

- (1) Which of these American state capitals is NOT named after a former president: Jackson, Jefferson City or Carson City?
Carson City.
- (2) How many troy ounces are there in a troy pound?
12.
- (3) What group of artists exhibited as the 'Anonymous Society of Painters, Etchers and Engravers': Cubists, Impressionists or Surrealists?
Impressionists.
- (4) Which of the Confederate States of America came last alphabetically?
Virginia.
- (5) Police chief Marge Gunderson was an Oscar-winning role for which actress: Holly Hunter, Frances McDormand or Kathy Bates?
Frances McDormand.
- (6) What organs are covered by the visceral pleura?
Lungs.
- (7) Who ordered the imprisonment of King Edward II in 1326: his chancellor, his father or his wife?
His wife.
- (8) What city was the setting for the TV hospital drama St Elsewhere?
Boston.
- (9) Which of these British Atlantic possessions is furthest south: Ascension Island, St Helena or Tristan da Cunha?
Tristan da Cunha.
- (10) What ship was launched in Chatham, 40 years before the battle of Trafalgar?
HMS Victory.

- (11) The actors Gene Hackman, Sean Connery and Clint Eastwood were all born in what year: 1930, 1935 or 1940?
1930.
- (12) Born in 1980, which US President's daughter was named after a Joni Mitchell song?
Bill Clinton (Chelsea).
- (13) Marking the importance of the mathematical constant, on what date is 'Pi Day' celebrated: March 14th, July 22nd or October 3rd?
March 14th.
- (14) A Blackthorn winter is a spell of cold weather during which season?
Spring.
- (15) Quinsy is a form of what condition: frostbite, gout or tonsillitis?
Tonsillitis.
- (16) King Idris was the only monarch of what North African country
Libya.
- (17) The ancient region of Nubia (new-be-ah) was located in what is now Egypt and what other country: Libya, Sudan or Ethiopia?
Sudan.
- (18) What is Britain's longest numbered road?
A1.
- (19) What is the name of Mario's girlfriend who he tries to rescue from Donkey Kong: Pauline, Pat or Peggy?
Pauline.
- (20) Name the ten oldest UK national daily (Mon-Sat) newspapers that were still being published as of May 2018?
The Times, The Guardian, The Daily Telegraph, Financial Times, Daily Mail, Daily Express, Daily Mirror, Morning Star, The Sun & The Daily Star.

(21) Ho Chi Minh City lies on what river?

Saigon River.

(22) The Hoggar Mountains are in what desert?

Sahara.

(23) Yellow-eyed and king are types of what bird?

Penguin.

(24) What is the only US state with the letter 'J' in its name?

New Jersey.

(25) What is the opposite of a neap tide?

Spring tide.

(26) In an orchestra, which instrument is between a viola and a double-bass in size?

Cello.

(27) How many strings does a cello have?

Four.

(28) Winnie the Pooh is a bear of very little what?

Brain.

(29) Mai-Tai cocktail contains the juice of what fruit?

Lime. (Not lemon)

(30) In 1981, which sitcom debuted with an episode called 'Big Brother'?

Only Fools and Horses.

- (31) Which of these American cities is closest to the Canadian border: Baltimore, Chicago or Detroit?
Detroit.
- (32) In dressage how many errors lead to disqualification?
Three.
- (33) The astronomical phenomenon known as a 'supermoon' occurs when the moon is at what part of its orbit: Apogee, Perigee or Node?
Perigee.
- (34) Myriad originally referred to how many thousands?
Ten.
- (35) What name was shared by the first four kings of the House of Hanover: George, Henry or William?
George.
- (36) In netball, what is the only position identified by a single letter on a players top?
Centre.
- (37) What is the meaning of the Latin term 'nolens volens': happy clappy, willy nilly or yummy mummy?
Willy nilly.
- (38) In what Hans Christian Andersen story is a solider able to summon three powerful dogs?
The Tinder Box.
- (39) The southernmost point of mainland Australia is in what state: New South Wales, South Australia or Victoria?
Victoria.
- (40) Name the last ten different US Presidents whose surname does NOT start with a vowel?
Trump, Bush, Clinton, Bush Snr, Reagan, Carter, Ford, Nixon, Johnson & Kennedy.