examples include vinaigrette and homogenized milk. | EMULSION |
| 3B | According to song lyrics, what animals are "on parade" in a Rage Against the Machine song? | <u>BULL</u> s |
| 4A | Jared Diamond's 2012 book about the way in which traditional societies deal with universal problems is called <i>The World Until…</i> what? | <u>YESTERDAY</u> |
| 4B | In Moria – the scene in the film with the cave troll fight – Gimli discovers the death of what cousin of his, another of the dwarves from the Hobbit? This old dwarf had been the fondest of Bilbo in The Hobbit. | BALIN |

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| 1 | Magic Johnson and Kareem Abdul-Jabbar were fixtures on the Laker teams known by what nickname that came from their up-tempo, glamorous offense? | SHOWTIME |
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| 2 | Disputed, wanted, and shunned by various communities for years, Amazon's HQ2 eventually settled in what already-quite-crowded suburb where it is now under construction? | ARLINGTON, Virginia; acc CRYSTAL CITY |
| 3 | What name for a very basic type of animal is more or less exactly the common name of all members of the phylum Porifera? | SPONGE |
| 4 | Montero is a song by, and the first name of, the rapper better known as what? | LIL NAS X |