



EGGHEADS



Game 1 Team 1

1. General Knowledge

In the UK, hallmarks are applied to items of gold, silver and which other metal?

Copper

Bronze

Platinum

2. Food & Drink

What is the English name given to **BOTRYTIS CINEREA**, the grey fungus often used in the production of fine, sweet wines?

Lordly Mould

Noble Rot

Patrician Decay

3. Arts & Books

Ernest Hemingway's novel **THE OLD MAN AND THE SEA** is set on and around which island?

Cuba

Jamaica

Hawaii

4. History

Historically, the Moors were a people from which part of the world?

Scandinavia

North Africa

Mongolia

5. Sport

John Curry is a former Olympic champion in which sport?

Figure Skating

Swimming

Table Tennis

6. Film & Television

Who played the role of Pinkie in the 1947 film adaptation of Graham Greene's **BRIGHTON ROCK**?

Dirk Bogarde

Richard Attenborough

Alec Guinness

7. Music

Will Champion and Jonny Buckland are members of which group?

Radiohead

Coldplay

Muse

8. Science

Which man, often referred to as **THE FATHER OF MODERN COMPUTER SCIENCE**, worked with the Bletchley Park codebreakers in World War II?

Robert Noyce

Alan Turing

Tim Berners-Lee

9. Geography

What name is given to a narrow channel of water, in the sea or in a lake, that joins two larger bodies of water together?

Sound

Mull

Tombola

10. Politics

Between 2001 and 2005, what position did Colin Powell hold in George W Bush's government?

Secretary of State

Vice-President

Secretary of Defense



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Game 1 Team 2

1. General Knowledge

What was the name of Norris McWhirter's brother, the co-founder of **THE GUINNESS BOOK OF RECORDS**?

Raymond

Ross

Richard

2. Food & Drink

Blanket, Honeycomb and Bible are all types of what sort of meat?

Veal

Tripe

Venison

3. Arts & Books

What is the first name of Gulliver, the title character in Jonathan Swift's **GULLIVER'S TRAVELS**?

St John

Abelard

Lemuel

4. History

Who was the king of the United Kingdom between 1911 and 1936?

George V

George VI

Edward VIII

5. Sport

Whom did Mohammad Ali floor with what has been referred to as **THE PHANTOM PUNCH** in a May 1965 title fight?

Floyd Patterson

Sonny Liston

Joe Frazier

6. Film & Television

'You might well think that; I couldn't possibly comment' is a famous line from which TV drama series?

House of Cards

Inspector Morse

Prime Suspect

7. Music

In which year was Tchaikovsky born?

1740

1790

1840

8. Science

What is the more common name of the antipodean animal, thought to be extinct, that is sometimes referred to as the thylacine?

Tasmanian Tiger

Queensland Bear

South Australian Lion

9. Geography

The flag of which country features a gold star on a red background?

Egypt

Vietnam

South Africa

10. Politics

Which 1979 headline in **THE SUN** paraphrased Jim Callaghan's supposedly cavalier attitude to the growing industrial unrest in the UK?

Storm in a Teacup

Keep Calm and Carry On

Crisis? What Crisis?



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- HISTORY North Africa
- SPORT Figure Skating
- FILM & TELEVISION Richard Attenborough
- MUSIC Coldplay
- SCIENCE Alan Turing
- GEOGRAPHY Sound
- POLITICS Secretary of State

TEAM 2

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- FOOD & DRINK Tripe
- ARTS & BOOKS Lemuel
- HISTORY George V
- SPORT Sonny Liston
- FILM & TELEVISION House of Cards
- MUSIC 1840
- SCIENCE Tasmanian Tiger
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