

- (1) 'Free giveaway' is an example of what type of expression: hyperbole, tautology or litotes?
Tautology.
- (2) An image of what leaping animal on a product signifies that it has not been tested on animals?
Rabbit.
- (3) In 'The Godfather', what is the name of the horse that famously meets a sticky end: Cairo, Algiers or Khartoum?
Khartoum.
- (4) When used in cooking, what organs of a cow or sheep are known as 'lites'?
Lungs.
- (5) Which of these bones of the ear is in between the other two: stirrup, hammer or anvil?
Anvil.
- (6) Which Englishman was the first man born in the 1980s to win a Best Actor Oscar?
Eddie Redmayne.
- (7) Barbara McClintock is the only woman to have been awarded an unshared Nobel Prize in what field: medicine, physics or chemistry?
Medicine.
- (8) What Atlantic current brings warmer water and climate to Europe?
Gulf stream.
- (9) A sennight is an archaic name for which period of time: month, fortnight or week?
A week.
- (10) In parachuting, what does the acronym 'BASE' stand for as in Base-jumping?
Buildings, Antenna, Spans & Earth.

- (11) Vitreous electricity results from the friction created by rubbing what: wood, steel or glass?
Glass.
- (12) The first female to win a Nobel Prize was in what category?
Literature.
- (13) Which infectious viral disease is also known by the technical term 'morbilli': measles, mumps or meningitis?
Measles.
- (14) Brian Gamblin of Bury, is alleged to have devised the numbering system associated with what popular game?
Darts.
- (15) Eton College was founded in the 1440s by which king: Henry IV, Henry V or Henry VI?
Henry VI.
- (16) Sir Cecil Chubb was the last person to own what famous English landmark?
Stonehenge.
- (17) Which famous artist had the first names Peter Paul: Reynolds, Raphael or Rubens?
Rubens.
- (18) Michael J Fox plays a graduate masquerading as a business executive in which film?
The Secret of My Success.
- (19) Which American founding father named the Gulf Stream: George Washington, Thomas Jefferson or Benjamin Franklin?
Benjamin Franklin.
- (20) Of the seventeen comedies by William Shakespeare, name the ten whose title contain the letter 'A' at least once?
A Midsummer Night's Dream, All's Well That Ends Well, As You Like It, Love Labour's Lost, Measure for Measure, Much Ado About Nothing, The Merchant of Venice, The Taming of the Shrew, The Two Gentlemen of Verona & The Winter's Tale.

- (21) Antinomy and what other chemical element end in the letter Y?
Mercury.
- (22) In the Simpsons, who is the son of Police Chief Clancy Wiggum?
Ralph.
- (23) How many runs are scored in a 'wicket maiden'?
None.
- (24) Cubitus is the Latin name for which joint in the human body?
Elbow.
- (25) What New England city is known as the Athens of America?
Boston.
- (26) Which numbered terminal at Heathrow closed in June 2015, forty-six years after the Queen formally opened it?
One. (Closed to allow the expansion of Terminal Two)
- (27) How many blue circles were there on the original Twister mat?
Six.
- (28) Future King Charles II hid in an oak tree to escape whose forces?
Oliver Cromwell.
- (29) Alessandro is the equivalent of Alexander in what language?
Italian.
- (30) In 1994, what sport became Canada's national winter sport?
Ice hockey.

- (31) Which of these architectural styles came first: Bauhaus, Brutalism or Baroque?
- Baroque.**
- (32) In the European Union's list of food additives, those numbered E100 to E180 are classified as serving what purpose?
- Food colourings.**
- (33) Similar to sushi, where is 'kimbap' most commonly eaten: China, Korea or Thailand?
- Korea.**
- (34) What flying object was known by the designation LZ129?
- Hindenburg.**
- (35) Fish that are anadromous do what: migrate, walk or change sex?
- Migrate.**
- (36) What archipelago in the Atlantic Ocean has the largest population of the remaining overseas British territories?
- Bermuda.**
- (37) Which of these men was the youngest when he first became Prime Minister: Gordon Brown, Harold Wilson or James Callaghan?
- Harold Wilson.**
- (38) Up to 2018, which three female members of the royal family have appeared on the front cover of British Vogue?
- Princess Catherine, Princess Diana & Princess Anne.**
- (39) 'Vair' is fur obtained from what animal: squirrel, skunk or beaver?
- Squirrel.**
- (40) Name the ten capital cities of European member countries that do NOT have the letters 'E' or 'U' anywhere in their English names?
- Bratislava, Lisbon, Madrid, Nicosia, Paris, Riga, Sofia, Stockholm, Tallinn & Warsaw.**