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Murph

Categories

Round 1

Science

Round 2

Geography

Round 3

Books

Results

Rank	Team	1	2	3	Final
1	No Answer	14	11	8	33
2	Trick Cyclist	15	10	7	32
	Don't Call Me Shirley	14	12	6	32
4	Poison	11	10	5	26
5	Random Team Name	10	6	1	17
6	Fools	6	3	0	9
AVERAGE		11.7	8.7	4.5	24.8

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1. What shape is an ameoba?
2. What steroid hormone are produced by the ovaries?
3. What is an elementary particle carrying a charge of negative electricity called?
4. A colourless, odourless, and tasteless inert gas, it emits a bright red glow when conducting electricity in a tube. What is it called?
5. If you mix salt peter, sulphur, and charcoal, what would you have made?
6. What explosive chemical is used to treat heart disease?
7. What name is often given to the pit of the stomach?
8. What is the medical name for the small tune projecting from the small intestine into the lower right abdominal cavity?
9. Name the fine powder produced by anthers of seed plants?
10. What happens to atmospheric pressure as altitude increases?

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11. What is special about the temperature -273.15 degrees C?

Bonus: what is it in degrees Kelvin?

12. What is a daguerotype?
13. What is an ambrotype?
14. What nation invented the wheelbarrow?
15. What word is commonly used both in mathematics and pathology?
16. In what year was the glass mirror invented?
 - a) 567 BC
 - b) AD 1278
 - c) AD 1563
17. What is absolute alcohol?
18. By what common name is diacetyl morphine known?
19. What is the chief industrial use of nitric acid?
20. Joseph Priestly discovered what element?

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21. When the Northern Ontario communities of Rat Portage, Norman Wells and Keewatin combined, what was the name given to the new town?
22. What is the southern most inhabited place in Ontario?
23. Before it was called Waterloo what was it called?
24. Mariposa, Ontario was the fictional town that Stephen Leacock wrote about in stories on life in what central Ontario town?
25. The first long distance telephone call was made by Alexander Graham Bell when he made a call to Paris, On from where?
26. The first jock strap was invented in the 1920s in what mid-Ontario city?
27. Which agency is the largest single buyer of booze in the world?
28. Name 8 cities in Ontario where automobiles are manufactured?
29. What parasite lived in the Great Lakes and reached Lake Superior in 1946?
30. How many of the 30,000 WWII POWs from Canada successfully escaped to return home?

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31. Which European country donates thousands of daffodil bulbs to Canada every year since the end of WWII?
32. Which war did the Mackenzie-Papineau Battalion fight in?
33. Where was Camp X located?
34. What city emerged when Hespler, Gault, and Preston merged?
35. The combining of which two cities led to the creation of the city of Thunder Bay?
36. What distinction does Moose Factory proudly bear?
37. Which territory was created in April 1999?
38. Where was Ontario's first capital located?
39. Who exerted influence in having Ottawa named as Canada's capital?
40. How far north can you drive in Ontario?

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Books

41. What is the title of the 1959 novel concerned with the economic plight of migrant farm workers in California?
42. Which English writer disguised his native county of Dorset as Wessex?
43. Robert McGregor was the original name of which fictional hero?
44. Who wrote the Maltese Falcon and the Thin Man?
45. Who created Phillip Marlow?
46. Who was the victim of Dr Svengali?
47. Who wrote "One thousand and one Nights"?
48. What pen-name was Josef Korzeniowski better known by?
49. What was Dostoyevsky's last novel?
50. Which name connects a Welsh pop singer with an 18th century English novel?

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51. Which of Jane Austen's novels were published posthumously?
52. Which New Zealand writer is now known for her detective stories?
53. Who wrote, "Where there is no imagination there is no horror"?
54. Which blind and deaf author was taught by Anne Sullivan?
55. Which Phillip Roth novel takes a comic look at Jewish middle class life?
56. Which film director wrote a book entitled "Getting Even"?
57. What nationality was Hercule Poirot?
58. Who wrote "I have rarely ever known a mathematician who was capable of reasoning?"
59. Who wrote "Les Fleurs du Mal"?
60. We really must see Chicago in order to be educated. Who wrote this and in what book?

Answers Round 1

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	Difficulty
1. No fixed shape	0.0%
2. Estrogen	0.0%
3. Electron	33.3%
4. Neon	33.3%
5. Gunpowder	33.3%
6. Nitroglycerine	50.0%
7. Solar plexus	66.7%
8. Appendix	50.0%
9. Pollen	50.0%
10. It decreases	0.0%
11. It's known as absolute zero	0.0%
Bonus: 0K	16.7%
12. Photograph	33.3%
13. Photograph	50.0%
14. The Chinese	83.3%
15. Calculus	100.0%
16. AD 1278	66.7%
17. less than 1% water	66.7%
18. Morphine	16.7%
19. Manufacturing explosives	100.0%
20. Oxygen	83.3%

Answers Round 2

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	Difficulty
21. Kenora	66.7%
22. Pt. Pelee Island	33.3%
23. Berlin	33.3%
24. Orillia	100.0%
25. Brantford	66.7%
26. Guelph	100.0%
27. The LCBO	0.0%
28. Oshawa, Windsor, Oakville, Brampton, Woodstock, Cambridge, Ingersoll, Alliston	16.7%
29. Lamprayeal	83.3%
30. One	0.0%
31. The Netherlands	0.0%
32. Spanish Civil War	66.7%
33. Between Whitby and Oshawa	66.7%
34. Cambridge	16.7%
35. Port Arthur and Fort William	100.0%
36. Oldest English-speaking settlement in Ontario	100.0%
37. Nunavut	16.7%
38. Niagara on the Lake	100.0%
39. Queen Victoria	66.7%
40. 528km north of Thunder Bay	100.0%

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	Difficulty
41. The Grapes of Wrath	0.0%
42. Thomas Hardy	100.0%
43. Rob Roy	80.0%
44. Dashiell Hammett	40.0%
45. Raymond Chandler	100.0%
46. Trilby	100.0%
47. Anon	100.0%
48. Joseph Conrad	40.0%
49. The Brothers Karamazov	100.0%
50. Tom Jones	40.0%
51. Northanger Abbey and Persuasion	100.0%
52. Ngaio Marsh	100.0%
53. Sir Arthur Conan Doyle	100.0%
54. Helen Keller	20.0%
55. Portnoy's Complaint	100.0%
56. Woody Allen	60.0%
57. Belgian	20.0%
58. Plato	100.0%
59. Charles Beaudelaire	80.0%
60. Oscar Wilde in The Portrait of Dorian Gray	80.0%

Game Stats

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Category	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Avg difficulty	20.0%	43.3%	47.2%	66.7%	60.0%	40.0%	50.0%	76.7%	70.0%	80.0%	86.7%	73.3%

Round	1	2	3
Avg difficulty	44.4%	56.7%	77.5%

Question difficulty	Easy (0-33%)	Medium (34-66%)	Hard (67-100%)
% of game	24.6%	23.0%	52.5%

Extreme Questions	Everyone got it	No one got it
% of game	13.1%	29.5%

General Categories	ART	CUL	ENT	GAM	GEO	HIS	LIT	MIX	MUS	NAT	SCI	SPO
Asked	0	3	1	0	20	2	21	0	0	1	21	0
% of game	0.0%	4.9%	1.6%	0.0%	32.8%	3.3%	34.4%	0.0%	0.0%	1.6%	34.4%	0.0%
Avg difficulty	--	55.6%	60.0%	--	56.7%	0.0%	74.5%	--	--	83.3%	44.4%	--

Team size (players)	1	2	3	4	4+	TTL teams (TTL players)
# of teams	--	1	3	2	--	6 (19)
Avg score	--	9	27.3	29	--	24.8