

May 11, 2022
Layo

Categories

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Results

| Rank | Team | 1 | 2 | 3 | Final |
|------|-----------------|----|----|----|-------|
| 1 | Today Is Wed | 12 | 17 | 16 | 45 |
| 2 | A Family Affair | 14 | 14 | 11 | 39 |
| 3 | Here's Murph | 12 | 12 | 14 | 38 |
| 4 | Hot Dogs | 9 | 6 | 8 | 23 |
| | AVERAGE | 12 | 12 | 12 | 36 |

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Category 1 - Celebrity Spelling Bee (first name only)

Spell the first names of tehse celebrities/

1. [SHA] + [nuhn] Doherty
2. [TAWM] Yorke
3. [NIK] + [UH] + [LUHS] Cage
4. [KAWRT] + [NEE] Cox
5. [SUR] + [shuh] Ronan

Category 2 - Everything's for Sale

6. In the year 2000, the founders of Netflix offered to sell it to this company for 50 million dollars; the offer was declined
7. This band said "We Sold Our Soul for Rock 'n' Roll" claimed this metal band in a 1975 compilation album
8. All 2,500 copies of this Nathaniel Hawthorne book were sold within 10 days of its initial print run in 1850
9. In 2013, Toyota sold its 40 millionth of this model, at the time accounting for 1 in 5 of all Toyotas ever sold worldwide
10. Sales of these candies skyrocketed after being featured in "E.T. the Extra-Terrestrial"

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Category 3 - Ends with "X"

11. What is the name of the depiction of Jesus on the cross
12. Also known as a collapsed lung, it occurs when air leaks into the space between the lung and the chest wall
13. What artist holds the record for most weeks at number one on the Billboard Hot 100

Bonus: How many weeks

14. Collective term for the clothes, household linen, and other belongings collected by brides in preparation for marriage
15. The term that refers to the global marketplace for exchanging national currencies

Category 4 - Miscellaneous

16. The oldest U.S. stock market index tracks the performance of 30 of the largest and most widely owned stocks. What is it called?
17. Who is the most recent actor to be nominated for Best Actor and Best Director for the same film?
18. What will be the next year that will be written with only three Roman numerals?
19. What's the answer to this old riddle from 1900: which of the feathered tribe would be supposed to lift the heaviest weight?
20. Which American hero is quoted as saying "I was free, and they should be free also; I would make a home for them in the North, and the Lord helping me, I would bring them all there,"?

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Category 5 - Sports

1. Who is the oldest active player in the NHL?
2. This running back, and Pro Football Hall of Famer, was the first football player to win Dancing with the Stars
3. This is the most popular type of wood for basketball court floors
4. The first completed pass from this quarterback, who officially retired in 2011, was to himself
5. How many players are on a traditional curling team?

Category 6 - Movie Theatres

6. The Nazi high command gets locked inside a burning Paris theater in this 2009 Tarantino movie
7. Elisa Esposito lives above the Orpheum Cinema in this Guillermo del Toro Best Picture Oscar winner
8. In "The Shawshank Redemption", a prison theater crowd watching "Gilda" erupts when this title actress flips her hair
9. Lon Chaney's character haunted the title theater in the film version of this novel
10. As an "American Werewolf" in this city, David Kessler is beckoned into a theater where he's confronted by his victims

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Category 7 - 90s Sitcoms

11. This mostly hidden sitcom neighbor wrote a book called The Psychophysiological Indices of Amorous Connections among Termites of the Southwest
12. What was the Butler's name, in Fresh Prince of Bel-Air?
13. Before The Big Bang Theory, Sara Gilbert and Johnny Galecki were both stars of this sitcom
14. TV Guide ranked this Seinfeld catchphrase as the third best TV catchphrase of all time (2013)
15. To commemorate his radio show's 1,000th episode, Dr. Frasier Crane convinces the station to organize a celebration at this landmark

Category 8 - Anagrams

What three words that are anagrams of each other are being described here?

16. Admiral Akbar warns about this; used as a makeshift tent; enthralled
17. Keeps kids off drugs; honey; to understand written symbols
18. Jagger and Richards; diabetes begins; shorthand for people who write shorthand
19. Angela Merkel; a makeshift crib for Jesus; a hypothetical change in the brain accounting for the existence of memory
20. Barry Bonds; 2.47 acres; Aristotle, to Alexander the Great

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Category 9 - Before & After Artist

*What artists with overlapping names performed these songs?
Originally audio clips*

1. Tiny Dancer AND Waiting on the World to Change
2. Puff, the Magic Dragon AND Family Affair
3. Super Freak AND You're Beautiful
4. Closer AND Love Song
5. Redneck Woman AND Hold On

Category 10 - Seconds

6. This was the subtitle of the second season of American Horror Story
7. After Thanksgiving, this is the second-largest day in the United States for food consumption
8. Who was Henry VIII's second wife
9. It's the second-most abundant element in the universe
10. The second-most severe classification on the International Union for Conservation of Nature Red List of Threatened Species is EW, short for this

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Category 11 - Geographic Channels

11. The Yucatán Channel leads into this gulf
12. Terminating just south of the Verrazzano-Narrows Bridge, the Ambrose Channel is located between these 2 states
13. This channel in the Tierra del Fuego archipelago is named after Darwin's boat, which explored the area in 1833
14. This island is separated from mainland Africa by the Mozambique Channel
15. The English Channel meets the North Sea at this strait

Category 12 - Comedy

16. "I'm a Grown Little Man" was the 2008 debut stand-up album of this comedian
17. A 1969 Lamborghini Miura, a 1964 Aston Martin DB5, and a 1960 Rolls-Royce Silver Cloud II have been featured on this show
18. Written by Aristophanes in 411 BCE, Lysistrata is a comedic play of women withholding sex in order to bring this conflict to an end
19. This multi-character satirical comedian idolizes Peter Sellers as his comedic hero
20. Name 4 of the 8 actresses who played in the ensemble of Ocean's 8

Answers Round 1

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| | Difficulty |
|--|------------|
| 1. S-H-A-N-N-E-N | 75.00% |
| 2. T-H-O-M | 0.00% |
| 3. N-I-C-O-L-A-S | 25.00% |
| 4. C-O-U-R-T-E-N-E-Y | 75.00% |
| 5. S-A-O-I-R-S-E | 100.00% |
| 6. Blockbuster (Video/LLC) | 0.00% |
| 7. Black Sabbath | 75.00% |
| 8. The Scarlett Letter | 25.00% |
| 9. Corolla | 0.00% |
| 10. Reese's Pieces | 25.00% |
| 11. Crucifix | 0.00% |
| 12. Pneumothorax | 75.00% |
| 13. Lil Nas X | 0.00% |
| Bonus: 19 | 0.00% |
| 14. Trousseaux | 25.00% |
| 15. Forex (or FX) | 25.00% |
| 16. Dow Jones (Industrial Average) | 75.00% |
| 17. Clint Eastwood (Million Dollar Baby, 2004; Unforgiven 1992) | 75.00% |
| 18. 2050 (MML) | 0.00% |
| 19. Crane | 75.00% |
| 20. Harriet Tubman | 75.00% |

Answers Round 2

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| | Difficulty |
|-----------------------------|------------|
| 1. Zdeno Chara | 50.00% |
| 2. Emmitt Smith | 50.00% |
| 3. Maple (acer saccharum) | 50.00% |
| 4. Brett Favre | 50.00% |
| 5. 4 | 25.00% |
| 6. Inglorious Basterds | 0.00% |
| 7. The Shape of Water | 25.00% |
| 8. Rita Hayworth | 75.00% |
| 9. The Phantom of the Opera | 0.00% |
| 10. London | 25.00% |
| 11. Wilson | 25.00% |
| 12. Geoffrey Butler | 25.00% |
| 13. Roseanne | 25.00% |
| 14. Yada Yada Yada | 75.00% |
| 15. Seattle Space Needle | 25.00% |
| 16. trap/tarp/rapt | 25.00% |
| 17. DARE/dear/read | 25.00% |
| 18. Stones/onsets/stenos | 75.00% |
| 19. German/manger/engram | 75.00% |
| 20. cheater/hectare/teacher | 50.00% |

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| | Difficulty |
|--|------------|
| 1. Elton John Mayer | 75.00% |
| 2. Peter, Paul & Mary J. Blige | 25.00% |
| 3. Rick James Blunt | 50.00% |
| 4. Tegan & Sara Bareilles | 25.00% |
| 5. Gretchen Wilson Phillips | 100.00% |
| 6. Asylum | 0.00% |
| 7. Super Bowl Sunday | 25.00% |
| 8. Anne Boleyn | 0.00% |
| 9. Helium | 75.00% |
| 10. Extinct in the Wild | 100.00% |
| 11. The Gulf of Mexico | 0.00% |
| 12. New York and New Jersey | 25.00% |
| 13. The Beagle | 25.00% |
| 14. Madagascar | 0.00% |
| 15. Strait of Dover | 50.00% |
| 16. Kevin Hart | 25.00% |
| 17. Comedians in Cars Getting Coffee | 25.00% |
| 18. Peloponnesian war | 50.00% |
| 19. Sacha Baron Cohen | 50.00% |
| 20. Awkwafina, Cate Blanchett, Helena Bonham-Carter, Sandra Bullock, Anne Hathaway, Mindy Kaling, Sarah Paulson, Rihanna | 50.00% |

Game Stats

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| Category | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 |
|----------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Avg difficulty | 55% | 25% | 25% | 60% | 45% | 25% | 35% | 50% | 55% | 40% | 20% | 40% |

| Round | 1 | 2 | 3 |
|----------------|-------|-------|-------|
| Avg difficulty | 39.3% | 38.8% | 38.8% |

| Question difficulty | Easy (0-33%) | Medium (34-66%) | Hard (67-100%) |
|---------------------|--------------|-----------------|----------------|
| % of game | 55.7% | 16.4% | 27.9% |

| Extreme Questions | Everyone got it | No one got it |
|-------------------|-----------------|---------------|
| % of game | 19.7% | 4.9% |

| General Categories | ART | CUL | ENT | GAM | GEO | HIS | LIT | MIX | MUS | NAT | SCI | SPO |
|--------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Asked | 0 | 10 | 24 | 0 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 21 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 6 |
| % of game | 0% | 16% | 39% | 0% | 10% | 5% | 2% | 34% | 13% | 3% | 3% | 10% |
| Avg difficulty | -- | 25% | 37% | -- | 21% | 33% | 25% | 44% | 50% | 88% | 75% | 42% |

| Question length | Short | Medium | Long |
|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| Definition | 1-67 characters | 67-125 characters | 125-182 characters |
| % of game | 37.7% | 52.5% | 9.8% |
| Avg difficulty | 43.2% | 37.5% | 39.6% |

| Team size (players) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 4+ | TTL teams (TTL players) |
|---------------------|----|----|----|----|----|-------------------------|
| # of teams | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 4 (12) |
| Avg score | -- | 23 | 42 | 38 | -- | 36 |