

## General Knowledge Quiz (Round 369)

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### Questions:

- 1) Which British novelist wrote the espionage thrillers "Tinker, Tailor, Soldier, Spy" and "The Spy Who Came in from the Cold"?
- 2) "An Inspector Calls", a play often studied in British schools, was written by which playwright?  
a) Harold Pinter b) J.B. Priestley c) Tom Stoppard
- 3) Which British actress starred in the films "The Queen" and "The Prime of Miss Jean Brodie", winning Academy Awards for both roles?
- 4) The classic children's television series featuring a bear from Peru is titled what?
- 5) Which English city is known as the birthplace of The Beatles? a) Manchester b) Birmingham c) Liverpool
- 6) Which English author penned the dystopian novel "Brave New World"?
- 7) The historical TV drama "Poldark" is set in which British county?
- 8) Which British fashion icon is the former editor-in-chief of "Vogue" UK and the current European editor-at-large for the American "Vogue"?  
a) Anna Wintour b) Kate Moss c) Hamish Bowles
- 9) Which British radio station, founded in 1967, primarily targets the 15-29 age group and has played a major role in promoting new music in the UK?
- 10) Which British actor is best known for his roles in the "Harry Potter" films, "Die Hard", and "Love Actually"?

### Answers:

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Answer: **John le Carré.**

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Answer: **b) J.B. Priestley.**

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Answer: **Maggie Smith.**

4) The classic children's television series featuring a bear from Peru is titled what?

Answer: **Paddington Bear.**

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Answer: **c) Liverpool.**

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Answer: **Aldous Huxley.**

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Answer: **Cornwall**

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Answer: **Alan Rickman**