



MK Quiz League - Winter 2020

- Quiz Questions for Monday 19th April 2021 - Written by Ed Ficek

Team A

Team B

ROUND ONE

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE ROUND

1 Q: Which popular chocolate bar was known as a "Raider bar" in mainland Europe until its name was changed to its more commonly known name in 1991? <u>A: TWIX</u>	2 Q: In 1998 Mars wanted to create brand consistency for the sweet across the global market and renamed which confectionary to Starburst? <u>A: OPAL FRUITS</u>
3 Q: In literature, whose valet was Jean Passepartout - full name answer required? <u>A: PHILEAS FOGG</u>	4 Q: In literature, whose squire was Sancho Panza - full name answer required? <u>A: DON QUIXOTE</u>
5 Q: Which country has borders with Argentina, Brazil and Peru? <u>A: BOLIVIA</u>	6 Q: Which country has borders with Namibia, Zimbabwe and South Africa? <u>A: BOTSWANA</u>
7 Q: Tommy Vercetti is the main protagonist, in which edition of the Grand Theft Auto game series? <u>A: VICE CITY</u>	8 Q: Carl Johnson who is normally referred to as CJ, is the main protagonist in which edition of the Grand Theft Auto video game series? <u>A: SAN ANDREAS</u>

ROUND TWO (Team Questions)

THEME ROUND. This weeks theme is

NUMBERS (ANSWERS ARE NUMBERS)

1 Q: According to the International Olympic Committee, What is the first event in the Men's Decathlon? <u>A: 100M</u>	2 Q: According to the International Olympic Committee, What is the last event in the Women's' Heptathlon? <u>A: 800M</u>
3 Q: Triggered by the murder of emperor Commodus on New Year's Eve in 192 AD. The year 193 AD is known as the year of how many emperors, in the Roman empire? <u>A: 5</u>	4 Q: 1276 was the year of how many popes? <u>A: 4</u>
5 Q: What number indicates a solution is neutral on the PH scale? <u>A: 7</u>	6 Q: The PH scale ranges from number 0 through to which number? <u>A: 14</u>
7 Q: What is one quarter of two Thirds? <u>A: ONE SIXTH (ACCEPT - TWO TWELFTHS OR 0.1666)</u>	8 Q: What is One third of three fifth? <u>A: ONE FIFTH (ACCEPT 0.2 OR 3/15)</u>



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ROUND THREE

INDIVIDUALS CHOICE ROUND - QM - READ CATEGORIES OUT TO PLAYERS TO BE CHOSEN

The Categories are:-

1 & 2 YouTubers

3 & 4 TV Soaps

5 & 6 Currencies

7 & 8 US Sports

1 Q: Girl Online was the record breaking debut novel of which Youtuber and vlogger? Her Youtube channel largely contains videos on fashion tips and beauty hauls.

A: ZOELLA/ZOE SUGG

2 Q: Which Youtuber is best known for his Let's Play videos and comedic format shows? His channel is currently the second-most subscribed channel on Youtube.

A: PEWDIEPIE/FELIX KJELLBERG

3 Q: What's the name of the kebab shop in Coronation Street?

A: PRIMA DONER

4 Q: Apostolos Papadopoulos owned which business in EastEnders?

A: LAUNDRETTE

5 Q: Which Central American country has the Quetzal as it's unit of currency?

A: GUATEMALA

6 Q: Which Central American country has the Balboa as one it's units of currency alongside the US Dollar?

A: PANAMA

7 Q: Despite Milwaukee having the rest of the states big 4 sports teams, the NFL team in the state of Wisconsin is located in which city?

A: GREEN BAY

8 Q: Despite Nashville having the rest of the states big 4 sports teams, the NBA team in the state of Tennessee is located in which city?

A: MEMPHIS

ROUND FOUR

BLOCKBUSTERS ROUND: The Letters will be given in the question

1 Q: With letters "TDC" - What is the name of the drinking establishment in Quahog frequented by Peter Griffin the animated TV show 'Family Guy'?

A: THE DRUNKEN CLAM

2 Q: With letters "GH" - Born in 1946 and died in 1998, by what "farmy" name was the wrestler Martin Austin Ruane better known?

A: GIANT HAYSTACKS

3 Q: With letters "EG" - In the 1968 film Willie Wonka & The Chocolate Factory, what sweet did Charlie give back to Mr Wonka & therefore won the prize?

A: EVERLASTING GOBSTOPPER

4 Q: With letters "TLOTL" - Which poem by Walter Scott inspired a Rossini opera and shares its name with a character from Arthurian legend?

A: THE LADY OF THE LAKE

5 Q: With letters "GTS" - Adam and the Ants had their 3rd British Number One hit with which song in the Summer of 1982 and could also mean "a well behaved person"?

A: GOODY TWO SHOES

6 Q: Name the 1961 film with letters "TAMP" in which Fred McMurray's forgetful character invents Flubber?

A: THE ABSENT MINDED PROFESSOR

7 Q: Which novel with letters "VB" is the second novel by Evelyn Waugh, published in 1930?

A: VILE BODIES

8 Q: With letters "WOD" - What did the period of industrial unrest during the winter of 1978-9 become known as, a phrase also used by Shakespeare?

A: WINTER OF DISCONTENT



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ROUND FIVE (Team Questions)

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE ROUND

1 Q: What fermented beverage popular in Slavic and Baltic countries is commonly made from rye bread and is sometimes flavoured using berries or birch sap? <u>A: KVASS</u>	2 Q: What fermented drink originating in the Caucasus and popular in Russia and Eastern Europe is made by inoculating cow or goat milk with eponymous grains? <u>A: KEFIR</u>
3 Q: In 'The Simpsons' TV show, who is the owner of the Springfield Nuclear Power Plant? <u>A: MR (CHARLES MONTGOMERY) BURNS</u>	4 Q: In 'the Simpsons' TV show, who is the Principal of Springfield Elementary School? <u>A: (SEYMOUR) SKINNER</u>
5 Q: Give a year in the life of the Russian composer Modest Mussorgsky. <u>A: 1839-1881 (INCLUSIVE)</u>	6 Q: Give a year in the life of musician Nikolai Rimsky-Korsakov? <u>A: 1844-1908 (INCLUSIVE)</u>
7 Q: A "Grand" "Renaissance Dam", which will be the largest hydroelectric dam in Africa, is currently under construction in which East African Country? <u>A: ETHIOPIA</u>	8 Q: The Zika virus which has been prevalent throughout the world since 2007 takes its name from the Zika forest located in which East African country? <u>A: UGANDA</u>

HALF TIME!

ROUND SIX (TEAM QUESTIONS)

THEME ROUND. This weeks theme is

Colours (Each answer will have a Colour as the answer or part answer)

1 Q: What colour cape did Robin wear in the TV show and on film? <u>A: YELLOW</u>	2 Q: Who played Ena Sharples in Coronation Street? <u>A: VIOLET CARSON</u>
3 Q: World chess champion Garry Kasparov was beaten by a computer in 1997. What was it called? <u>A: DEEP BLUE</u>	4 Q: What colour is the top right hand ring on the Olympic flag? <u>A: RED</u>
5 Q: The capital was Bloemfontein and this independent territory joined South Africa in 1907. What was it called? <u>A: ORANGE FREE STATE</u>	6 Q: What colour "mood" did Duke Ellington record in 1930? <u>A: (MOOD) INDIGO</u>
7 Q: If you went to Hamley's toy shop in London, on which colour Monopoly property square are you situated? <u>A: GREEN (REGENT STREET)</u>	8 Q: What was the name of the film released in 2013 which starred Sigourney Weaver & Robert De Niro as two paranormal researchers? <u>A: RED LIGHTS</u>



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ROUND SEVEN

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE ROUND

1 Q: What is the name of the toy unicorn in Toy Story 3? A: <u>BUTTERCUP</u>	2 Q: What is the name of the Pink strawberry scented Teddy Bear in Toy Story 3? A: <u>LOTSO (LOTS OF HUGGING)</u>
3 Q: Madonna and Justin Bieber have each had UK number 1 hits with songs with which one-word title? A: <u>SORRY</u>	4 Q: Gary Barlow and Ed Sheeran have each had UK number 1 hits with songs with which one-word title? A: <u>SING</u>
5 Q: "The Night Café" was an oil painting, created by which artist in 1888? A: <u>VINCENT VAN GOGH</u>	6 Q: "The Umbrellas" was an oil on canvas painting created during the 1880s by which artist? A: <u>PIERRE AUGUSTE RENOIR</u>
7 Q: 'The Ghost at the Window' – 'The Death of Mr Earnshaw' – 'Isabella Learns Her Fate' – 'The Last of the Lintons' are all chapters from which classic novel? A: <u>WUTHERING HEIGHTS</u>	8 Q: 'The Sound of the Shell' – 'Painted Faces and Long Hair' – 'Castle Rock' – 'Cry of the Hunters' are all chapters from which classic novel? A: <u>LORD OF THE FLIES</u>

ROUND EIGHT

INDIVIDUALS CHOICE ROUND - QM - READ CATEGORIES OUT TO PLAYERS TO BE CHOSEN

The Categories are:-

1 & 2 Motorways

3 & 4 Tour De France

5 & 6 Thomas Hardy

7 & 8 Marx Brother Films

1 Q: On which Motorway are the Membury Services located? A: <u>M4</u>	2 Q: On which Motorway are the Corley Services located? A: <u>M6 (IF ANSWER M6 TOLL THIS IS INCORRECT!)</u>
3 Q: Which Brit – sometimes nicknamed 'the White Kenyan' - won the Tour de France four times between 2013 and 2017? A: <u>CHRIS FROOME</u>	4 Q: Which Spaniard – nicknamed 'Big Mig' - won the Tour de France five times between 1991 and 1995? A: <u>MIGUEL INDURAIN</u>
5 Q: The city of Christminster in Thomas Hardy novels is based on which spire filled city? A: <u>OXFORD</u>	6 Q: The city of Casterbridge in Thomas Hardy novels is based on which historic market town? A: <u>DORCHESTER</u>
7 Q: Which Marx Brothers film saw Rufus T Firefly (played by Groucho) take over a small bankrupt country? A: <u>DUCK SOUP</u>	8 Q: Which Marx Brothers film saw explorer Captain Geoffrey (or Jeffrey) T. Spaulding (played by Groucho) , attending a party in his honour and investigating the theft of a painting? A: <u>ANIMAL CRACKERS</u>



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ROUND NINE

PICK A LETTER. Surnames only for individuals : The letter will be given in the question

<p>1 Q: With surname beginning with a letter "T" who was the first British female gymnast to win a medal at the European Championships, World Championships and Olympic Games?</p> <p>A: <u>BETH TWEDDLE</u></p>	<p>2 Q: Born in 1966, with surname beginning with a letter "C" who is the author of the How to Train Your Dragon and Emily Brown series of children's books?</p> <p>A: <u>CRESSIDA COWELL</u></p>
<p>3 Q: Mentioned in the book of Job this animal is thought to be a hippopotamus. The word beginning with letter "B" is used to describe a great beast or something huge or gigantic. What is it?</p> <p>A: <u>BEHEMOTH</u></p>	<p>4 Q: Which letter "N" relates to which elementary particle which was postulated in 1930 to exist, but the particle itself wasn't discovered until 1956?</p> <p>A: <u>NEUTRINO</u></p>
<p>5 Q: What letter "L" is the traditional name for someone who makes the metal parts of a horse's harness?</p> <p>A: <u>LORIMER</u></p>	<p>6 Q: Which French admiral with surname beginning with a letter "V", opposed Nelson at the Battle of Trafalgar, also a surname of a Formula 1 world champion?</p> <p>A: <u>VILLENEUVE</u></p>
<p>7 Q: What word with letter "E" is the Spanish word for the month of January?</p> <p>A: <u>ENERO</u></p>	<p>8 Q: What letter "H" is the name of the strong north-easterly wind in Cumbria, which blows down the south-west slope of the Cross Fell escarpment? It is the only named wind in the British Isles.</p> <p>A: <u>HELM (WIND)</u></p>

ROUND TEN

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE ROUND

<p>1 Q: A nephrectomy is the medical term for the surgical removal of which organ?</p> <p>A: <u>KIDNEY</u></p>	<p>2 Q: A hepatectomy is the medical term for the surgical removal of which organ?</p> <p>A: <u>LIVER</u></p>
<p>3 Q: Which late Swedish DJ released songs such as "Levels", "Wake Me Up" and "Hey Brother"?</p> <p>A: <u>AVICII (ACCEPT TIM BERGLING)</u></p>	<p>4 Q: Which French DJ has released songs such as "When Love Takes Over", "Memories" and "Sexy Bitch"?</p> <p>A: <u>DAVID GUETTA</u></p>
<p>5 Q: Victoria is the capital of the Canadian province of British Columbia but which city is the largest having hosted the Commonwealth Games in 1954?</p> <p>A: <u>VANCOUVER</u></p>	<p>6 Q: Edmonton is the capital of the Canadian province of Alberta but which other city is the largest having hosted the Winter Olympics in 1988?</p> <p>A: <u>CALGARY</u></p>
<p>7 Q: What do Americans call a Spanner?</p> <p>A: <u>WRENCH</u></p>	<p>8 Q: What do Americans call a drawing pin?</p> <p>A: <u>THUMB TACK (ACCEPT TACK)</u></p>



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Below are Reserve/Spare questions to be used as per rules.

They must not be included in the score of the main quiz competition

1 Q: The shopping centres of Coppergate and Swinegate are found in which English city? <u>A: YORK</u>	2 Q: What 'H' was Margaret Thatcher's middle name? <u>A: HILDA</u>
3 Q: Who wrote the 1927 novel 'To the Lighthouse'? <u>A: VIRGINIA WOOLF</u>	4 Q: "The Seventh Seal", "Persona" and "Cries and Whispers" were all films directed by which Scandinavian film director? <u>A: INGMAR BERGMAN</u>
5 Q: The movie "Clueless" was based on which Jane Austen novel? <u>A: EMMA</u>	6 Q: In 2004 what was the first symbol to be added to the Morse Code since World War I? <u>A: THE 'AT' SIGN (@)</u>
7 Q: In France 'un trombone' not surprisingly means a trombone – but it has another meaning in French; what is that? <u>A: A PAPERCLIP</u>	8 Q: The 1914 wartime hit song Keep the Homes Fires Burning was written by David Davies. By what name did Davies become well-known? <u>A: IVOR NOVELLO</u>
9 Q: This app originally required access to a Facebook account to use, but, in August 2019, it began allowing users to register with just a telephone number. Which app has made more than 8 billion matches since it was launched in 2012? <u>A: TINDER</u>	10 Q: Which country, presided over by President Bolsonaro, saw the resignation of all 3 of the country's military heads this week? <u>A: BRAZIL</u>