

- (1) In 'Harry Potter', what subject is taught by Professor McGonagall: transfiguration, divination or potions?

Transfiguration.

- (2) Which Muppet is the assistant of Dr Bunsen Honeydew?

Beaker.

- (3) What foodstuff is 'fasolada', the national dish of the Greeks: soup, salad or sausage?

Soup.

- (4) Which man stepped down as Prime Minister aged 84?

William Gladstone.

- (5) Which of the original Mercury Seven astronauts went on to walk on the moon: John Glenn, Alan Shepard or Scott Carpenter?

Alan Shepard.

- (6) What is the name of the sportswear brand launched by Beyoncé?

Ivy Park.

- (7) The Ercol company is best known for making what: furniture, glassware or clothing?

Furniture.

- (8) How many planets in our solar system are larger than Earth?

Four. (Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus & Neptune)

- (9) Where on an insect might you find a pair of appendages known as palpi: wings, near the mouth or on tip of abdomen?

Mouth.

- (10) Which musical composer founded 'The Really Useful Group'?

Andrew Lloyd-Webber.

- (11) The Wales rugby team have lost their last 12 consecutive games, which was the last side they beat: Portugal, Georgia or Argentina?
Georgia.
- (12) What country did King Charles III visit for his first overseas trip as monarch?
Germany.
- (13) Who was the last man to win Wimbledon using a wooden racket: John McEnroe, Boris Becker or Pat Cash?
John McEnroe.
- (14) In 2023, which British super model became the face of Yves Saint Laurent?
Kate Moss.
- (15) Offering views of the Matterhorn, the world's longest pedestrian suspension bridge is located in what country: Switzerland, Germany or Italy?
Switzerland.
- (16) Which tennis star is the daughter of a Belgium international footballer?
Kim Clijsters.
- (17) Reggaeton music is most closely associated with what Caribbean island: Jamaica, Cuba or Puerto Rico?
Puerto Rico.
- (18) What do the letters 'SIM' stand for, as in SIM card in a mobile phone?
Subscriber Identity Module.
- (19) The word 'pelagic' refers to what bodies of water: rivers, lakes or seas?
Seas.
- (20) Name the ten words of the NATO phonetic alphabet that contain the letter 'I'?
Charlie, India, Juliet, Kilo, Lima, Mike, Sierra, Uniform, Victor & Whiskey.

(21) What term refers to both a mounted gun and a boneless cut of lamb?

Cannon.

(22) Who played the CEO of Mattel in the 2023 film 'Barbie'?

Will Ferrell.

(23) What musical features 'The Shark Girls'?

West Side Story.

(24) What Brazilian mountain overlooks Guanabara Bay?

Sugarloaf.

(25) 'Girlcot' is a feminist reworking of what word?

Boycot.

(26) Panama City lies on which ocean?

Pacific.

(27) What coffee shop chain scrapped its book awards in 2022?

Costa.

(28) The name of which sportswear brand is also the tenth letter Greek alphabet?

Kappa.

(29) Which is a longer distance, the Grand National or the Boat Race?

The Grand National.

(30) Lieutenant Templeton Peck was a character in what 80s TV show?

A-Team.

- (31) Which Pope declared Mother Teresa of Calcutta a saint: John Paul II, Benedict XVI or Francis?
Francis.
- (32) Which wife of Henry VIII had been a lady-in-waiting to two of his previous wives?
Jane Seymour.
- (33) Which Renaissance painter is believed to have only six surviving portraits, of which five are of women: Leonardo, Michelangelo or Caravaggio?
Leonardo.
- (34) Which organ is inflamed if you have 'glossitis'?
Tongue.
- (35) What is the occupation of a person described as a 'terpsichorean': dancer, translator or musician?
Dancer.
- (36) Which long narrow island is the largest by area in modern day Greece?
Crete.
- (37) What is the world's most widely consumed vegetable oil: olive, palm or coconut?
Palm.
- (38) A B-52 cocktail is made with liqueur of what fruit flavour?
Orange.
- (39) When the Flying Scotsman became the first train to officially travel at 100mph, it was going between London and where: Leeds, Leicester or Lancaster?
Leeds.
- (40) Name the ten countries that the river Danube flows through, or have the river Danube as part of their international border?
Germany, Austria, Slovakia, Hungary, Croatia, Serbia, Bulgaria, Romania, Moldova & Ukraine.