



EGGHEADS



Game 2 Team 1

1. General Knowledge

'The Lord is a shoving leopard' and 'tip of the slung' are examples of which figure of speech?

Simile

Spoonerism

Litotes

2. Food & Drink

Which berries are used in the making of alcoholic drink sambuca?

Raspberries

Elderberries

Blueberries

3. Arts & Books

Which British playwright won the Nobel Prize for Literature in 2005?

Tom Stoppard

Alan Ayckbourn

Harold Pinter

4. History

Which American frontiersman is famous for finding the path through the Appalachian Mountains known as the Cumberland Gap?

Davy Crockett

Kit Carson

Daniel Boone

5. Sport

The American competitor Floyd Landis caused controversy in which sport in 2006?

Baseball

Cycling

Boxing

6. Film & Television

Which scientist did David Bowie play in the Christopher Nolan film **THE PRESTIGE**?

Albert Einstein

Thomas Edison

Nikola Tesla

7. Music

La Fenice opera house is in which Italian city?

Verona

Venice

Rome

8. Science

What is the average term of pregnancy for a hamster?

13-22 hours

13-22 days

13-22 weeks

9. Geography

What is the most easterly town in England?

Margate

Grimsby

Lowestoft

10. Politics

What name is given to the United States' policy of transporting terrorist suspects to other countries to be interrogated?

Unusual Deportation

Extraordinary Rendition

International Detention



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Game 2 Team 2

1. General Knowledge

The mythical golden land of Eldorado was reputedly located on which continent?

South America

Africa

Asia

2. Food & Drink

Red Cole is an alternative name for which plant?

Horseradish

Chervil

Ginger

3. Arts & Books

Betsy Trotwood chases the donkeys from her lawn in which Dickens novel?

Nicholas Nickleby

David Copperfield

Great Expectations

4. History

Which country annexed Korea in 1910?

China

Siam (now Thailand)

Japan

5. Sport

What is the name of the hugely successful horse racing stud famously run by John Maguire?

Coolmore

Godolphin

Elite

6. Film & Television

In the 1938 Cary Grant screwball comedy **BRINGING UP BABY**, what is **BABY**?

A leopard

A lion

A tiger

7. Music

Who became the drummer for THE WHO following the death of Keith Moon?

Mitch Mitchell

Mick Avery

Kenney Jones

8. Science

In 1752, who is famously believed to have flown a kite in a thunderstorm to illustrate the electrical charge in lightning?

Benjamin Franklin

Ernest Rutherford

Isaac Newton

9. Geography

Which river originates in the Czech Republic and crosses most of Germany before emptying into the North Sea at Cuxhaven?

Elbe

Rhine

Spee

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SNP

Green Party

SDP



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