

ONLINE QUIZ LEAGUE

Questions set by OQL USA Setting Team For use in matches for OQL-USA beginning June 7, 2022



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1a	The statue of Zeus at Olympia, one of the seven wonders of the ancient world, was sculpted by what Greek artist? He also created multiple statues of Athena that were placed at the Acropolis, including inside the Parthenon itself.	PHIDIAS
1b	A geochemical component of some moon rocks, what five-letter acronym is given to a substance composed mainly of potassium, phosphorus, and many rare earth elements?	KREEP (potassium [K], rare earth elements, phosphorus)
2a	In American Sign Language, what letter is formed by holding out the pinky and thumb with the rest of the fingers curled in? Outside of ASL, it is a sign that means "hang loose."	Y
2b	Which political party, founded in 1828 to oppose a secret society, was the first "third party" in American political history? Party candidate William Wirt earned 8% of the presidential popular vote against Jackson and Clay that year.	ANTI-MASONIC Party (accept ANTI-MASONS)
3a	Which Ohio NFL team, named after its original coach and co-founder, has fans known as the "Dawg Pound"? They are the only team not to have a logo on their helmet.	CLEVELAND BROWNS (acc. either)
3b	Happy Valley Racecourse is on which Asian island? In 1918, a fire at this racecourse killed 590 people.	HONG KONG Island
4a	Amy Purdy is an actress, model, snowboarder, and disability activist who speaks about her experience losing both her legs (and kidneys and spleen) at the age of 19. In 2014, she was the first runner-up in the 18th season of what competition TV show?	DANCING WITH THE STARS
4b	What singer-songwriter and actress, currently on tour promoting her debut album SOUR, won 7 Billboard Music Awards in 2022, including Top New Artist and Top Female Artist? Her singles have included "Drivers License" and "Good 4 U."	Olivia RODRIGO

1a	In an episode of the Hulu series <i>Reservation Dogs</i> , the Rez Dogs visit Uncle Brownie's cabin and are startled to see a statue of what bird, an embodied spirit of death and harbinger of evil for many Native North American people?	<u>OWL</u>
1b	Since it merged with the city of Douglas in 1970, what U.S. state capital's municipal territory is larger than both Rhode Island and Delaware? This city is not accessible by outside roads.	<u>JUNEAU</u>
2a	Which ring announcer left WWE in 2021? She was the regular ring announcer for SmackDown, Raw, and NXT, appeared in the first season of Total Divas, and is in a long-term relationship with fellow WWE absentee Bray Wyatt.	JOJO OFFERMAN (accept either name)
2b	Death Certificate, Eazy-Duz-It, and 2001 are all solo albums released by members of what musical group?	<u>NWA</u>
3a	What 1977 vegetarian cookbook by Mollie Katzen is one of the bestselling cookbooks of all time? The book is named after a restaurant in Ithaca, NY.	MOOSEWOOD Cookbook
3b	Academic departments of exercise science or athletic training often include courses in what scientific discipline, a "K" word for the study of human movement?	KINESIOLOGY
4a	Bokanovsky's Process is a fictional method of human cloning in what novel by Aldous Huxley?	BRAVE NEW WORLD
4b	What World War II battle in the Pacific, named for a body of water, was the first in history where two opposing fleets never actually saw each other or fired directly on one another? The damage to the Japanese carriers Shokaku and Zuikaku prevented them from participating at Midway.	Battle of the CORAL SEA

1a	What magazine has the largest circulation in the US? It focuses on the concerns of older adults and is known by a four-letter abbreviation for an organization.	AARP: The Magazine
1b	"MacArthur Park," "It's Raining Men," and "I Will Survive" are among the songs featured in what 2006 jukebox musical? It is based on a 1994 film with a title "character" that is a tour bus. You do not need to include the phrase "The Adventures Of" in your answer.	PRISCILLA, QUEEN OF THE DESERT
2a	The Shard in London and the Whitney Museum in New York are among the architectural marvels designed by what man, who won the Pritzker Prize in 1998?	Renzo <u>PIANO</u>
2b	Which is the largest of the Euboean islands? Its capital is Chalcis.	EVIA
3a	The Cannes Film Festival's highest prize, the Palme d'Or, has only gone to a woman director twice. In 2021, Julia Ducournau won for what film about a woman who is impregnated by a car and then impersonates a kidnapped boy?	<u>TITANE</u>
3b	One of Queen Elizabeth's oldest great-grandchildren was born to Prince William and Catherine, Duchess of Cambridge in July 2013. What is his first name?	<u>GEORGE</u>
4a	Which Triple Crown horse race is held at Pimlico Race Course in Baltimore in May? First run in 1873, Eddie Arcaro has the most wins with six.	PREAKNESS Stakes
4b	A member of the rose family, <i>Cydonia oblonga</i> is the tree that bears what golden-yellow fruit? The Iberian food <i>membrillo</i> is a paste sometimes erroneously called a "cheese" made from these fruits, which are mainly edible in jelly or marmalade form.	QUINCE

1a	Hoduri was the mascot for which Summer Olympic Games held in Asia? An Amur tiger, he was chosen the represent the country's popular art and legend.	SEOUL or 1988 (prompt if they say the country, South Korea)
1b	Known as the "father of all monsters" in Greek Mythology, which man (with wife Echidna) fathered such beasts as the Nemean Lion, Cerberus, and the Hydra? Zeus trapped him under Mt. Etna after the defeat of the Titans.	TYPHON (accept TYPHOEUS or TYPHAON, be kind with pronunciation)
2a	On the Great British Baking Show (AKA Great British Bake Off), what is the first challenge of every episode called? The bakers can make something familiar that they may already make at home, though they do not usually put their autograph on them.	SIGNATURE Challenge
2b	Smaller than arterioles and venules, what broad term is used for the smallest blood vessels in the human body? These have only a thin wall and can exchange many more materials with body tissues than arteries and veins?	CAPILLARY / CAPILLARIES
3a	What famed Irish poet and author's translation of Beowulf is dedicated to poet Ted Hughes? The translation of the poem's first word in this version is "So!", which differs from the usual translation of "Hark" or "Listen."	Seamus <u>HEANEY</u>
3b	The aria "La donna e mobile," from Verdi's <i>Rigoletto</i> , is sung by what character? In the Act III number, he compares a woman to "a feather in the wind."	The DUKE OF MANTUA
4a	NPR's news show <i>Morning Edition</i> has been co-hosted by Steve Inskeep since 2004. Name any one of the other three current regular hosts.	LAILA <u>FADEL</u> , A <u>MARTINEZ</u> , RACHEL <u>MARTIN</u>
4b	Which city in England, located on the River Tyne and famed for its historic coal production, is twinned with Atlanta?	NEWCASTLE

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1a	In American Sign Language, what letter is formed by extending the middle, index, and ring fingers upward? It's not to be confused with the symbol for the number three, which in ASL uses the thumb.	<u>w</u>
1b	What pop-country artist, a cited inspiration to Olivia Rodrigo, won 4 2022 Billboard Music Awards? Her wins included Top Country Album for her re-recorded "version" of Red.	Taylor SWIFT
2a	The other woman director to win the Palme d'Or at Cannes won for what film? This film depicts Ada McGrath being sold into a marriage in New Zealand, into which she brings a young daughter.	The <u>PIANO</u> (Jane Campion)
2b	Other members of the rose family, cultivated peaches and nectarines are often termed freestone or what opposite term, related to its pit?	CLINGSTONE
3a	Which NFL team's defenses are commonly known as the "Monsters of the Midway"? This franchise has been with the NFL since its founding in 1920 and they have a longstanding rivalry with the Green Bay Packers.	CHICAGO BEARS (accept either)
3b	Which is the largest of the Ionian Islands? Its capital is Argostoli.	KEFALONIA
4a	The London Aquatics Centre used in the 2012 Summer Olympics and the Guangzhou (GWONG-zho) Opera House in China are among the architectural marvels designed by what late winner of the Pritzker Prize in 2004?	Zaha <u>HADID</u>
4b	The Barnburner Democrats and Conscience Whigs brought their similar platforms together to create what American political party in 1848? Their goal was to end the expansion of slavery, and Martin Van Buren ran on the party's platform for a second term in 1848, though he lost.	FREE SOIL PARTY

1a	Vinicius was the mascot for which Summer Olympic Games? His name pays tribute to a poet and songwriter from the country and he represents a mix of different animals to reflect the country's diversity.	RIO de Janeiro or 2016 (Prompt if they say the country, Brazil)
1b	Which city in England, the home of Anfield and the Cavern Club, is twinned with Birmingham, Alabama?	LIVERPOOL
2a	The Ludovico Technique is a fictional psychological treatment method in what novel by Anthony Burgess?	A CLOCKWORK ORANGE
2b	About 6,000 tanks were engaged in what World War II European battle, the largest tank battle in history?	Battle of KURSK
3a	Name any one of the current regular hosts of NPR's evening news show All Things Considered.	ALISA <u>CHANG</u> , MARY LOUISE <u>KELLY</u> , ARI <u>SHAPIRO</u>
3b	Supreme Clientele, Liquid Swords, and Immobilarity are all solo albums released by members of what musical group?	WU-TANG CLAN
4a	In an episode of <i>Reservation Dogs</i> , Officer Big talks about how a female figure from Native American mythology has affected his life. This creature is part human and partially what non-predatory animal, a rare white version of which is seen as a good omen?	DEER
4b	Capillaries are part of the circulatory system and what other bodily system, part of the immune system whose organs include the well-known namesake "nodes"? This system is named for the fluid it carries.	LYMPH / LYMPHATIC

1a	Hermes and the Infant Dionysus and Aphrodite of Cnidus (NYE-dus) are both major works of what ancient Athenian sculptor?	PRAXITELES
1b	The geochemical component known as KREEP is often found in what type of rock composed of angular fragments, named from the Italian for "rubble," which appears at the many impact sites on the moon's surface?	BRECCIA
2a	Which Triple Crown horse race is held at its namesake park in New York? The final part of the Triple Crown, twenty-three horses have missed out on that honor by losing this race.	BELMONT Stakes
2b	"Any Way You Want It," "I Wanna Rock," and "Sister Christian" are among the songs featured in what 2006 jukebox musical, made into a film in 2012?	ROCK OF AGES
3a	Nyle DiMarco is an actor, model, writer, and deaf community activist who won what competition TV show in 2015, the first deaf person to do so? The very next year he would go on to win <i>Dancing with the Stars</i> , too.	AMERICA'S NEXT TOP MODEL
3b	One of Queen Elizabeth's youngest great-grandchildren was born to Prince Harry and Megan Markle in June 2021. What is her first name, which was a three-syllable childhood nickname of Elizabeth herself?	<u>LILIBET</u>
4a	What company publishes the magazine with the third highest circulation in the US? The company is a membership warehouse retail chain based in Kirkland, Washington, that is a competitor to Sam's Club.	COSTCO (Connection)
4b	The Happy Valley set were a hedonistic group based in the town of Nyeri in which East African Country?	KENYA

1a	On the Great British Baking Show, what is the second challenge of every episode called? The bakers must make a new recipe they have not seen before that contains minimal instructions, and the name refers to the less "artistic" side of baking.	TECHNICAL Challenge
1b	One of Typhon and Echidna's offspring is Ladon, a dragon that guarded what items procured by Heracles during one of his labors?	Golden <u>APPLES</u> (of the Hesperides)
2a	What 1979 cookbook co-written by Sheila Lukins and Julee Rosso is one of the bestselling cookbooks of all time? The book is named after their gourmet food shop in New York City.	SILVER PALATE Cookbook
2b	Which U.S. state capital has been identified in many studies as having the nation's worst traffic? Its busy highway Interstate H1 is known as the Lunalilo highway.	HONOLULU
3a	What famed Oxford author's translation of Beowulf, completed in the 1920s but published in 2014, translates the first word in the poem as "Lo"? This author chose prose for both his direct translation as well as his Sellic Spell, a folktale interpretation of Beowulf's first 2,000 lines.	J.R.R. TOLKIEN
3b	The word "Kinesiology" was invented to describe a field known as Rorelselara (ro-rel-se-LAH-ra) in what European country, where Pehr Henrik Ling founded the Royal Central Institute of Gymnastics? Ling himself had studied at the University of Uppsala in this country.	SWEDEN
4a	Which wrestler and ring announcer left AEW in 2022? A former model, she signed a developmental contract with WWE in 2011 and became the first African American woman to be a ring announcer at 2015's WrestleMania. She also stars in a reality show with her husband on TNT.	BRANDI RHODES (Accept either name, legal married name Brandi RUNNELS, maiden name Brandi REED, or either form ring name EDEN STILES)
4b	The aria "Nessun dorma," from Puccini's <i>Turandot</i> , is sung by what character? In the Act III number, this character, who has answered all of Princess Turnandot's riddles, boasts that he will win the princess's hand.	Prince <u>CALAF</u> (accept The Unknown Prince)

Spare Questions

1	The longstanding trope of the unreliable narrator dates back at least as far as the braggart soldier in <i>Miles</i> (mee-lace) <i>Gloriosus</i> , a comedy by what	
	playwright whose works are the earliest Latin works to have survived in their entirety?	Titus Maccius PLAUTUS
2	What is the common, English two word name of any of the 200 species also known as "marabunta" or "legionary"? These insects forage in groups called "raids."	ARMY ANT
3	What word meaning "hitman" is the title of two films starring Benicio del Toro, the second of which is subtitled "Day of the Soldado"?	SICARIO
4	Later sampled by Eminem, "Toy Soldiers" was a Billboard number one for what mostly-one-hit wonder who also appeared on Disney's <i>Kids Incorporated</i> ?	MARTIKA (acc. Marta