



**ONLINE QUIZ LEAGUE**  
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## Round 1

1a	The UNESCO list of Intangible Cultural Heritage includes the coffee house culture of what European city, which typically involves Thonet chairs and marble tabletops? It includes such local institutions as Café Prückel, and many serve the Café Maria Theresa, a liquor-infused drink named for a local ruler.	<b><u>VIENNA</u></b> (acc. "Viennese Coffee House Culture")
1b	Founded by LilHuddy, Daisy Keech, and Thomas Petrou, what is the alliterative name of the mansion in Southern California that sees a rotating cast of influencers and TikTokers come together to collaborate and focus on creating content?	<b><u>HYPE HOUSE</u></b>
2a	Also generically called a 'den', what is the term for the interconnected network of burrows and tunnels used by badgers?	<b><u>SETT</u></b>
2b	Winner of the 2020 Tokyo Marathon, Lonah Chemtai Salpeter was born in Kenya but competes in marathons around the world under which Asian country's flag? She moved there when she was 19 to work as a nanny for the Kenyan ambassador's children and later married Dan Salpeter, a running coach and former middle-distance runner.	<b><u>ISRAEL</u></b>
3a	What country's currency, the dollar, is pegged to the South African rand? Once a German colony, this nation was placed under the jurisdiction of the Union of South of Africa after World War I, and therefore had the same apartheid policies as its neighbor.	<b><u>NAMIBIA</u></b>
3b	What magazine, named for a specific age, has been targeted at young women since the '40s and in 1987 adopted the motto "It's where the girl ends and the woman begins"?	<b><u>SEVENTEEN</u></b>
4a	What game show, with hosts including Gene Rayburn and Alec Baldwin, aired off-and-on from 1962 to 2021 and featured a panel of celebrities that tried to guess how a contestant would fill in the blank of a silly sentence?	<b><u>MATCH GAME</u></b>
4b	Lyricist Gerry Goffin is best known for his collaborations with which singer/songwriter? They created hits including "The Loco-Motion" and "Pleasant Valley Sunday" for other artists.	Carole <b><u>KING</u></b>

**Round 2**

1a	Rene Russo's sports film acting credits include what 1996 movie in which she plays Dr. Molly Griswold, a clinical psychologist and golf aficionado?	<b><u>TIN CUP</u></b>
1b	Jianzhi [ZIAN-zhu] in China, Kirigami in Japan, and Scherenschnitte in Germany are all artforms that use cutting tools to shape what material into decorative and intricate designs?	<b><u>PAPER</u></b>
2a	The northernmost of the islands connected by the U.S. 1 Overseas Highway, what member of the Florida Keys is named from the Spanish for "long"?	Key <b><u>LARGO</u></b>
2b	Which 1975 Kander and Ebb musical set during the Jazz Age was based on a 1926 play by Maurine Dallas Watkins? Both the play and musical share their names with a midwestern city.	<b><u>CHICAGO</u></b>
3a	In statistics, type 2 errors, also known as false negatives, are represented by what Greek letter?	<b><u>BETA</u></b>
3b	Ram Dass is the author of what 1971 book of spirituality and philosophy that offered a hippie-American take on Hinduism that encouraged readers to live in the moment?	<b><u>BE HERE NOW</u></b>
4a	What leader of the Black Liberation Army described his political awakening from a prison cell in his book of essays, <i>Soul on Ice</i> ? This man fell out with Huey Newton during the early years of the Black Panther Party, and later in life he converted to the Church of Latter-Day Saints and became an outspoken Republican.	(Leroy) Eldridge <b><u>CLEAVER</u></b>
4b	Which Slovak defenseman signed a one-day contract in 2022 to retire as a member of the Boston Bruins, his longtime team? At 1,680 games played, he played more NHL games than any other defenseman.	Zdeno <b><u>CHÁRA</u></b>

**Round 3**

1a	Secobarbital, amobarbital, and phenobarbital are examples of what class of drugs, a type of depressant used to treat anxiety, insomnia, and seizures?	<b><u>BARBITURATES</u></b>
1b	Randy Moss (1998), Adrian Peterson (2007), and Percy Harvin (2009) all won the AP NFL Offensive Rookie of the Year Award while playing for which purple-clad NFC team, infamous for zero Super Bowl wins in their 61 seasons?	<b><u>MINNESOTA VIKINGS</u></b> (accept either)
2a	What Danish theologian is considered the first existentialist philosopher? He contrasted the ethical and aesthetic approaches to life in his work <i>Either/Or</i> .	Søren <b><u>KIERKEGAARD</u></b> [SORR-en KEER-ka-gard]
2b	In which language is one or two hands with the backs of the fingers facing outward and the thumb and fingers pinched together closely associated with frustration? The gesture is linked to the phrase "Ma che vuoi?" (MA KAY VWOY) or "What do you want?"	<b><u>ITALIAN</u></b>
3a	Viewed as an extension of his previous anthology TV series <i>The Twilight Zone</i> , Rod Serling created and hosted what horror anthology series that first aired in 1970?	<b><u>NIGHT GALLERY</u></b>
3b	Benny Goodman commissioned <i>Contrasts</i> , a piece for clarinet, violin, and piano from which composer in 1938? It is based on Hungarian and Romanian dance melodies.	Béla <b><u>BARTÓK</u></b>
4a	Cities like Truro and St. Ives are located in what English county, also a historic kingdom that makes up the tip of Britain's South West peninsula?	<b><u>CORNWALL</u></b>
4b	Which late 19th, early 20th century French chef was responsible for codifying many elements of French cuisine, including the kitchen brigade system and the five mother sauces in his cookbooks, textbooks, and other writings?	August <b><u>ESCOFFIER</u></b> [es-sko-fee-AY]

**Round 4**

1a	A statue of Henry Clay, a former Senator known as “The Great Compromiser,” represents what American state in the Statuary Hall Collection? This state's current senators are Rand Paul and Mitch McConnell.	<b><u>KENTUCKY</u></b>
1b	Modern music theory divides sets of notes into seven “modes,” based on ancient Greek ideas about music. What ancient Greek tribe that gives its name to geographic features also names the mode of music encompassing the natural notes from C to C?	<b><u>IONIAN(s)</u> / acc. <u>IONIC</u> or <u>IONIA</u></b>
2a	Before winning the 2022 Primetime Emmy for Outstanding Supporting Actor in a Drama for <i>Succession</i> , what actor had roles as Mr. Darcy in an adaptation of <i>Pride and Prejudice</i> and as Detective Inspector Edmund Reid on <i>Ripper Street</i> ?	Matthew <b><u>MACFADYEN</u></b>
2b	In 1980, V. C. Andrews published what follow-up to her bestseller <i>Flowers in the Attic</i> in which the Dollganger children attempt to overcome the trauma recounted in the previous book?	<b><u>PETALS ON THE WIND</u></b>
3a	Located on Cape Mesurado at the mouth of the Saint Paul River, what Atlantic Ocean–bordering city is the wettest national capital city by average rainfall?	<b><u>MONROVIA</u></b> , Liberia
3b	The oche [pronounced “okee”] is a demarcation a little under eight feet away from what piece of sporting equipment? Players may not let any part of either foot go past the edge of the oche, though players may lean as far over it as they like to lessen the distance needed to complete their goals.	<b><u>DARTBOARD</u></b>
4a	Assessing skin color, pulse, reflex, muscle tone, and respiratory effort, the score used to evaluate newborn health immediately after birth is named after what anesthesiologist?	Virginia <b><u>APGAR</u></b>
4b	In business, what is the term for the handsome benefits packages executives receive if they agree to be terminated? If you actually tried to use a literal one of these in an emergency, you would almost certainly die.	<b><u>GOLDEN PARACHUTE</u></b>

HALFTIME – SWITCH SIDES!

**Round 5**

1a	A statue of John Calhoun, a former Senator nicknamed "Arch Nullifier" for his belief that states could nullify federal laws, represents what American state in the Statuary Hall Collection? This state's current senators are Tim Scott and Lindsey Graham.	<b><u>SOUTH CAROLINA</u></b>
1b	What was the title of Auguste Escoffier's most famous book which has been continuously in print for 120 years and is still used as a textbook in cooking schools? It includes the recipes for some of his most famous creations including Peach Melba and Tournedos Rossini.	Le <b><u>GUIDE CULINAIRE</u></b> [English title: <i>The (Complete) <u>GUIDE</u> to (the Art of) <u>MODERN COOKERY</u></i> ]
2a	A test for artificial intelligence indistinguishable from human intelligence, originally known as the "imitation game," is named after what scientist and mathematician?	Alan <b><u>TURING</u></b>
2b	One of the most common ways to play darts is by starting at a fixed number and trying to reduce that number to zero. The fixed numbers in these variants—which are usually near an odd-numbered hundred (for example 300, 500, or 700)—almost always end with what digit?	<b><u>ONE</u></b> (as in 301, 501, 701, etc.)
3a	The mouth of the Thames Estuary is near the city of Southend-On-Sea in what eastern county on England's North Sea? This was also a historical kingdom of the Heptarchy.	<b><u>ESSEX</u></b>
3b	Enacted by Twitter execs last year against Elon Musk, what is the alliterative business term for a defensive strategy used to make the potential takeover or buyout of a company less appealing to the interested parties? If you consumed a literal one of these, you would almost certainly die.	<b><u>POISON PILL</u></b>
4a	Viewed as an extension of his previous anthology film <i>Creepshow</i> , George Romero created a horror anthology series in 1983 titled "Tales from" where? This show did not feature a crypt-keeper.	Tales from the <b><u>DARKSIDE</u></b>
4b	Which Russian composer wrote <i>Ebony Concerto</i> for Woody Herman in 1945? The piece is scored for solo clarinet and a jazz band.	Igor <b><u>STRAVINSKY</u></b>

**Round 6**

1a	Rene Russo's sports film acting credits include WHAT 1989 MOVIE in which she plays Lynn Wells, a former world-class swimmer and, by the end of the movie, big fan of the Cleveland Indians?	<b><u>MAJOR LEAGUE</u></b>
1b	In 2020, TikTok users created a crowdsourced, global musical theater phenomenon based on what animated film? A filmed concert version of it, with Tituss Burgess in the lead role, premiered on January 1, 2021.	<b><u>RATATOUILLE</u></b>
2a	The final island connected by the U.S. 1 Overseas Highway, what member of the Florida Keys was named from the Spanish for "bone," which sounds an awful lot like a direction in English?	Key <b><u>WEST</u></b> ("Cayo Hueso")
2b	Which 1966 Kander and Ebb musical, set during the Weimar Republic, was based on John Van Druten's play <i>I Am a Camera</i> ? It shares its name with a form of entertainment.	<b><u>CABARET</u></b>
3a	Also called a couch, what is the term for the burrow or den used by otters?	<b><u>HOLT</u></b>
3b	Shufa in China, Shodo in Japan, and Khatt Arabi in the Islamic world are all forms of what type of ink and paper art with a Greek-rooted name?	<b><u>CALLIGRAPHY</u></b>
4a	A little-used currency called the Artsakh dram is pegged to what country's currency, also called the dram? The Artsakh dram is used in a region that this country and Azerbaijan have both long claimed; the region is alternatively known as Nagorno-Karabakh.	<b><u>ARMENIA</u></b>
4b	Winner of 20 World Marathon Majors titles, Marcel Hug is perhaps the all-time greatest wheelchair marathoner. From which European country does Hug hail?	<b><u>SWITZERLAND</u></b>



**Round 7**

1a	In statistics, beta can also refer to coefficients produced from what type of analysis?	<b><u>REGRESSION</u></b>
1b	With 1,779 games played, which Canadian forward is the NHL's all-time leader in games played? In 2020, he signed a one-year contract to end his career as a member of the San Jose Sharks, his longtime team.	Patrick <b><u>MARLEAU</u></b>
2a	What former leader of the Black Liberation Army became the first woman added to the FBI Most Wanted Terrorists list in 2013, decades after she was convicted of the murder of a New Jersey Turnpike officer? She escaped prison in 1979 and is now believed to be living in Cuba.	Assata <b><u>SHAKUR</u></b> (or JoAnne <b><u>CHESIMARD</u></b> or JoAnne <b><u>BYRON</u></b> )
2b	Using "transactional analysis," what 1967 self-help book by Thomas Harris urged people to communicate in "complementary transactions" rather than "crossed" ones?	<b><u>I'M OK – YOU'RE OK</u></b>
3a	What game show, with hosts including John Davidson and Tom Bergeron, aired off-and-on from 1966 to 2004 and featured a panel of celebrities that answered questions, truthfully or not, to help contestants win a game of tic-tac-toe?	<b><u>HOLLYWOOD SQUARES</u></b> (prompt on Celebrity Squares)
3b	Which lyricist is best known for his collaborations with Elton John? He also collaborated with Martin Page on "We Built This City" and "These Dreams."	Bernie <b><u>TAUPIN</u></b>
4a	The UNESCO list of Intangible Cultural Heritage includes the coffee culture of what country, where coffee is typically served unfiltered from a pot called a cezve (SHEZ-veh) or ibrik? Coffee was popularized here by Suleiman the Magnificent.	<b><u>TURKEY</u></b>
4b	What magazine targeted at all women, not just sophisticated city-dwellers, adopted the slogan "Fun, Fearless, Female" in 1965 under editor Helen Gurley Brown?	<b><u>COSMOPOLITAN</u></b>

## Round 8

1a	Located near the seaside city of Callao (ka-LAO), and receiving precipitation almost exclusively in the form of a mist locally known as "garua" (ga-ROO-a), what city is one of the driest national capitals?	<b>LIMA</b> , Peru
1b	What ancient kingdom mostly to the east of Greece gives its name to the mode of music encompassing the natural notes from E to E?	<b>PHRYGIA</b> (ns)
2a	Before winning the 2021 Primetime Emmy for Outstanding Supporting Actor in a Drama for <i>The Crown</i> , what actor had roles as Frank & Jonathan Randall on <i>Outlander</i> and as Edmure Tully on <i>Game of Thrones</i> ?	Tobias <b>MENZIES</b>
2b	In 1982 Jean Auel published what follow-up to her bestseller <i>The Clan of the Cave Bear</i> in which Ayla is exiled from her clan and must journey across scenic landscapes with her animal companions?	<b>VALLEY OF HORSES</b>
3a	What 18th-century German philosopher developed the concept of the "transcendental aesthetic," which examines the conditions under which our sensibility provides us with experiences of the world, in his work <i>Critique of Pure Reason</i> ?	Immanuel <b>KANT</b>
3b	Tony Dorsett (1977), Emmitt Smith (1990), and Dak Prescott (2016) all won the AP NFL Offensive Rookie of the Year award while playing for what blue-and-silver clad NFC team, renowned for three Super Bowl championships in the '90s?	<b>DALLAS COWBOYS</b> (accept either individually)
4a	Midazolam, triazolam, and diazepam are examples of what class of drugs, a type of depressant that largely replaced the use of barbiturates to treat anxiety, insomnia and seizure? However, their prescription frequency saw a decrease with the introduction of SSRIs.	<b>BENZODIAZEPINES</b> (accept <b>BENZOS, BZD, BDZ, BZs</b> )
4b	A hand with its thumb and pinkie fingers outstretched with the three fingers between them down and touching the palm is known as the "Shaka," a sign typically used in Hawaiian culture that is traditionally translated into English as "hang" WHAT?	<b>LOOSE</b>

## Spare Questions

1	<i>The Truth About Charlie</i> was a mostly panned remake of what 1963 Grant-Hepburn spy film?	<b>CHARADE</b>
2	The northernmost arm of the Baltic Sea, what body of water separates part of Sweden from part of Finland?	Gulf of <b>BOTHNIA</b>
3	<i>Gears of War</i> and <i>Fortnite</i> are both products by what Cary, North Carolina based company?	<b>EPIC</b> Games
4	Founder of the Association for the Study of African American Life and History, and the <i>Journal of African American History</i> , what historian founded Negro History Week in 1926? This eventually became Black History Month.	Carter G. <b>WOODSON</b>