

Quiz 57 – November

General Knowledge

- 1. Who was Henry VIII's last wife?
- 2. America's Republican Party is commonly referred to as the GOP. What does it stand for?
- 3. The word yoga is derived from a Sanscrit word meaning:- posture, spirit or union?
- 4. Who is the only musician ever to have been awarded the Nobel Prize for Literature?
- 5. How many horses are on each polo team in a polo match?
- 6. Which composer wrote the scores for ~A fistful of dollars ~, ~For a few dollars more ~, and ~the good, the bad and the ugly™?
- 7. What is the name of the secret agent played by Rowan Atkinson which is a parody of James Bond?
- 8. Which choir had a number one hit in 2011 with "wherever you are" selling 571,000 copies in its first week?
- 9. Mary Poppins is nanny to which family?
- 10. What is the name of Jack Sparrow's ship?

Art & Literature

- 1. What colour boat did The Owl and The Pussycat go to sea in?
- 2. Which famous writer said on arriving at New York customs, "I have nothing to declare but my genius?"
- 3. Which railway station would you be at if you were about to board The Hogwarts Express?
- 4. 'If you can keep your head when all about you are losing theirs and blaming it on you':- which poem do these words come from and who wrote them?
- 5. Who is the giant with 100 eyes in Greek Mythology?
- 6. Name the gallery famous for buying and exhibiting a pile of bricks
- 7. In which English city did Adolf Hitler study Art?
- 8. Which artist created the work 100 Marilyns?
- 9. Which Spanish artist is known for his paintings of melting clocks and unusual swans and elephants?
- 10. What is the technique of painting in which small, distinct dots of colour are applied in patterns to form an image?



History & Geography

- 1. Which country did Britain fight in the War of Jenkins' Ear?
- 2. Who had a horse called Bucephalus?
- 3. Whose last words are reputed to be "My neck is very slender"?
- 4. Golda Mer was the Prime Minister of which country from 1970-1974?
- 5. What was the American codename for the development of the atom bomb?
- 6. On an alphabetical list of the 15 independent countries that were once the Soviet Union, which comes last?
- 7. What is Stromboli?
- 8. In which ocean are the Sevchelles?
- 9. On which Hawaiian island is Pearl Harbour?
- 10. What is the capital of Nepal?

Alphabetically linked

- 1. Who first crossed The English Channel by aeroplane in 1909? (Last name)
- 2. What is an infant whale called?
- 3. What is the capital of Syria?
- 4. What was Linda McCartney's maiden name?
- 5. Who invented the lightening conductor?
- 6. What is the name of Denis The Menace's dog?
- 7. In which London cemetery is Karl Marx buried?
- 8. What are the first three words of The Bible?
- 9. Where is Montego Bay?
- 10. What is the world's largest living lizard?



Word Links

What word can go after the first and before the second? E.G. Card, Board...room could be inserted

- 1. Tennis House
- 2. Banana Ends
- 3. About Value
- 4. Prison Dancing
- 5. Looking Blower
- 6. Square Beer
- 7. Quality Freak
- 8. Family House
- 9. National Dog
- 10. Double Country

Connections

- 1. What is the first name of the woman who was one of the stars of Ground Force and now presents Garden Rescue?
- 2. In which country would you find the cities of Jodhpur and Amritsar?
- 3. The line, 'Don't shoot until you see the whites of their eyes,' comes from which Michael Caine film?
- 4. Which ballroom dance is similar to a waltz but is in 4/4 time instead of 3/4?
- 5. What is the connection?

Connections

- 1. Who does Patricia Routledge play in Keeping Up Appearances?
- 2. Which song provided the Foundations with a number 2 hit in 1968?
- 3. Which model did Paul McCartney marry in 2002 and divorce in 2008?
- 4. Which famous racehorse won the Cheltenham Gold Cup in 1989?
- 5. What's the connection?



LONDON BRIDGES QUIZ

Clue: We are going upstream.

- 1. Do you stand behind each other on this one?
- 2. Whether you support the light or dark blues it all starts here.
- 3. Very handy for dogs.
- 4. Queen Victoria's prince.
- 5. Try a current bun here.
- 6. Governors move about for this one.
- 7. Only Cavaliers allowed or maybe an Astra!
- 8. Dance across this one but at a steady pace.
- 9. A popular place to see MPs.
- 10. Surely this should be in Berkshire.
- 11. Napoleon would not want to use it!
- 12. Dominicans not Franciscans.
- 13. When Robbie sang this did it wobble?
- 14. It hasn't fallen down!
- 15. The one in Blackpool doesn't span a river.