



Round 1 - Music

1. Which British pop star had number one hits in the 1950s, 1960s, 1970s, 1980s and 1990s? **Cliff Richard**
2. Taylor Swift released two studio albums in 2020. One was called Folklore but what was the name of the other one? **Evermore**
3. What was the name of David Bowie's flamboyant alter ego? **Ziggy Stardust**
4. Which year was Live Aid - 1984, 1985 or 1986? **1985**
5. Which 2007 song by Mika has the following lyrics: "I could be brown, I could be blue, I could be violet sky"? **Grace Kelly**
6. Who joined the London Symphony Orchestra for a live performance of The Chariots of Fire theme music in the opening ceremony of the 2012 London Olympics? **Rowan Atkinson as Mr Bean**
7. Which comedy duo joined the Lightning Seeds in 1996 for the hit song Three Lions? **David Baddiel and Frank Skinner**
8. Which song was Christmas number one in both 1975 and 1991? **Bohemian Rhapsody**

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Round 2 - History and politics

1. The first successful vaccine was introduced by Edward Jenner in 1796. Which disease did it protect against? **Smallpox**
2. Who was assassinated by Nathuram Godse on 30 January 1948? **Mahatma Gandhi**
3. In which year did Clement Attlee become Prime Minister, was V-E Day celebrated and George Orwell's 'Animal Farm' published? **1945**
4. The faces of four U.S. presidents are carved into the granite of which mountain? **Mount Rushmore**
5. What country did Winston Churchill describe as "a riddle, wrapped in a mystery, inside an enigma"? **Russia**
6. Which former British Prime Minister graduated from Oxford University in 1947 with Second-Class Honours in Chemistry? **Margaret Thatcher**
7. Who was the first wife of Henry VIII? **Catherine of Aragon**
8. How many MP seats are there in the UK parliament? 630, 640 or 650? **650**

Round 3 - Popular culture

1. Who is the oldest Kardashian? Kim, Kourtney, Khloe or Rob? **Kourtney**
2. What was the show that originally made Simon Cowell famous? **Pop Idol**
3. Which social media platform number has the highest number of active users?
Facebook
4. How many actors have played Batman on screen? **11 actors – Robert Pattinson, Ben Affleck, Christian Bale, George Clooney, Val Kilmer, Michael Keaton, Adam West, Robert Lowery, Lewis G. Wilson, Iain Glen, and David Mazouz**
5. What is the title of the fifth Harry Potter book? **Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix**
6. From 2011 to 2019, Meghan Markle was an actress on which TV show? **Suits**
7. Stefani Joanne Angelina Germanotta is the real name of which famous performer?
Lady Gaga
8. Which one of these sports was NOT an official sport in the 2021 Olympic Games?
Skateboarding, Breakdancing or Softball? **Breakdancing**

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Round 4 - Sport

1. What's the maximum score you can achieve in 10-pin bowling? **300**
2. How many balls are on a snooker table at the start of a frame, including the white? **22**
3. During September 2020, Hollywood stars Ryan Reynolds and Rob McElhenney announced they wanted to invest in which National League club? **Wrexham**
4. What was Muhammad Ali's birth name? **Cassius Clay**
5. Which team did Kobe Bryant spend his entire basketball career with? **LA Lakers**
6. Darts player Peter Wright opened up the defence of his PDC World Championship title at Alexandra Palace dressed as which Christmas character? **The Grinch**
7. What is Usain Bolt's blistering 100m world record time? **9.58 seconds**
8. Who has won more grand slam tennis titles: Serena Williams or Roger Federer?
Serena Williams

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Round 5 - Geography

1. What is the oldest active volcano on Earth? **Mount Etna**
2. What does the “DC” stand for in Washington DC? **District of Columbia**
3. Which city is built entirely upon a series of small islands? **Venice**
4. Which country is known as the “Land of Fire and Ice”? **Iceland**
5. Which lake is the world’s largest lake? **Lake Superior**
6. What is the oldest recorded town in the UK? **Colchester**
7. What is the name of the largest river to flow through Paris? **The Seine**
8. What is the largest desert in the world? **Antarctica**

Round 6 - TV and film

1. Which period drama became Netflix’s biggest ever show in January 2021? **Bridgerton**
2. How many Fast and Furious movies have there been? **9**
3. In what year did Coronation Street first air on ITV? **1960**
4. What is the highest-grossing box office film of all time? **Avatar**
5. Friends ended in May 2004 after how many seasons? **10**
6. Name the film which contains the famous line: “You can’t handle the truth!” **A Few Good Men**
7. Where is the movie Black Panther set? **Wakanda**
8. Bowel Cancer UK patron, Connor Swindells, stars alongside Asa Butterfield, Ncuti Gatwa, Emma Mackey and Gillian Anderson in which hit Netflix show? **Sex Education**

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