

(1) Penicillium is part of what biological kingdom: animal, plant or fungi?

Fungi.

(2) In the TV series 'The Crown' Anton Lesser plays which Tory PM?

Harold Macmillan.

(3) Which Spanish football team has been managed by John Toshack, Chris Coleman and David Moyes: Athletic Bilbao, Real Sociedad or Espanyol?

Real Sociedad.

(4) The Tennyson Trail footpath is on what island?

Isle of Wight.

(5) Roquito is a type of what foodstuff: onion, pepper or tomato?

Pepper.

(6) Which British ballerina retired to raise cattle in Panama?

Margot Fonteyn.

(7) Occurring at high levels in many plants, which element is the most abundant metalloid in the Earth's crust: antimony, boron or silicon?

Silicon.

(8) What primary colour is the Tiffany Diamond?

Yellow.

(9) The longest muscle in the human body, the Sartorius, gets its name from the Latin for which profession: tinker, tailor or soldier?

Tailor.

(10) Aldous Huxley taught George Orwell at what school?

Eton.

- (11) What was a 'Hamil camel': designer coat, figure skating move or biplane aircraft?
Figure skating move.
- (12) According to use, what are the three main classes of apple?
Cider, cooking and dessert.
- (13) What does 'Encyclopaedia Britannica' define as "the final action that completes the unravelling of the plot in a play": disaster, catastrophe or calamity?
Catastrophe.
- (14) In curling, the house is composed of rings of what three colours?
Red, white & blue.
- (15) In 1935, what became the first country to use an image of the future Queen Elizabeth II on a bank note: Australia, Canada or Kenya?
Canada.
- (16) The term Generation X was first recorded in what decade?
1950s.
- (17) The Virginia Woolf novel 'Mrs Dalloway' takes place over what time period: one day, one week or one year?
One day.
- (18) The name of what Cypriot resort derives from a phrase meaning 'Saint of the Woods'?
Ayia Napa.
- (19) 'Abuela' is the Spanish for what female relative: sister, aunt or grandmother?
Grandmother.
- (20) Name the ten ceremonial counties that border Greater London or Oxfordshire?
Essex, Kent, Surrey, Berkshire, Wiltshire, Gloucestershire, Warwickshire, Northamptonshire, Buckinghamshire & Hertfordshire.

(21) What is the two-word name for the UK's commercial shipping fleet?

Merchant Navy.

(22) How many dice are normally used in a game of Ludo?

One.

(23) Robert Gordon University is in what Scottish city?

Aberdeen.

(24) The King's official birthday takes place in what month?

June.

(25) The Ashvins are twin gods in what religion?

Hinduism.

(26) The course of the New York marathon runs through how many boroughs?

Five.

(27) How many horses have beaten Red Rum in Grand National races?

Two.

(28) How many films did Christopher Reeve make as 'Superman'?

Four.

(29) Apia is the capital of what South Pacific nation?

Samoa.

(30) How many planets take under 100 days to orbit the Sun?

One.

(31) Used to land 34,000 U.S. troops on 6th June, 1944, which D-Day beach was divided into Charlie, Dog, Easy and Fox zones: Gold Beach, Juno Beach or Omaha Beach?

Omaha Beach.

(32) Jazz is a men's fragrance by what fashion house?

Yves Saint Laurent.

(33) What is the total cost of the two dark blue properties in a standard UK game of Monopoly: £550, £650 or £750?

£750.

(34) Which Mercury Seven astronaut became a Senator for Ohio?

John Glenn.

(35) Which of these is a slang term for a stupid person: tongue-swallower, nose-sniffer or mouth-breather?

Mouth-breather.

(36) Who was Britain's first Jewish-born Prime Minister?

Disraeli.

(37) In 1985, which former prime minister likened the government's privatisations to selling off the family heirlooms: Harold Macmillan, Harold Wilson or Jim Callaghan?

Harold Macmillan.

(38) Supporters of what football team are called 'Mackems'?

Sunderland.

(39) The word 'psittacine' refers to what variety of bird: parrot, penguin or pigeon?

Parrot.

(40) Name the ten events in a Decathlon?

100m, long jump, shot put, high jump, 400m, 110m hurdles, discus, pole vault, javelin & 1500m.