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Categories

Round 1	Round 2	Round 3
Board Games	Mathematics	Medicine
African History	European Capitals	70's British Rock
California	Irish Geography	80's Movies
Before and After	Word Origins	Crossword Clues

Results

Rank	Team	1	2	3	Final
1	Team Captain America	15	16	18	49
2	Virus found in disco video (5)	16	14	18	48
3	Pleasant Valley Sunday	16	15	16	47
4	Trivia Garage Band	18	14	13	45
5	Team Iron Man	15	14	15	44
6	Say My Name	15	15	13	43
7	AE	13	13	8	34
8	YOLO	10	14	9	33
9	Adverse Camber	10	10	10	30
10	Patricia by Herself	8	11	10	29
11	The Smartest One	9	8	6	23
AVERAGE		13	13	12	39

Category 1 – Board Games*Questions about tabletop fun.*

1. What mystery board game was updated in 2018 to include a dumbbell, a trophy, and poison?
2. In chess, which pieces only play on half the board?
3. In Settlers of Catan, what are the five resources players use to build and trade?
4. What dicey game has a name that is 6-letters long and would be worth 10 points, if played in Scrabble?
5. In the original version of Trivial Pursuit, which category is represented by the colour yellow?

Category 2 – African History*Things that happened in the second largest continent.*

6. With what future President did South African President F.W. De Klerk share a 1993 Nobel Peace Prize?
7. What Pharaoh's 30BCE suicide by snake ushered in ~650 years of Roman rule in Egypt?
8. Weighing upwards of 1,500 lbs, what jumbo common name describes the extinct Aepyornithidae birds that once lived in Madagascar?
9. In 2010, what European country beat the Netherlands in the first African-hosted FIFA World Cup final?
10. The 1879 Battle of Ulundi was a decisive victory for the British over what African nation?

Category 3 – California*Questions about the third largest state.*

11. Phantom Planet's California was the initial theme song for what Newport Beach-set series?
12. What Baldwin Park fast food chain prints surreptitious bible verses on items off its not-so-secret menu?
13. Named for California's 9th most populous city, with what country music subgenre are Buck Owens and Merle Haggard associated?
14. Which southern California MLB team has never won a World Series?
15. What chemical element has the same two letter abbreviation as the state of California, according to the USPS?

Category 4 – Before and After*ex. Q: What musician had hits with Rocket Man and Rocky Mountain High? A: ELTON JOHN DENVER*

16. What action is worth 4 points in baseball and 2 in basketball?
17. What US statesman invented the bifocal before introducing the New Deal?
18. What country shares an island with Indonesia and somehow also borders Senegal?
19. What Heavyweight boxing champion is nicknamed Kid Dynamite and The Gypsy King?
20. What painter was a Group of Seven member before switching to Abstract Expressionism?

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Category 5 – Mathematics

Questions about 'rithmetic.

21. In what numerated novel does O'Brien successfully make the case that two plus two equals five?
22. In the film named after him, math genius Will Hunting works as a janitor at what New England school?
23. Discovered by GIMPS in 2018, what is the significance of the number: 282,589,933-1 (as of February 2021)?
24. What three mathematical symbols appear in the titles of Ed Sheeran's first three albums?
25. What number would you get if you multiplied the number of Super Bowls Tom Brady has won by his jersey number?

Category 6 – European Capitals

Questions about the Eurasia's westside.

26. What Portuguese capital is also the European Capital of Sport in 2021?
27. In an alphabetical list of world capitals, what European city comes last?
28. What Minsk country is the only European nation that practices capital punishment?
29. Both Vienna and Edinburgh have professional teams called the Capitals that play what sport (the same sport for both countries)?
30. What Athenian landmark had 69 capitals (on its columns) when construction was completed on it in 432BCE?

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Category 7 – Irish Geography

Answers about the British Isles' westside.

31. Commonly used in the wine industry, what material is harvested from the Quercus suber tree?
32. What Democrat lost the US presidential election to George W. Bush in 2004?
33. What spreadable Minnesota clinic has been ranked the top hospital in the US for the past 6 years?
34. What fictional Maine town is the setting for Stephen King's It?
35. What style of poem that rhymes, Details folks, their hometowns, and crimes? It's patterned this way:
A-A-B-B-A
And may have something to do with limes?

Category 8 – Word Origins

Some terms of art.

36. What colour takes its name from the lapis lazuli pigments that were imported from beyond the sea?
37. What flashy object has a name derived from the Latin for "dark chamber"?
38. What stereotypical word is an onomatopoeic interpretation of the noise made by printing presses?
39. Perhaps meaning "flawed pearl" the name for what 17th and 18th century style of art was originally used to mock its ornamental practitioners?
40. What fabric has a name that may be derived from the Latin for, "made of hemp"?

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Category 9 – Medicine

Drugs and stuff.

41. The generic drug sildenafil was first popularly sold under what uplifting brand name?
42. Dr. John Thackery is the cocaine-addicted Chief Surgeon in what 1900-set HBO medical drama?
43. What pseudoscientific alternative medicine uses diluted remedies and the tenet that like cures like?
44. What band released the chart-topping single Bad Medicine on the 1988 album New Jersey?
45. Drug names ending in the suffix -olol are typically part of what class of medication?

Category 10 – 70's British Rock

Old imperial geology.

46. In 1977 what UNESCO World Heritage Site in Salisbury was roped off from the public to prevent further erosion?
47. What British band had songs in the 1970s called Rocks Off, If you Can't Rock Me, and It's Only Rock 'n Roll (But I like It)?
48. Formed ~70 million years ago, what mineral gives the White Cliffs of Dover its distinctive colour?
49. What spacey drummer for The Who died of a drug overdose in 1978?
50. In the 1770s, a network of siege tunnels known as Galleries were dug in what British Overseas Territory monolith?

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Category 11 – 80's Movies

Movies set in the '80s

51. In what Akira Kurosawa film are an odd group of ronin hired to fight bandits in 1586 Japan?
52. Set in the 1682 court of Louis XIV, A Little Chaos was the final film directed by what Galaxy Quest star?
53. What actor won his only Oscar playing Rooster Cogburn in the 1880-set True Grit?
54. Released on December 25, what superhero sequel was the most-watched direct-to-streaming film of 2020?
55. Set on Mars in 2084, what 1990 film is based on the short story We Can Remember it for you Wholesale?

Category 12 – Crossword Clues

What words are described by these clues (number of letters in brackets)?

56. Paper paper (9)
57. Tron setting: the ____ (4)
58. Hidden, vault-like (7)
59. Eider plucking (4)
60. Manhattan minute and Syracuse second (3,4,5)

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	Difficulty
1. Clue	0.0%
2. Bishops	18.2%
3. Brick/Clay; Ore; Sheep; Wheat; Wood	54.6%
4. Boggle	36.4%
5. History	27.3%
6. Nelson Mandela	0.0%
7. Cleopatra (Vii)	9.1%
8. Elephant Birds	45.5%
9. Spain	63.6%
10. Zulu	72.7%
11. The O.C.	36.4%
12. In-N-Out Burger	36.4%
13. The Bakersfield Sound	81.8%
14. San Diego Padres	27.3%
15. Calcium	0.0%
16. Grand Slam Dunk	36.4%
17. Benjamin Franklin Roosevelt	27.3%
18. Papua New Guinea-Bissau	36.4%
19. Mike Tyson Fury	72.7%
20. AY Jackson Pollack	54.6%

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	Difficulty
21. Nineteen Eighty-Four	36.4%
22. MIT	54.6%
23. Largest Known Prime Number	81.8%
24. + (Plus); X (Multiply); ÷ (Divide)	27.3%
25. 84 (7 X 12); Or 72 (Question Written On Day Of 7th Win)	27.3%
26. Lisbon	0.0%
27. Zagreb (Croatia)	27.3%
28. Belarus	27.3%
29. Ice Hockey	45.5%
30. The Parthenon	9.1%
31. Cork	18.2%
32. John Kerry	27.3%
33. Mayo	0.0%
34. Derry	63.6%
35. Limerick	9.1%
36. Ultramarine	81.8%
37. Camera (Obscura)	9.1%
38. Cliche	81.8%
39. Baroque	72.7%
40. Canvas	72.7%

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	Difficulty
41. Viagra	45.5%
42. The Knick	63.6%
43. Homeopathy	27.3%
44. Bon Jovi	36.4%
45. Beta-Blockers	54.6%
46. Stonehenge	9.1%
47. The Rolling Stones	0.0%
48. Chalk; Calcite; Limestone; Calcium Carbonate	18.2%
49. Keith Moon	27.3%
50. The Rock Of Gibraltar	36.4%
51. Seven Samurai	27.3%
52. Alan Rickman	54.6%
53. John Wayne	54.6%
54. Wonder Woman 1984	9.1%
55. Total Recall	27.3%
56. Newsprint	63.6%
57. Grid	81.8%
58. Cryptic	54.6%
59. Down	36.4%
60. New York Times	54.6%

Game Stats

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Category	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Avg difficulty	27%	38%	36%	45%	45%	22%	24%	64%	45%	18%	35%	58%

Round	1	2	3
Avg difficulty	36.8%	38.6%	39.1%

Question difficulty	Easy (0-33%)	Medium (34-66%)	Hard (67-100%)
% of game	45.0%	46.7%	8.3%

Extreme Questions	Everyone got it	No one got it
% of game	8.3%	0.0%

General Categories	ART	CUL	ENT	GAM	GEO	HIS	LIT	MIX	MUS	NAT	SCI	SPO
Asked	7	12	32	5	23	13	12	16	15	8	23	6
% of game	6%	10%	27%	4%	19%	11%	10%	13%	13%	7%	19%	5%
Avg difficulty	53%	41%	64%	27%	39%	29%	55%	45%	36%	18%	31%	55%

Bonus Game

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80's News Stories	Classic Lit	Geography
80's Movies	Mythology	Human Physiology
80's Music	Current Events	MASH
Music	Pixar	Theme Category

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Category 1 – 80's News Stories

Questions about things that happened the 1980s.

61. What US President was shot by John Hinkley in 1981?
62. Which space shuttle disintegrated shortly after launch in 1986?
63. What two NHL teams each won 4 Stanley Cups in the 1980s?
64. A precursor to the fall of the Berlin wall, the 1989 Pan-European Picnic occurred on the border of what two countries?
65. What giant 4-letter word did Diana Spencer leave out of her 1981 wedding vows to Prince Charles?

Category 2 – 80's Movies

Questions about film from the 1980s.

66. The line “Come with me if you want to live” first appeared in what 1984 time-travel film?
67. What 1982 film earned over \$700 million at the box office to become the highest grossing film up to that point?
68. For what colourful 1986 film did John Hughes use a Psychedelic Furs song?
69. 1988s The Dead Pool was the last film to feature what Magnum-wielding character?
70. What actress was nominated for 4 Best Actress Oscars in the 1980s, but did not win one until 1994?

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Category 3 – 80's Music

Questions about music from the 1980s.

71. What 1982 Michael Jackson album became the best-selling album of all time?
72. What was Madonna's first single to top the Billboard Hot 100?
73. With over 13,000 performances since its 1988 debut, what Andrew Lloyd Webber musical is Broadway's longest running show?
74. The first full length album released by Def Jam Recordings was 1985's Radio, by what rapper?
75. What Pat Benatar song was the second video played on MTV when it launched in 1981?

Category 4 – Music

Questions about music from the any decade.

76. What country singer-songwriter had her first hit with 1966s Dumb Blonde?
77. What percussion instrument has a name that means "wood sound"?
78. What song, voted the best pop song of the 20th century by MTV and Rolling Stone, had the working title "Scrambled Eggs"?
79. In the operatic classification system, what voice type comes between Tenor and Bass?
80. What Pulitzer Prize winner won his first Grammy for 2015s To Pimp a Butterfly?

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Category 5 – Classic Lit

Questions about old books.

81. What novel begins with the line: "Happy families are all alike; every unhappy family is unhappy in its own way."?
82. In what sequel novel could you read about the Jabberwocky?
83. What American abolitionist wrote the 1852 novel Uncle Tom's Cabin?
84. At the beginning of Anne of Green Gables, what is Anne's surname?
85. What 1847 novel was originally published as an autobiography "edited" by Currer Bell?

Category 6 – Mythology

Questions about old stories.

86. What mammal is associated with the Egyptian god Bast?
87. In Greek mythology, what creature was trapped in a labyrinth?
88. Borr is the father of what one-eyed Norse god?
89. What Polynesian deity fished out islands from the ocean?
90. In Christian mythology, what demon is known as the lord of the flies?

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Category 7 – Current Events

Questions about electricity.

91. What Serbian inventor and Alternating Current proponent was portrayed in film by David Bowie?
92. “Electrocution” is a portmanteau of what two words?
93. In 1955, Westinghouse Electric Company purchased and assumed the name of what television network?
94. After hydroelectric, what is the most used source for electricity generation in Canada?
95. What Japanese car company manufactures the electric Leaf?

Category 8 – Pixar

Questions about computer animated movies.

96. What inanimate object is Luxo, the Pixar mascot?
97. In the first 3 Toy Story films, what name is written on Woody’s foot?
98. What Pixar film is about a Waste Allocation Load Lifter from Earth?
99. What Kids in the Hall alum provides the voice Flick in A Bug’s Life?
100. Arlo is the title character of what 2015 prehistoric film?

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Category 9 – Geography

Questions about the world.

101. What large Canadian island is known as Qikiqtaaluk in Inuktitut?
102. What mountain range extends through 7 South American countries?
103. What southern city is the most populous state capital in the US?
104. The Kip is the currency of what landlocked Asian country?
105. In an alphabetical list of Australian states, which state comes last?

Category 10 – Human Physiology

Questions about the body.

106. The condition heterochromia iridum describes what physical anomaly?
107. Lichtenberg figures are branching scars and lesions cause by contact with what natural phenomenon?
108. What colourful 1858 book was originally published as Anatomy: Descriptive and Surgical?
109. Charles Osborne has a Guinness World Record for a 68-year long bout of what reaction?
110. What part of the body is impacted by bruxism?

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Category 11 – MASH

Questions involving “mash”.

111. In the TV series, what does M.A.S.H stand for?
112. In the children’s game, what does M.A.S.H. stand for?
113. What search engine launched the 2008 social media platform Mash—which allowed users to edit their friends’ pages?
114. If you ordered bangers and mash from a restaurant, what food would you be eating?
115. Name one of the two spinoffs/follow up series to M*A*S*H.

Category 12 – Theme Category

Themed questions.

116. “Suicide is Painless” is the theme for what war-time sitcom?
117. What supernatural action series of the 90s and 2000s features a theme song by the band Nerf Herder?
118. Set in Dilon (and East Dilon), Texas, what sports series features the theme song “Your Hand in Mine” by Explosions in the Sky?
119. What sci-fi series has an opening theme by Ramin Djawadi that is meant to reference the loops used in player pianos?
120. What do the television shows in answers 56-59 have in common?

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Difficulty

61. Ronald Reagan
62. Challenger
63. New York Islanders; Edmonton Oilers
64. Austria; Hungary
65. Obey
66. The Terminator
67. ET The Extra-Terrestrial
68. Pretty In Pink
69. “Dirty” Harry Callahan
70. Jessica Lange
71. Thriller
72. Like A Virgin
73. The Phantom Of The Opera
74. LL Cool J
75. You Better Run
76. Dolly Parton
77. Xylophone
78. Yesterday
79. Baritone
80. Kendrick Lamar

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81. Anna Karenina
82. Through The Looking Glass And What Alice Found There
83. Harriet Beecher Stowe
84. Shirley
85. Jane Eyre
86. Cat
87. Minotaur
88. Odin
89. Maui
90. Beelzebub
91. Nikola Tesla
92. Electricity; Execution
93. CBS
94. Nuclear
95. Nissan
96. Lamp
97. Andy
98. Wall-E
99. Dave Folley
100. The Good Dinosaur

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101. Baffin Island
102. Andes
103. Phoenix, Arizona
104. Laos
105. Western Australia
106. Different Coloured Eyes
107. Lightning
108. Gray's Anatomy
109. Hiccups
110. Teeth; Jaw (Grinding)
111. Mobile Army Surgical Hospital
112. Mansion, Apartment, Shack, House
113. Yahoo!
114. Sausage And Mashed Potatoes
115. Trapper John, M.D.; Aftermath
116. M*A*S*H
117. Buffy The Vampire Slayer
118. Friday Night Lights
119. Westworld
120. Based On Films