

## Pot Luck Quizzes

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What five spirits does a Long Island Iced Tea typically contain?	Gin, Vodka, Tequila, Rum and Triple Sec
Which European Artist painted over 60 self-portraits?	Rembrandt
Which actor appeared in 'Witness', 'Mosquito Coast' and 'Patriot Games'?	Harrison Ford
In which year was Margaret Thatcher first elected as British Prime Minister?	1979
How many US States border Texas?	Four - Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Arkansas
In computing, what does HTML stand for?	HyperText Markup Language
In which musical would you find the songs 'Mr Cellophone' and 'Cell Block Tango'?	Chicago
Paraguay has borders with Brazil, Bolivia and which other Country?	Argentina
On a British Monopoly Board, what must you pass to collect £200	Go
Who was the first choice for the role of Holly Golightly in 'Breakfast at Tiffanys' before Audrey Hepburn?	Marilyn Monroe
Who was the Greek Goddess of War?	Athena
What is the French word for Monkey?	Singe
'Now is the winter of our discontent' is the opening line to which Shakespeare play?	Richard III
Which US President was born earliest in the 29th century?	Lyndon B Johnson
What do you call a pony or horse with a golden coloured coat and a flaxen mane and tail?	A Palomino
What is the codename of Halle Berry's character in the X-Men films?	Storm - Her real name is Ororo Munroe
In which film was Scotsman David Hume famous?	Philosophy
Which was the only NBA team Magic Johnson ever played for?	LA Lakers
What is an Ocarina?	A musical instrument
What does the TV Channel EPSN stand for?	Entertainment Sports Programming Network
In which city would you be if you were relaxing on the Copacabana Beach?	Rio De Janeiro, Brazil
Which female politician was the Prime Minister of Australia between 2010 and 2013?	Julia Gillard
Which two colours are on the flag of Poland?	Red and White
Who was Orlando Bloom's co-star in Elizabethtown?	Kirsten Dunst
Where does the rattlesnake have its rattle?	Tail
In which musical does Fagin appear?	Oliver
Which scientist discovered alpha, beta and gamma rays?	Ernest Rutherford
Which Chaplin song proved a hit for Petula Clarke and Harry Secombe?	This Is My Song

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How was Edward Teach better known?	Blackbeard
In the 1970's/1980's TV Show, how was The Hulk better known?	Incredible
What do the Lacrimal Glands produce?	Tears
What does the C stand for in BBC?	Corporation
Who was the most famous creation of Elzie Segar?	Popeye
What is a Chameleon capable of changing?	Colour
Which delivery man had a cat named Jess?	Postman Pat
Cheviot and Suffolk are both types of what?	Sheep
What is another name for Snake poison?	Venom
In 1996, who did the Spice Girls say was their Girl Power model?	Margaret Thatcher
Which metal is made from bauxite?	Aluminium
Where did Tung Chee-Hwa become chief executive in July 1997?	Hong Kong
Which Renault advertising character frequently found her father in compromising situations?	Nicole
Billy Smart produced what type of family entertainment?	Circus
Which is the only mammal able to fly	Bat
What is the capital city of Iceland?	Reykjavik
What do Sumo Wrestlers use to purify the ring before a match?	Salt
What name is given to sausages wrapped in bacon?	Pigs in Blankets
Watership Down is about a community of which animals?	Rabbits
How many millimetres are there in 1.5 metres?	1500
Which designer brand created the Kelly Bag?	Hermès
Nepal is a landlocked country between which two countries?	India and China
Who played The Joker in the 2019 movie of the same name?	Joaquin Phoenix
In cricket, what is a score of 0 also known as?	Duck
Who had the 2008 hit 'Chasing Pavements'?	Adele
What do Manolo Blahnik and Jimmy Choo make?	Shoes
If you perform a rim shot, what instrument are you playing?	Drums
In the Chinese calendar which year follows the year of the rat?	Ox
What are you if you are caught in a Haboob?	A Sandstorm
What was the wrestler Big Daddy's real name?	Shirley Crabtree
What trade did a webster follow?	Weaving

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Who wrote the book 'The Prodigal Daughter'?	Jeffrey Archer
Where does the River Seine empty?	The English Channel
What is the fourth letter of the Greek alphabet?	Delta
What day of the week did Solomon Grundy get married?	Wednesday
Who built the Morro San Felipe in Puerto Rico?	Spanish
Which Brand has a Siren in an Ancient Norse woodcut in it's logo?	Starbucks
What is the collective noun for a group of Witches?	Coven
What novel or novella was written by acclaimed Russian author, Leo Tolstoy? The Death of Ivan Ilyich, Anna Karenina, War and Peace or All of the above	All of the above
Where did chocolate originally come from?	Central America
What was the name of the boy that can make his nose grow longer by lying?	Pinocchio
Which UK City is associated with Robin Hood?	Nottingham
What is the highest military medal given in the United Kingdom?	Victoria Cross
Who is the only British Prime Minister to have received the Nobel Prize in Literature?	Sir Winston Churchill
Socrates was sentenced to death by the forced ingestion of what type of plant?	Hemlock
How many days does a leap year have?	366
What is the right side of a ship called?	Starboard
'Syntax' is concerned with the arrangement of what?	Words
What is the fear of heights called?	Acrophobia
What process is deemed far more environmentally friendly than cremation for the disposal of dead bodies?	Alkaline hydrolysis
What is Philanthropy?	Love of Humanity
What is 'Sfyria'?	A whistle language
Yiddish is mainly a mixture of what two languages?	German and Hebrew
Which aircraft is also known as the 'Jumbo Jet'?	Boeing 747
What was Abigail Adams' position about slavery in the 18th century?	Opposed slavery
What is celebrated every year by playing practical jokes and hoaxes?	April Fools' Day
What is eaten traditionally in the UK the day before Ash Wednesday?	Pancakes
Who is the patron saint of Ireland?	Saint Patrick
In India what is the wife of a Raja called?	Rani
What festival in Cannes France most famous for?	Film

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What does a Zamboni do?	Smooths surface of ice
What is a warlock?	A male practitioner of witchcraft
What is Mensa?	A High IQ Society
Why was the dinosaur 'Triceratops' called 'Triceratops'?	It had 3 horns
In what city was the Nightingale Home and Training School for Nurses set up in 1860?	London
What do the initials NIMBY stand for?	Not In My Back Yard
Which oath begins with the words 'I swear by Apollo....'?	The Hippocratic Oath
What was the Roman name for Scotland?	Caledonia
What does an apiarist keep?	Bees
What is the deepest part of the world's oceans called?	Marianas Trench
Which dog spent 14 years guarding the grave of his owner?	Greyfriars Bobby
Why was May 12 chosen as International Nurses Day?	Florence Nightingale's Birthdate
Made into the film 'Breathe', what caused Robin Cavendish to be paralysed from the neck down?	Polio
Which city lends its name to a comma specifically put before the word 'and' at the end of a list?	Oxford
Which hot drink would you associate with England?	Tea
Which is the smallest in the Saxophone family?	Soprillo Saxophone
What does RSPB stand for?	Royal Society for the Protection of Birds
What is the definition or meaning of the Latin phrase 'Quid pro quo'?	Something for Something
Friggatriskaidekaphobia is the original word for the fear of what?	Friday the 13th
In which country is the 'doing nothing' competition annually held?	South Korea
Shoshone Falls is located in what state?	Idaho
Who originally coined the term cancer?	Hippocrates
What is the carat value for pure gold?	24
Which monarch is it likely that Queenstown in South Island of New Zealand is named after?	Queen Victoria
Why does Queen Elizabeth II have no passport?	All British Passports are issued in the name of the Queen
What fear do people with haphophobia have?	Fear of touch
What is somnambulism?	Sleepwalking
What is the top of a super volcano called?	The Crater
What great philosopher, tutored Alexander the Great?	Aristotle
A novella is a short what?	Novel

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What is a 'Brass Monkey'?	A brass plate on a sailing ship
Which word is used to describe a person concealing his or her true identity?	Incognito
According to Greek Mythology, where is the birthplace of Zeus?	Crete
What is the oldest age reached by a survivor of the Titanic disaster?	104 years, 72 days
What is heroin obtained from?	Opium Poppy
Who came up with the theory of the 4 humours?	Physician Hippocrates
What gem is the September birth stone?	Sapphire
Winnie-the-Pooh and his friends inhabit a part of land known as....?	The 100 Acre Wood
Which country is the largest producer of Sugar Cane?	Brazil
According to legend, which famous mythological king pulled the legendary sword out of a stone?	Arthur Pendragon
What is the 'tip' of the boat called?	Bow
What are the four C's for rating a diamond?	Colour, Clarity, Cut and Carat Weight
Philately is the study of what?	Stamps
What four-letter girl's name gave Jane Austen the title of a comic novel?	Emma
What was the event that happened when Mark Twain was born and also when he died?	Halley's Comet
Which British author created Sherlock Holmes?	Sir Arthur Conan Doyle
What member of royalty owned more than 30 corgi dogs throughout their reign?	Elizabeth II
What is an aglet?	The plastic tip of a shoelace
How many times a year does an equinox occur?	Twice
What is deep vein thrombosis?	Formation of a blood clot within a deep vein
Who was the Greek goddess of love?	Aphrodite
Which shoe company are famous for their waffle sole?	Nike
What gemstone has a name literally meaning not intoxicated?	Amethyst
What is a penny-farthing?	A Bicycle
AM and PM. What do they mean?	Before noon and After noon
To which of the body's senses does olfactory refer?	Smell
Which one of the seven ancient wonders of the world is still standing today?	The Great Pyramid of Giza
What type of place is the Old Bailey?	Court
What colour are the Russian Church domes?	Gold
Who was Aphrodite?	Goddess of Beauty

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What was the name of the lion that was shot by a dentist in Zimbabwe in July 2015?	Cecil
What do the letters in Pontiac's GTO stand for?	Gran Turismo Omologato
What are rain overshoes called?	Galoshes
What is celebrated on April 22 of every year?	Earth Day
Information from a reliable source is said to come from where?	Horse's mouth
What type of products does Sony primarily manufacture?	Electronics
Hexakosioihexekontahexaphobia is the fear of which number?	666
Who invented Jeans?	Levi Strauss
What does IQ stand for?	Intelligence Quotient
What kind of animal was the now extinct Dodo?	Bird
What is Hemophobia?	A fear of blood
What should a Javanese couple do in order to get married?	Plant 5 trees
Bubble wrap was originally invented to be used as what?	Wallpaper
What country made Pokémon?	Japan
After making it big, what kind of car did Elvis Presley buy his mother?	Cadillac Fleetwood
For how many years did Hachiko wait for his owner at Shibuya Station?	9 years
Why did no one show to the party Stephen Hawking hosted on June 28, 2000?	He only invited time travellers
To which planet does the moon Oberon belong to?	Uranus
What colour is the 4th colour of the rainbow?	Green
Which French city in the Côte-d'Or department is famous for its mustard?	Dijon
According to legend, at whom did Peeping Tom peep?	Lady Godiva
In which London Church is Poets' Corner?	Westminster Abbey
Which Royal residence includes St George's Chapel?	Windsor Castle
How many lines in a standard limerick?	Five
What is the highest number on a British bingo card?	90
Which mythical animal resembled a white horse with one long horn on its forehead?	Unicorn
Which British Dramatist wrote the Winslow Boy and The Browning Version?	Terence Rattigan
What name is given to the right to receive daylight into a building if it has been unobstructed for twenty years?	Ancient lights
On which Manhattan Street is the New York Stock Exchange?	Wall Street



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In the Old Testament, which city was captured by Joshua when its walls fell at the blast of the trumpets?	Jericho
What colour is the 'This Is Your Life' Book?	Red
What was 'Mastermind' winner, Fred Housego's job?	Taxi Driver
Which priest and detective was created by G K Chesterton?	Father Brown
What name is given to a swinging device used to regulate a clock mechanism?	Pendulun
Of which country is the shekel the basic monetary unit?	Israel
Which parts of the body does a chiropodist treat?	Feet
The kimono is a traditional piece of clothing of which country?	Japan
What was the name of the boy in AA Milne's Winnie-the-Pooh stories?	Christopher Robin
What is the name for a group of geese in flight and a length of thread?	Skein
Who wrote the series of TV monologues Talking Heads?	Alan Bennett
Chiromancy is another name for which fortune-telling system?	Palmistry
How many human players are there on each side in a polo match?	Four
Street artist Banksy is originally associated with which British city?	Bristol
What was the name of the baker in whose bakery the Great Fire of London of 1666 apparently started?	Thomas Farriner
Which two students founded Google in 1998?	Larry Page and Sergey Brin
Which singer finally broke free from her 13-year legal conservatorship in September 2021, which gave her father and others control of her financial and health decisions?	Britney Spears
Name all 12 star signs?	Aries, Taurus, Gemini, Cancer, Leo, Virgo, Libra, Scorpio, Sagittarius, Capricorn, Aquarius, and Pisces
What is Lady Gaga's real name?	Stefani Joanne Angelina Germanotta
How old does a candidate have to be to stand for US president?	35 years old and must have been a resident of the United States for 14 years.
Name the slowest animal in the world	Three-toed Sloth
What country does LEGO originate from?	Denmark
Which author created Dracula?	Bram Stoker
How many bags of wool did "Baa Baa Black Sheep" have?	Three
Who was the Muse of History in Greek mythology?	Clio

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Who wrote notes from a Small Island and Down Under?	Bill Bryson
Which fortune-telling cards are divided into the Major and Minor Arcana?	Tarot Cards
What are the two cities in the Charles Dickens novel, A Tale of Two Cities?	London & Paris
The art of self-defence aikido originated in which Country?	Japan
If a Bridge player has a Yarborough, what is the top scoring card?	Nine
What does a kleptomaniac do?	Steals
If you bear a grudge, you are said to have a chip on which body part?	Shoulder
Which animator is the creator of Wallace and Gromit?	Nick Park
With which band did Mick Hucknall find success?	Simply Red
What word links sea, fish, table and water?	Salt
With which style of dance is Margot Fonteyn associated?	Ballet
The Leaning Tower of Pisa was originally used as what?	A bell tower
Rubella is the medical name for what?	German measles
What is the Latin word used for the order of mammals that includes Gerbils?	Rodentia
Sharpening the blade of a tool is known as what?	Whetting
Into how many pieces did the Titanic break before completely sinking?	Three
What is the psychiatric name for self-love?	Narcissism
Which historical character was assassinated on the Ides of March?	Julius Caesar
What does 'Demure' mean?	Shy & Reserved
What word links wine, tape and herring?	Red
What are the strings of a violin bow made of?	Horse Hair
How many 'legs' on the symbol for the Isle of Man?	Three
Which Native American tribe would live in cliff dwellings?	Puebloans
What animal name came from ancient Greek and means 'River Horse'?	Hippopotamus
Nyctophobia is the fear of what?	Darkness
In folklore, who leaves a small payment when children place their baby teeth underneath their pillow?	The Tooth Fairy
Casanova ate fifty of what each morning to increase potency?	Oysters
What is the coldest continent on Earth?	Antarctica
The phrase 'pecking order' originated in the traditional behaviour of which birds?	Chickens
In Greek mythology, what is Pegasus?	A winged horse



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What is the tallest waterfall in the world?	Angel Falls
In the world of video games, who has a brother called Luigi?	Mario
Melomania is a craze for what?	Music
Traditionally, people use their feet to extract juice from which fruit?	Grapes
How many kings would you find in a standard deck of playing cards?	4
How many time zones are there in the world?	24
Norse Warriors, renowned for their fury in battle, have given us which word?	Berserk
What is the most common eye colour in the world?	Brown
Since 1991, what is 'OPM' most often used to mean?	Other People's Money
What sort of animal is Chester, the mascot of Cheetos cheese snack?	Cheetah
What is the unit of currency in Japan?	Yen
What was the name of the Greek Mythological woman who had snakes for hair?	Medusa
Who was King Arthur's most trusted friend and partner?	Merlin
The word 'armada' is most associated with which form of transport?	Ships
According to legend, kissing which stone in Ireland gives you the gift of the gab?	The Blarney Stone
Snakes are kept in a what?	Terrarium
What was distinctive about Tarzan's friend in the films, Cheeta?	He was a Chimpanzee
On most maps, what does the colour blue signify?	Water
Admiral is a rank in which branch of the armed forces?	Navy
Which musical instrument did Louis Armstrong play?	Trumpet
If a ring has the number 925 stamped into it, it is most likely made of what material?	Silver
How many sides does a parallelogram have?	4
Canaletto is famous for his 18th century paintings of which city?	Venice
In what year did Norwegian explorer Roald Amundsen reach the South Pole, the first known to do so?	1911
What is German for 'Ghost who makes a racket'?	Poltergeist
What is the third letter of the Greek Alphabet?	Gamma
What name is given to the unnatural fear of death?	Thanatophobia
Which animals feature on the Australian coat of arms?	Kangaroo and Emu
Which creature appears on the Welsh national flag?	Red Dragon
In which profession did Hans Christian Andersen become famous?	Author
Which great river is nicknamed 'Old Man River'?	Mississippi

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How many countries are universally recognized as owning Antarctica?	Zero
Where was porcelain first made?	China
Which term describes a website in which journal entries are posted on a regular basis?	Blog
Which body formed in October 1945 and by 2009 had 192 members?	The United Nations
In weaving, what are the threads running parallel to the length of the cloth called?	Warp
Which dance is also a hot spicy dipping sauce?	Salsa
What is the most important dance in Brazil's Carnival celebration?	Samba
The French bank and financial services company, BNP Paribas, holds an annual event giving award in what field?	Philanthropy
How long is a trimester?	3 months
Which dialect forms the basis of the modern standard Chinese language?	Mandarin
In which decade was the hovercraft invented?	1950s
Which three-headed dog guarded the gates of Hades in Greek Mythology?	Cerberus
In Greek Mythology, who was the sister of Apollo?	Artemis
The average person's short-term memory can remember how many digits?	5-9
A club in central London called 'The Night Tripper' that opened on 23 December 1966 later changed its name to what?	The UFO
Who has been quoted as saying, 'People say graffiti is ugly, irresponsible and childish... but that's only if it's done properly'?	Banksy
Hakuna Matata is Swahili, but when translated to English it means what?	No Worries
What name links Johnny, the US Singer and Pat, the Australian tennis player?	Cash
Pigeons trained to return to their home roosts are described as what?	Homing Pigeons
Rolex is a watch manufacturer from which country?	Switzerland
What word did the Romans have for the City of London?	Londinium
What is the word for a piece of material that is used to mend a hole in an item of clothing?	Patch
'Walking the Dog' is a trick accomplished with which object?	Yo-Yo
What is the word for the minimum number of people that must be at a meeting for it to become official?	Quorum
Hieroglyphics are associated with which country?	Egypt
What, according to common myth, are elephants afraid of?	Mice
Igneous, sedimentary and metamorphic are all kinds of what?	Rock

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What sort of key is used to start a car?	Ignition Key
If you add a dozen to 5, what do you get?	17
How many ounces are there in 8 lbs?	128
What facial feature is missing from the Mona Lisa?	Eyebrows and eyelashes
Complete the phrase meaning to encourage someone to do wrong, 'aid and ___'?	Abet
What colour is a London taxi?	Black
Where are krugerrands legal tender?	South Africa
Which vegetable gives 'Popeye' his strength?	Spinach
What machine separates grain from its stalk?	Thresher
Sledge, tack, claw, Framing, Upholstery, Ball-Peen, Twist, Dog-Head and Bush are all types of what?	Hammer
What 'Stick' would you use to jump up and down?	Pogo Stick
Who is the solicitor in Charles Dickens's 'Great Expectations'?	Mr Jaggers
In Greek legend, a woodland deity, half man, half goat, is called a.....?	Satyr
Which of Earth's oceans holds the most water?	The Pacific Ocean
Which vegetable was originally used to make Jack-O'-Lanterns?	Turnips
What colour is a New York Taxi?	Yellow
The upmarket boutique chain DASH is owned by which siblings?	Kardashian's
Pyrophobia is a fear of what?	Fire
What is a siskin?	Bird
What planet has the hottest surface?	Venus
In Australia, July is part of which season?	Winter
In the southern states of the USA. What word is used to describe a type of swamp?	Bayou
What is the total number of pips on a standard die?	21
What herb symbolises remembrance?	Rosemary
What is the only bird in the Chinese zodiac?	Rooster
What word links table, typing and swimming?	Pool
What bird is the symbol for the RSPB?	Avocet
Which Hindu god has the head of an elephant?	Ganesh
According to the biblical story of Creation, on what day did God rest?	Seventh
Cambria is the Medieval Latin name for which country?	Wales
What does the 'I' in SIM Card stand for?	Identity

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Originating in Brazil, what is capoeira?	Martial Art
In which location would you find Michelangelo's painting 'The Creation of Adam'?	Sistine Chapel
Dutch is the official language of the Netherlands and which other European country?	Belgium
According to the saying, what shouldn't those in glass houses do?	Throw stones
According to the proverb, if you lie down with dogs, what do you get up with?	Fleas
Which Italian phrase means sung without instrumental accompaniment?	A Cappella
Sometimes written on the back of an envelope, what does the 'K; stand for in 'SWALK'?	Kiss
Which group of invaders built Hadrians Wall?	Romans
In Morse Code, what letter is represented by a single dot?	E
In legal tender issued in the UK before 1 January 1961, what was next in the series: shilling, penny, a'penny,.....?	Farthing
What is the Scottish word that applies to New Year's Eve?	Hogmanay
Which iconic American sports car is named after a breed of horse?	Mustang
In ancient Greece, they thought the world was made up of which four elements?	Fire, Water, Earth and Air
What are the three major providers of roadside assistance in the UK?	AA, Greenflag and RAC
What term is used to describe an older woman that dresses youthfully but in an unflattering way?	Mutton dressed as lamb
Which brand of rifles shares its name with a town in Hampshire?	Winchester
Which island shares its name with a type of sweater?	Jersey
What term does the press usually give to a widely-respected celebrity?	National Treasure
If you spill salt, where must you then throw some in order to counteract bad luck?	Over your left shoulder (to blind the Devil)
How did Nick Knowles, the English TV Presenter, burn himself in a very sensitive area in 2010?	He was baking an apple crumble in the nude
Who advises on readers' personal problems in newspapers and magazines?	Agony Aunt
Which organisation saw people scale buildings dressed as Superheroes?	Fathers 4 Justice
Which two terms denote the illegal dumping of rubbish and the illegal placing of advertising?	Fly-tipping and Fly-posting
What suit is it illegal to wear in the Houses of Parliament?	Suit of armour
For what is GQ short when seen on a magazine cover?	Gentlemen's Quarterly
Garavani is the surname of which Italian fashion designer born in 1932 and known usually by his first name only?	Valentino