

- (1) What was the title of Alfred Hitchcock's last feature film: Family Plot, Rear Window or Torn Curtain?
- Family Plot.**
- (2) In tennis, the Australian Open is held in what city?
- Melbourne.**
- (3) Which of these queens was oldest when she ascended the throne: Mary I, Elizabeth II or Victoria?
- Mary I. (37)**
- (4) Who became President of America two days after the Munity on the Bounty?
- George Washington.**
- (5) The 'Aeolus' space laser' is a satellite that monitors the Earth's what: tides, rain or winds?
- Winds. (Aeolus is Greek god of winds)**
- (6) In 1977, 'Never Too Old' was the last episode of what sitcom?
- Dad's Army.**
- (7) How many UK Top 40 hits has Elvis Presley had: 89, 119 or 139?
- 139.**
- (8) The first 'Carry On' film was released in what decade?
- 1950s.**
- (9) 'Alphabet soup' is a negative term for the many bodies that sanction world championship match-ups in which sport: boxing, wrestling or Sumo?
- Boxing.**
- (10) On a London Underground map, what line is coloured dark green?
- District.**

- (11) What city in Oregon is named after a city in Maine: Salem, Hillsboro or Portland?
Portland.
- (12) In chemistry, what name is given to a substance that slows down a chemical reaction?
Inhibitor.
- (13) According to a 2016 ONS report, how much of the total population claimed to be teetotal: 1.9%, 10.9% or 20.9%?
20.9%.
- (14) The river Yar runs through which eastern English county?
Norfolk.
- (15) Which of these Conservative politicians served the longest as Chancellor of the Exchequer: George Osborne, Geoffrey Howe or Kenneth Clarke?
George Osborne.
- (16) "Everyone is welcome" is the motto of which London department store?
Selfridges.
- (17) In total Henry VIII married women of how many different nationalities: 3, 4 or 5?
Three.
- (18) The Berkshire is England's oldest recorded pedigree breed of what animal?
Pig.
- (19) Which of these solids has the biggest volume for a given surface area: tetrahedron, cube or sphere?
Sphere.
- (20) Name the first ten English counties alphabetically with 'E' as the second letter? (Where a county has two words in its name, it is where the E is in the first word)
Bedfordshire, Berkshire, Derbyshire, Devon, Herefordshire, Hertfordshire, Kent, Leicestershire, Merseyside & West Midlands.

(21) What is the name of the green skinned witch in the musical 'Wicked'?

Elphaba.

(22) The Hippocratic oath was originally written in what language?

Greek.

(23) Who narrated the Harry Potter audio books in the UK?

Stephen Fry.

(24) 'Small guard' is a position in what US sport?

Basketball.

(25) How many wives have the four members of the Beatles had in total?

Nine. (Paul 3, John 2, George 2 & Ringo 2)

(26) What colour medal did Amir Kahn win at the 2004 Olympics?

Silver.

(27) If a month contains a Friday 13th, the 1st was what day of the week?

Sunday.

(28) Which Beatle was a guest drummer on the 2017 Foo Fighter album Concrete and Gold?

Paul McCartney.

(29) In what decade was Prince Charles created the Prince of Wales?

1950s.

(30) What is the only day of the week named after a female deity?

Friday.

- (31) In three-day eventing, what is the final discipline: dressage, show jumping or cross-country?
Show jumping.
- (32) The World Fact Book is produced annually by which US organisation?
CIA.
- (33) In what century were there consecutive female English or British monarchs: sixteenth, eighteenth or nineteenth?
Sixteenth.
- (34) Who was fired from the Rolling Stones in 1969?
Brian Jones.
- (35) Which of these ancient Greeks was NOT a philosopher: Hippocrates, Aristotle or Plato?
Hippocrates.
- (36) In heraldry, how many principal colours are there?
Five.
- (37) Which of these fictional worlds appeared in literature first: Narnia, Wonderland or Oz?
Wonderland.
- (38) The Maritime and Coastguard Agency is based in what English city?
Southampton.
- (39) Popular at weddings, who wrote the poem (lower case I) 'i carry your heart with me': T.S. Eliot, W.B. Yates or E.E. Cummings?
E.E. Cummings. (Known for not capitalising letters)
- (40) Name the last ten monarchs to rule England who were the first of their name since the Battle of Hastings? (Not inc. Lady Jane Grey)?
Victoria, George I, Anne, Charles I, James I, Elizabeth I, Mary I, Edward I, John & Richard I.