

- (1) Which animated TV show's theme song was written and performed by the rock band Primus: American Dad, Futurama or South Park?  
**South Park.**
- (2) What pair of letters prefixes the numbers 80 and 81 in 1980s computers launched by Clive Sinclair?  
**ZX.**
- (3) The word 'yeti' comes from what language: Tibetan, Chinese or Nepalese?  
**Tibetan.**
- (4) In the name of a video cable, what does 'RGB' stand for?  
**Red Green & Blue.**
- (5) The castle and cathedral of which city are UNESCO World Heritage sites: Durham, Lincoln or York?  
**Durham.**
- (6) Which Northern Irish comedian claims to come from Ballygobackwards?  
**Jimmy Cricket.**
- (7) Which of these French artists lived until the 1950s: Monet, Manet or Matisse?  
**Matisse.**
- (8) A double A battery usually has a casing of what metal?  
**Zinc.**
- (9) Before the Large Hadron Collider in Cern, Switzerland was opened, which country had the previous largest particle accelerator in the world: China, Japan or USA?  
**USA.**
- (10) An economy is technically defined as being in recession after how many consecutive quarters of negative growth in GDP?  
**Two.**

- (11) The colleges of St Hugh's, St Hilda's and St Peter's are part of which university: Oxford, Heriot-Watt or Cambridge?  
**Oxford.**
- (12) Which now defunct credit card was referred to in advertisements as "Your flexible friend"?
- Access.**
- (13) Which group released the single 'New Rose' in October 1976 and was widely considered to be the first British punk single: The Sex Pistols, The Damned or Generation X?  
**The Damned.**
- (14) 'Not a Penny more, Not a Penny Less' published in 1976 was the first novel of which politician?  
**Jeffery Archer.**
- (15) In the public information films of the 1970s, which comedian provided the meows for Charlie the ginger cat in 'Charlie says': Michael Palin, Roy Walker or Kenny Everett?  
**Kenny Everett.**
- (16) The medical condition lateral epicondylitis is a repetitive strain injury better known by two-word name?  
**Tennis elbow.**
- (17) The writer Rudyard Kipling was the cousin of which Prime Minister: Winston Churchill, Stanley Baldwin or Arthur Balfour?  
**Stanley Baldwin.**
- (18) In music, a pentatonic scale consists of how many notes?  
**Five.**
- (19) What was the former name of the Venezuelan city now called Ciudad Bolívar: Tabasco, Angostura or Curaçao?  
**Angostura.**
- (20) According to a 2022 survey by 'Which!' name the ten hotel chains in the UK voted as the best? (7 of the 10 chains have hotels in Cardiff)
- Premier Inn, Crowne Plaza, Sofitel, Radisson Blu, Wetherspoons Hotels, Hilton, Holiday Inn, Novotel, Ibis & Copthorne.**

- (21) Albion House in Liverpool was the base of what shipping company?  
**White Star Line.**
- (22) Every post code in Northern Ireland begins with what two letters?  
**BT.**
- (23) Potsdam is an historic city in what country?  
**Germany.**
- (24) What 1984 monster movie is set in the town of Kingston Falls?  
**Gremlins.**
- (25) What does the trade union name RMT stand for?  
**National Union of Rail Maritime & Transport Workers.**
- (26) What name is shared by a web browser and a 1982 film starring Clint Eastwood?  
**Firefox.**
- (27) In what year did Queen Elizabeth II first appear on British coins?  
**1952.**
- (28) What is the full two-word name of the NBA team based in Florida, whose logo is a basketball on fire?  
**Miami Heat.**
- (29) Before Elizabeth II, how many reigning monarchs were there from the House of Windsor?  
**Three.**
- (30) What is the four-letter professional name of the musician Richard Melville Hall who has had UK No.1 albums entitled 'Play' & '18'?  
**Moby.**

- (31) To which opponent did Muhammad Ali say "I bet you scare yourself to death just starin' in the mirror": Leon Spinks, George Foreman or Sonny Liston?  
**Sonny Liston.**
- (32) What is the usual English name for the river nicknamed 'China's sorrow'?  
**Yellow River.**
- (33) What sort of biscuits do Americans call 'graham crackers': digestive, nice or rich tea?  
**Digestive.**
- (34) What is the smallest four-legged mammal native to Britain?  
**Pygmy Shrew.**
- (35) The Ancient Greeks called which day of the week 'hemera selenes': Monday, Wednesday or Friday?  
**Monday.**
- (36) What range of hills extends north-west from the Vale of Taunton Deane to the Bristol Channel coast?  
**The Quantocks.**
- (37) In 2006, Michelle Bachelet became the first female president of which country: Chile, Mauritius or the Philippines?  
**Chile.**
- (38) The term 'Iron Curtain' was used to describe the boundary between the West and the communist Soviet Union. What type of curtain was correspondingly said to separate the communist and non-communist countries of Asia?  
**Bamboo.**
- (39) Which Charles Dickens character is brought up by his older sister, Mrs Joe Gargery: Oliver Twist, Philip Pirrip or Nicholas Nickleby?  
**Philip Pirrip.**
- (40) Name the ten most popular classical composers chosen by the castaway on 'Desert Island Discs'?  
**Mozart, Beethoven, Bach, Schubert, Verdi, Elgar, Tchaikovsky, Puccini, Handel & Wagner.**