### Quiz 1

### Christmas Quiz (Round 1)

### 2022 Christmas

We have hundreds of Christmas themed questions in our Christmas category to help keep you entertained this festive period.

### Questions

**1)** In which Pacific Ocean island nation is Father Christmas known as santa-san (Mr Santa)?

2) The Twelve Days of Christmas traditionally finish on which date?

3) St. Stephen's Day is also know as?

4) Between 1996 and 1998, which British girl band celebrated three consecutive UK Christmas number one singles?

5) In the song 'Twelve Days of Christmas', how many ladies were dancing?

6) Who wrote 'A Visit from St. Nicholas', the famous christmas poem with the opening line 'Twas the night before Christmas'?

7) 'Walking in the Air' is a song taken from which Christmas film?

8) Which UK monarch delivered the first Christmas Broadcast to the BBC in 1932?

9) Christmas fruit cake Stollen is traditionally associated with which country?

10) On Christmas Day 1950, what did four Scottish students steal from Westminster Abbey?

### Answers

**1)** In which Pacific Ocean island nation is Father Christmas known as santa-san (Mr Santa)?

### Japan

2) The Twelve Days of Christmas traditionally finish on which date?

### January 5th

3) St. Stephen's Day is also know as?

### Boxing Day

4) Between 1996 and 1998, which British girl band celebrated three consecutive UK Christmas number one singles?

### **Spice Girls**

5) In the song 'Twelve Days of Christmas', how many ladies were dancing?

### Nine

6) Who wrote 'A Visit from St. Nicholas', the famous christmas poem with the opening line 'Twas the night before Christmas'?

### **Clement Clark Moore**

7) 'Walking in the Air' is a song taken from which Christmas film?

### The Snowman

8) Which UK monarch delivered the first Christmas Broadcast to the BBC in 1932?

### George V

9) Christmas fruit cake Stollen is traditionally associated with which country?

### Germany

10) On Christmas Day 1950, what did four Scottish students steal from Westminster Abbey?

### **Stone of Destiny**

### Sports Quiz Round 1

### Sports

Match the following American sports teams with their sport.

### **Anaheim Ducks**

Ice Hockey

### **Charlotte Hornets**

Basketball

### **Cleveland Browns**

American Football

### **Texas Rangers**

Baseball

### Atlanta Hawks

Basketball

### **Philadelphia 76ers**

Basketball

### **New Orleans Pelicans**

Basketball

### Minnesota Twins

Baseball

### Arizona Coyotes

Ice Hockey

### San Jose Earthquake

Football (Soccer)

### Gulliver's Travels (Round 1)

#### General Knowledge

The questions and answers within this pub quiz round were verified and updated in July 2020.

This quiz is also available to play along in podcast format:

All answers are available below:

# 1) Which British actor who starred as Jimmy in the film Quadrophenia later appeared in Blur's video for the single Parklife?

2) As of July 2020, which Argentinian striker is Barcelona's all-time leading goalscorer?

3) Lara Croft is a fictional character in which video game franchise?

4) Planned and constructed in 1850 by King Maximilian II of Bavaria, Maximilianstrasse is a major shopping district in which German city?

5) The wise, methodical detective Lester Freamon is a fictional character in which cult TV series set in Baltimore?

### 6) Which is Europe's most southernly capital city?

### 7) Clark Kent is the real name of which superhero?

8) The film Grease was mostly filmed in which US state?

9) Which Irish writer and clergyman wrote Gulliver's Travels?

**10)** The largest tower located OUTSIDE of London in the United Kingdom is found in which English city?

#### Answers:

# 1) Which British actor who starred as Jimmy in the film Quadrophenia later appeared in Blur's video for the single Parklife?

Phil Daniels

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Lionel Messi

### 3) Lara Croft is a fictional character in which video game franchise?

Tomb Raider

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Munich

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The Wire

### 6) Which is Europe's most southernly capital city?

Nicosia, Cyprus

### 7) Clark Kent is the real name of which superhero?

Superman

### 8) The film Grease was mostly filmed in which US state?

California

### 9) Which Irish writer and clergyman wrote Gulliver's Travels?

Jonathan Swift

# **10)** The largest tower located OUTSIDE of London in the United Kingdom is found in which English city?

Manchester

### Art Quiz Round 1

#### <u>Art</u>

### The Mona Lisa by Leonardo da Vinci is on display in which Paris museum?

Louvre

### In which century did da Vinci paint The Last Supper?

Fifteenth century

## Florence's Accademia Gallery houses which well-known Michaelangelo renaissance sculpture?

David Statue

# The Creation of Adam is one of nine scenes featured on the ceiling of which Rome landmark?

The Sistine Chapel

# The bronze sculpture 'The Thinker' was created by which French sculptor in the early twentieth century?

Auguste Rodin

### Which Vincent van Gogh painting was the inspiration for the Don McLean song 'Vincent'

Starry Night

What was the surname of Edvard, the creator of The Scream, a name which also features in a well known brand of crisps?

Munch

# The Aphrodite of Milos, the Greek statue believed to be the work of Alexandros of Antioch is better known by which name?

Venus de Milo

## Which famous artist best known for the striking and bizarre images in his surrealist work was born in Figueres, Catalonia in May 1904?

Salvador Dali

Complete the name of the world famous Greek sculpture completed in approximately 450 BC - The Diskobolus of...?

Myron

### December 2015 Quiz Round 1

2015 December 2015 quiz questions

## Camden Town Brewery was sold to which global drinks giant who's stable already includes Budweister, Stella Artois and Beck's?

AB InBev (Anheuser-Busch InBev)

# Which former French footballer was given an eight-year ban from the game over an alleged 'disloyal payment'?

Michel Platini

### Which son of Labour MP Tony Benn served as Labour shadow foreign secretary?

Hilary Benn

## Noma Dumezweni was cast as which character in a London stage production of Harry Potter?

Hermione Grainger

# The latest release of which movie franchise shattered box office records in it's opening weekend?

Star Wars: The Force Awakens

## Which English broadcaster announced his latest project - an exploration of the 2,300km Great Barrier Reef in Australia?

Sir David Attenborough

#### Which member of the boyband The Wanted won BBC's Strictly Come Dancing crown?

Jay McGuinness

## Which Scottish sportsman was named BBC's Sports Personality of the Year award for a second time?

Andy Murray

### December 2015 saw the death of which former BBC Match of the Day presenter?

Jimmy Hill

# Which Marmite-like leader of the Labour party celebrated 100 days in charge of his party?

Jeremy Corbyn

### Geography Quiz (Round 1)

<u>Geography</u> There are hundreds more questions in the Geography category

#### Questions

1) More than half of the United States entire coastline is situated in which state?

2) Which Brazilian rainforest produces over 20% of the world's oxygen supply?

3) Which city is the only city in the world to be located on two separate continents?

4) What is the world's smallest island with country status?

5) The Kola Superdeep Borehole, the deepest hole ever drilled by man, reached a depth of over 12km but in which country was it located?

6) Angel Falls is the world's highest waterfall. In which country is it located?

7) Superior is the largest lake in which continent?

8) The Great Bear lake pans over 12,000 square miles. In which country is it located?

9) Which continent is the world's second-smallest by size but also has the second-largest population?

10) What is the capital city of the Republic of Ireland?

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2) Which Brazilian rainforest produces over 20% of the world's oxygen supply? **Amazon** 

3) Which city is the only city in the world to be located on two separate continents? **Istanbul, Turkey** 

4) What is the world's smallest island with country status? **Pitcairn Island in Polynesia** 

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6) Angel Falls is the world's highest waterfall. In which country is it located? **Venezuela** 

7) Superior is the largest lake in which continent? **North America** 

8) The Great Bear lake pans over 12,000 square miles. In which country is it located? **Canada** 

9) Which continent is the world's second-smallest by size but also has the second-largest population? **Europe** 

10) What is the capital city of the Republic of Ireland? **Dublin** 

### 2000s Music Quiz (Round 1)

#### Music 2000s Music

Which artist had the second-biggest selling single of the decade with his version of 'Unchained Melody'?

Gareth Gates

# In 2004, Las Vegas-based alternative rock band The Killers released their successful debut album. What was it called?

Hot Fuss

#### What was the surname of Gnarls who had chart success in 2006 with Crazy?

Barkley

#### Which female singer partnered with Nelly to release Dilemma in 2002?

Kelly Rowland

## Which female singer released 'Fight For This Love' following her departure from a successful girl group?

Cheryl Cole

### Which artist took the decade by storm with her 2008 album release of The Fame?

Lady Gaga

### will.i.am, Taboo, Fergie and apl.de.ap made up which chart-topping group?

The Black Eyed Peas

### Which Scottish band released Take Me Out in 2004?

Franz Ferdinand

#### Complete the title of this Daniel Bedingfield track? 'If You're Not The...'

One

### Which group topped the UK single chart in 2002 with 'Just a Little'?

Liberty X