



Books - Pot Luck 12



Pub Quiz Time!

12 questions, 12 chances to score!
Pen, pint, and NO Googling!

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6. Which American journalist and poet is best known for the 1855 poetry collection Leaves of Grass?
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10. Which author famously wrote whimsical tales explaining how animals got their features, such as "How the Leopard Got His Spots"?
11. Which British writer created the hilariously awkward teenage character Adrian Mole?
12. Strawberry Hill House was the famous Gothic home of which 18th-century writer and politician?

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QUESTION	ANSWER	DID YOU KNOW?
1. Which American anthropologist co-authored A Rap on Race alongside James Baldwin?	1. Margaret Mead	1. Margaret Mead was one of the most influential cultural anthropologists of the 20th century; her conversation with Baldwin in A Rap on Race remains a landmark on race relations.
2. Which groundbreaking feminist book launched Germaine Greer to international fame?	2. The Female Eunuch	2. Germaine Greer's The Female Eunuch (1970) challenged traditional gender roles and became a foundational feminist text.
3. Just Getting Started is a memoir written by which Canadian pop star?	3. Justin Bieber	3. In Just Getting Started, Justin Bieber reflects on his life in the spotlight, released at the peak of his early fame.
4. The Little Match Girl is a heartbreaking story written by which author?	4. Hans Christian Andersen	4. Hans Christian Andersen's The Little Match Girl is one of his most poignant fairy tales, known for its social commentary on poverty.
5. Who wrote the story about a brave mongoose named Rikki-Tikki-Tavi?	5. Rudyard Kipling	5. Rikki-Tikki-Tavi, a fearless mongoose, is one of the best-loved characters from Kipling's The Jungle Book.
6. Which American journalist and poet is best known for the 1855 poetry collection Leaves of Grass?	6. Walt Whitman	6. Walt Whitman self-published Leaves of Grass in 1855, and it became a defining work of American poetry and transcendental thought.
7. How many lines are there in a traditional Japanese haiku?	7. Three	7. A traditional haiku consists of just three lines, typically with a 5-7-5 syllable pattern.
8. In Charles Dickens' Great Expectations, what is the name of Pip's loyal best friend?	8. Herbert Pocket	8. Herbert Pocket becomes Pip's closest friend and mentor figure in Great Expectations, helping him adjust to life in London.
9. Which Neil Gaiman novel features Tristan Thorn and the magical town of Wall?	9. Stardust	9. Stardust, one of Neil Gaiman's most beloved novels, blends fantasy and folklore, later adapted into a hit film in 2007.
10. Which author famously wrote whimsical tales explaining how animals got their features, such as "How the Leopard Got His Spots"?	10. Rudyard Kipling	10. Rudyard Kipling's Just So Stories use playful myth-making to explain animal traits, like "How the Camel Got His Hump."
11. Which British writer created the hilariously awkward teenage character Adrian Mole?	11. Sue Townsend	11. Sue Townsend's Adrian Mole series hilariously captures the thoughts and struggles of a socially awkward British teenager.
12. Strawberry Hill House was the famous Gothic home of which 18th-century writer and politician?	12. Horace Walpole	12. Horace Walpole, author of The Castle of Otranto, built Strawberry Hill House, a Gothic masterpiece that inspired Gothic literature.