



MK Quiz League - Winter 2018

for Monday 21st January 2019 - Written by Craig McFarlane

Team A

Team B

ROUND ONE (Team Questions)

THEME ROUND. This weeks theme is

ITALY

PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.

1 Q: How many times has Italy won the football World Cup? A: 4 times (1934, 1938, 1982, 2006)	2 Q: What is the population of Italy to the nearest million? (accept +/- 1 million) A: 61 million (accept 60 – 62 million)
3 Q: How many other countries share a land border with Italy? A: 6 (France, Switzerland, Austria, Slovenia, San Marino, Vatican City (Holy See))	4 Q: What is the name of Italy's highest mountain? A: Monte Bianco (accept Mont Blanc) 4,810m
5 Q: Which city (in the North of the country) was the capital of Italy between 1865 and 1871 A: Florence (Rome didn't become part of Italy until 1871)	6 Q: Give a year in the life of the painter Raphael? A: 1483 – 1520
7 Q: What is the name given to a type of pasta commonly known as bow-tie pasta or butterfly pasta? A: Farfalle	8 Q: Which Italian architect designed London's Shard, the tallest building in the European Union as of December 2018? A: Renzo Piano (Surname acceptable)

ROUND TWO (Team Questions)

GIVE THE SUBJECT AWAY. The subjects are:-

1. Elements

2. The Simpsons

3. Composers

4. Radio

5. Birds

6. Footballers

7. Islands

8. Words

1 Q: Name the lightest of the group of elements known as the halogens - (it is found in Toothpaste) A: Fluorine	2 Q: Name either of Marge Simpson's twin sisters? A: Selma or Patty
3 Q: Give a year in the life of Johann Sebastian Bach? A: 1685 - 1750	4 Q: Who hosts the Radio 4 programme In Our Time? A: Melvyn Bragg
5 Q: What common bird has the Latin name Pica Pica? A: Magpie	6 Q: Which (current Chelsea player) was the PFA Player Of The Year in 2017? A: N'Golo Kante
7 Q: Which is the second largest Mediterranean island? A: Sardinia	8 Q: What type of object is a theorbo? A: Musical instrument

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**ROUND THREE (Individual Questions) (Jokers to be used, each team to nominate one player.)
Team A to Answer First**

The Categories are:-

1 & 2 Geology

3 & 4 Novels - first lines

5 & 6 Napoleon

7 & 8 Composers

1 Q: Which geological period takes its name from a French mountain range? A: The Jurassic (Jura mountains)	2 Q: Which geological period takes its name from an(Southern) English county from where the rocks from this period were first discovered? A: The Devonian
3 Q: Which novel begins with the sentence: "Call me Ishmael." A: Moby Dick (Herman Melville)	4 Q: Which novel begins with the sentence: "Last night I dreamt I went to Manderley again" A: Rebecca (Daphne Du Maurier)
5 Q: Which Paris railway station is called after one of Napoleon's victories? A: Gare d'Austerlitz	6 Q: At which battle in 1813 was Napoleon decisively defeated for the first time? A: The Battle of Leipzig (also called the Battle of the Nations)
7 Q: Which (Russian) composer's 6th symphony is called the Pathetique? A: Pyotr Tchaikovsky (Surname acceptable)	8 Q: Which (German) composer's 5th symphony featured in the film Death In Venice? A: Gustav Mahler (Surname acceptable)

ROUND FOUR (Team Questions)

**THEME ROUND. This weeks theme is
PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.**

SPORT

1 Q: How many different British teams have won the European Cup/UEFA Champions League? A: 6 (Celtic, Man Utd, Notts Forest, Aston Villa, Liverpool, Chelsea)	2 Q: Who won the Ladies' Singles title at Wimbledon in 2018? A: Angelique Kerber - Surname acceptable
3 Q: Who won the mens USPGA golf title in 2018? A: (Brooks) Koepka - Surname acceptable	4 Q: England's James Anderson became the most successful fast bowler in test history this year; whose wicket total did he surpass? A: Glenn McGrath
5 Q: Name one of the two teams joined rugby union's PRO14 league in the 2017-8 season? A: Cheetahs and Southern Kings	6 Q: Which Premier League football team currently play in the largest stadium (as of December 2018)? A: Tottenham Hotspur (Wembley, 90,000 capacity)
7 Q: Which US gymnast won 4 gold medals at the 2016 Rio Olympics? A: Simone Biles - Surname acceptable	8 Q: (In which European city) Where will the Olympics be held in 2024? A: Paris

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ROUND FIVE (Team Questions)

PICK A LETTER. Surnames only for individuals : The letters are

1. K 2. H 3. E 4. B 5. H(ii) 6. R 7. M 8. F

PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.

1 Q: The Russian city of Kaliningrad was once part of East Prussia – what was its German name? A: Königsberg	2 Q: Which pop star’s first names were Charles Hardin? A: Buddy Holly
3 Q: Whose first published fiction was Scenes of Clerical Life (1857)? A: George Eliot	4 Q: When it was part of the Austro- Hungarian Empire it was called Pressburg. Which European capital city is it now? A: Bratislava
5 Q: Name the actress mother of the actress Melanie Griffith. A: Tippi Hedren	6 Q: In The Sweeney, what was John Thaw’s character called? A: Jack Regan
7 Q: Which book won the Man Booker prize for 2018? A: Milkman (by Anna Burns)	8 Q: Which Italian physicist named the fundamental particle called the neutrino? A: Enrico Fermi

HALF TIME!

ROUND SIX (TEAM QUESTIONS)

PICTURE PUZZLE - FULL NAME UNLESS STATED

PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.

1 Q: Who is this cabinet minister (as of December 2018)? A: Matt Hancock (Surname acceptable)	2 Q: Who is this novelist? A: William Makepeace Thackeray (Surname acceptable)
3 Q: Name this Premier League footballer. A: Ryan Fraser (Surname acceptable)	4 Q: Name the Beatrix Potter character. A: Jemima Puddle-Duck
5 Q: Name the logo. A: Firefox	6 Q: Who is this actress? A: Saoirse Ronan
7 Q: Name the island A: Skye	8 Q: Name the musical instrument A: Clarinet



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ROUND SEVEN (Team Questions)

BLOCKBUSTERS ROUND: The Letters are

1. FFRMC 2. THAHN 3. TBE 4. STW 5. WYWH 6. TGAG 7. MWOW 8. IPOCC

PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.

1 Q: Using these letters - Name this novel by Thomas Hardy? A: Far From The Madding Crowd	2 Q: Using these letters - Name this 1944 film starring Humphrey Bogart? A: To Have And Have Not
3 Q: Using these letters - Name this sitcom starring Chris Barrie? A: The Brittas Empire	4 Q: Using these letters - Name this radio programme, usually chaired by Andrew Marr? A: Start The Week
5 Q: Using these letters - Name this album by Pink Floyd? A: Wish You Were Here	6 Q: Using these letters - Name the 2017 Sam Smith song? A: Too Good at Goodbye's
7 Q: Using these letters - Name this Shakespeare play? A: Merry Wives of Windsor	8 Q: Using these letters - Name this UN body? A: Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change

ROUND EIGHT (Individual Questions) (Jokers to be used, each team to nominate one player.)

Team A to Answer First

The Categories are:-

1 & 2 Film Directors

3 & 4 Scrabble

5 & 6 Musicals

7 & 8 Capitals

1 Q: Far From The Madding Crowd, Midnight Cowboy and Darling were all directed by which British director? A: John Schlesinger (Surname acceptable)	2 Q: The Loneliness Of The Long Distance Runner, Tom Jones and The Charge Of The Light Brigade were all directed by which British director? A: Tony Richardson (Surname acceptable)
3 Q: Apart from special squares such as double letter or word squares, what is the Scrabble value of the word bloody? A: 12	4 Q: Apart from special squares such as double letter or word squares, what is the Scrabble value of the word victim? A: 13
5 Q: Which musical contains the song "Gee Officer Krupke"? A: West Side Story	6 Q: Which musical contains the song "Send In The Clowns"? A: A Little Night Music
7 Q: What is the capital of Haiti? A: Port au Prince	8 Q: What is the capital of Papua New Guinea? A: Port Moresby



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ROUND NINE (Team Questions)

TABLE ROUND - SECOND HANDOUT TO BE GIVEN - 5 Minutes thinking time.

THEME ROUND. This weeks theme is "WHAT IS THE LINK"
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1 Q: Autumn, Melancholy, Nightingale A: Odes by John Keats	2 Q: Cupcake, Gingerbread, Jelly Bean, Oreo A: Android Mobile Operating Systems
3 Q: Chimes At Midnight, 10 Things I Hate About You, My Own Private Idaho, Warm Bodies A: Films based on Shakespeare plays	4 Q: US Defense Department; Chinese army; Walmart; McDonald's; NHS A: World's biggest employers
5 Q: Peter Mayhew, Anthony Daniels, Kenny Baker A: Unseen Star Wars actors (Chewbacca, C3PO, R2D2) (If answer Star Wars character ask for more)	6 Q: Marie Curie, 1903; Maria Goeppert Mayer, 1963; Donna Strickland, 2018 A: Women winners of Nobel prize for Physics (Accept Women winners of Nobel Prizes)
7 Q: China; Kyrgyzstan; Macedonia; Vietnam A: Red and yellow national flags	8 Q: Jim Morrison, Oscar Wilde, Frederic Chopin A: Buried in Pere Lachaise cemetery, Paris (Accept Buried in Paris)

ROUND TEN (Team Questions)

GIVE THE SUBJECT AWAY. The subjects are:-

- 1. TV 2. Mountains 3. British PMs 4. Art
- 5. Astronomy 6. Treaties 7. Current Affairs 8. Bands

1 Q: In Life On Mars, what was Philip Glenister's character called? A: Gene Hunt	2 Q: Which is the highest mountain in the world that does not form part of a range? A: Mt Kilimanjaro
3 Q: How is the British PM named Henry Temple better known? A: Lord Palmerston	4 Q: The National Gallery contains a painting entitled The Arnolfini Portrait, which shows a young couple holding hands. What is the artists's name? A: Jan van Eyck
5 Q: Spiral, barred spiral, elliptical, and irregular are types of what? A: Galaxies	6 Q: The Treaty of Paris in 1763 brought an end to which conflict between which two nations? A: Britain and France (The Seven Years' War)
7 Q: What airline in Jan 2019 said it would honour tickets sold by mistake, where a business class ticket was sold for £675 return, normally £16,000, Vietnam to New York? A: Cathay Pacific	8 Q: Which band won the 2018 Mercury Prize? A: Wolf Alice



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Below are Reserve/Spare questions to be used as per rules.
Please feel free to use at the end of the quiz while eating food.

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

1 Q: A hanging valley is evidence of which geological process? A: Glaciation	2 Q: Give any two of the four bases in a strand of DNA. A: Adenine, guanine, cytosine, thymine
3 Q: What is the SI unit of luminous intensity? A: The candela	4 Q: In which Scottish city do St Johnstone FC play their home matches? A: Perth
5 Q: In what year was the unmanned probe Voyager 1 launched? A: 1977	6 Q: The opera Lucia di Lammermoor is based on a work by which author? A: Sir Walter Scott
7 Q: After mainland Britain and Ireland, which British isle has the largest area? A: Lewis-Harris	8 Q: Name the actress daughter of the actress Melanie Griffith. A: Dakota Johnson
9 Q: In which country would you find the city of Iqaluit? A: Canada (largest town in Nunavut)	10 Q: What was the largest-selling album of the 1970s? A: The Eagles' Greatest Hits