

January 8, 2025

Gian

Categories

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Elvis Presley	Science & Nature	According to Britannica
Film	“Anthro” Words	Sports
Geography	History	Words
Miscellaneous	Miscellaneous	Miscellaneous

Results

Rank	Team	1	2	3	Final
1	Youz Guyz	18	15	19	52
2	Snowballs Chance	14	17	18	49
3	The Costellos	16	12	17	45
4	Snowballs in Hell	13	13	14	40
5	I'm Ok	16	10	13	39
6	Frigid Bitches	8	8	8	24
7	Generic Team #1	8	9	6	23
AVERAGE		13.3	12	13.6	38.9

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Category 1 - Elvis Presley

1. In which Mississippi town was Elvis Presley born on January 8, 1935?
2. Had he been alive on May 26, 1994, whose father in law would Elvis have become by the end of that day?
3. What Elvis 1956 single with an alliterative name was his first number one in the US?
4. What 1964 Elvis film co-starring Ann Margaret was Elvis' highest grossing Film ever?
5. On which traditional Neapolitan song was Elvis' 1960 number 1 hit "It's Now or Never" based?

Category 2 - Film

6. For what does the acronym BAFTA stand?
7. What Utah based film festival is the largest independent film festival in the USA?
8. Which of the big five international film festivals is the oldest film festival in the world?
9. Name an Academy Award winner for Best Picture that has a double digit number in the title?
10. What was the first Cable Network show to win an Emmy in the Outstanding Drama Series category?

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Category 3 - Geography

11. Ohio is known as the Buckeye state - what is a buckeye?
12. After the White House, in which US state is the second most visited house in America located?
13. Which is bigger lake Ontario or Georgian Bay?
14. How many new countries emerged from the former Yugoslavia in 1991?
15. The island of Bali is a province of which country?

Category 4 - Miscellaneous

16. CO is the chemical formula for what gas?
17. What is the 2 word alliterative term for the process by which CO₂ is separated before it is released back into the atmosphere or stored in a long term facility
18. Approximately 95% of a chicken eggshell is composed of what compound that is also found in limestone, chalk and clam shells?
19. What Italian pasta sauce is made by tempering eggs, guanciale, pecorino Romano and black pepper?
20. What is the 2 word term for the total amount of greenhouse gases produced by a person?

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Category 5 - Science & Nature

21. Chickens are often fed scratch, what grain is most commonly found in scratch?
22. What language other than English are American astronauts required to learn?
23. What two breeds of dog are combined to create a schnug?
24. Is electric current measured in amperes or volts?
25. Who was the first Canadian exonerated of a murder charge based on DNA testing - 1995?

Category 6 - "Anthro" Words

26. The attribution of human characteristics to an animal or object?
27. A social science that focuses on human culture?
28. A person who hates or mistrusts people and fellow members of society?
29. A person who is inclined to increase the well being of humankind and love of humankind in general?
30. A higher primate that closely resembles a human being ?

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Category 7 - History

31. The Canadian Military Service Act of 1917 divided Canadians which led to rioting in Quebec and nationwide protests. What was the key aspect of the Act that led to the conflict?
32. In what year were Native Canadians 1st able to vote in Canada?
33. What Canadian ambassador was central to the release of the hostages in the Iran hostage crisis of 1979?
34. Who is the longest serving leader of the federal NDP party in Canada?
35. With which 1885 Canadian event was Gabriel Dumont associated?

Category 8 - Miscellaneous - Theme Bonus

36. What Ontario university's sports teams are known as the Lancers?
37. Which country's currency is the Krone?
38. What American actor played both the character of Moonlight Graham and The Birdman of Alcatraz?
39. What renowned British actor who starred opposite Liza Minelli in the film Cabaret, played Basil Exposition in the Austin Powers Films?
40. What spherical, segmented chocolate originally from Britain had a slogan that encouraged dropping it against a hard surface before unwrapping it and consuming its 20 pieces?

Bonus: What do the previous 5 answers have in common?

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Category 9 - According to Britannica - True or False

41. Chevy Chase replaced Bill Murray on the second season of SNL?
42. The TV show Mission impossible is credited with popularizing the verb self-destruct?
43. The insult nimrod has biblical origins?
44. In Greek Mythology Medusa regrows 2 heads for each one that is cut off?
45. Most of the world's Cocoa Beans are grown in Brazil?

Category 10 - Sports

46. Which 1988 Olympian was responsible for a change in Olympic rules that required athletes to be ranked in the top 50 worldwide in order to anticipate?
47. In which country's profession football association does the football club PSV Eindhoven participate?
48. Which Toronto based team won the first three Grey Cup Championship in 1909, 1910 and 1911?
49. In 1955 what three NYC teams played MLB?
50. What NHL team is currently playing in its centenary year?

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Category 11 - Words

51. What word can be placed before or after the following words to create a recognizable word or phrase - Hat/Knee/Magic?
52. What word can be placed before or after the following words to create a recognizable word or phrase - Fever/day/boat/?
53. Which of the following best describes a witch's "grimoire" -
a) a spell book, b) a black cat, c) a pointy hat or d) a broomstick?
54. What word can be placed before or after the following words to create a recognizable word or phrase? Rate/hair/bait?
55. What does a stevedore do for a living?

Category 12 - Miscellaneous - Theme

56. In what 1991 film did Keanu Reeves play an undercover federal agent named Johnny Utah?
57. What is the barrier on a highway that prevents vehicles from going down an embankment or veering into oncoming traffic called?
58. What is the technical name for the person on a film set who is responsible for setting up, rigging and striking lighting equipment?
59. In Basketball and Trampoline "travelling" is a negative but in what Olympic men's gymnastics discipline is "travelling" a skill that is evaluated?
60. In what 1982 Neo noir film does Harrison Ford play a character named Rick Deckert?

Bonus: What do the previous 5 answers have in common?

Answers Round 1

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	Difficulty
1. Tupelo	28.6%
2. Michael Jackson's	14.3%
3. Heartbreak Hotel	42.9%
4. Viva Las Vegas	28.6%
5. O Sole Mio	42.9%
6. British Academy of Film and Television Arts	57.1%
7. Sundance	28.6%
8. The Venice Film Festival	100.0%
9. 12 Years a Slave and Around the World in 80 Days	71.4%
10. The Sopranos	28.6%
11. A Nut	85.7%
12. Tennessee (Graceland)	14.3%
13. Lake Ontario	28.6%
14. 6 (BOS HZ, CROA, SERB, SLOV, MONT, MACE)	57.1%
15. Indonesia	28.6%
16. Carbon Monoxide	14.3%
17. Carbon Capture	14.3%
18. Calcium Carbonate	42.9%
19. Carbonara	0.0%
20. Carbon Footprint	14.3%

Answers Round 2

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	Difficulty
21. Corn	0.0%
22. Russian	0.0%
23. Schnauzer and Pug	0.0%
24. Amperes	28.6%
25. Guy Paul Morin	85.7%
26. Anthropomorphism	14.3%
27. Anthropology	0.0%
28. Misanthropist	57.1%
29. Philanthropist	14.3%
30. Anthropoid	57.1%
31. Conscription	14.3%
32. 1960	85.7%
33. Ken Taylor	57.1%
34. Ed Broadbent	85.7%
35. The Northwest Rebellion	100.0%
36. Windsor	42.9%
37. Denmark	57.1%
38. Burt Lancaster	57.1%
39. Michael York	57.1%
40. Terry's Chocolate Orange	14.3%
Bonus: the responses contain the names of British Royal Houses	71.4%

	Difficulty
41. False (Murray replaced Chase)	0.0%
42. It's True	28.6%
43. It's True	0.0%
44. False (Hydra)	0.0%
45. False (Cote d'Ivoire)	28.6%
46. Eddie the Eagle	28.6%
47. The Dutch League	57.1%
48. The Toronto Varsity Blues	42.9%
49. Giants, Dodgers & Yankees	42.9%
50. Boston Bruins	57.1%
51. Trick	28.6%
52. Dream	57.1%
53. A Spell Book	28.6%
54. Cut	42.9%
55. Dock Worker	42.9%
56. Point Break	28.6%
57. Guard Rail	28.6%
58. Grip	57.1%
59. Pommel Horse	57.1%
60. Blade Runner	28.6%
Bonus: All the responses contain the Parts of a Sword	100.0%

Category	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Avg difficulty	31.4%	57.1%	40.5%	17.1%	22.9%	28.6%	68.6%	50.0%	11.4%	47.6%	40.0%	50.0%

Round	1	2	3
Avg difficulty	36.7%	42.9%	38.3%

Question difficulty	Easy (0-33%)	Medium (34-66%)	Hard (67-100%)
% of game	51.6%	34.4%	14.1%

Extreme Questions	Everyone got it	No one got it
% of game	12.5%	4.7%

General Categories	ART	CUL	ENT	GAM	GEO	HIS	LIT	MIX	MUS	NAT	SCI	SPO
Asked	0	12	13	0	9	7	0	32	4	3	10	6
% of game	0.0%	19.4%	21.0%	0.0%	14.5%	11.3%	0.0%	51.6%	6.5%	4.8%	16.1%	9.7%
Avg difficulty	--	33.3%	44.0%	--	44.4%	71.4%	--	33.9%	32.1%	19.0%	27.6%	47.6%

Team size (players)	1	2	3	4	4+	TTL teams (TTL players)
# of teams	--	2	2	2	1	7 (23)
Avg score	--	32	42.0	37.5	49	38.9