

- (1) 'Matchmaker' is a job in which of these sports: ice hockey, baseball or boxing?  
**Boxing.**
- (2) What city is Portuguese for 'River of January'?  
**Rio de Janerio.**
- (3) The opera 'Gloriana' by Benjamin Britten is about which monarch: Boudicca, Elizabeth I or Elizabeth II?  
**Elizabeth I.**
- (4) Which of the Mister Men is completely see-through?  
**Mister Nobody.**
- (5) Which of these literary characters appeared first: Jane Eyre, Nicholas Nickleby or Tom Jones?  
**Tom Jones.**
- (6) The Bluecoat is an arts venue in which English city?  
**Liverpool.**
- (7) The largest United Nations office in Europe is in what city: Geneva, Brussels or Paris?  
**Geneva.**
- (8) On the continent, a wagon-lit is what type of railway carriage?  
**Sleeper.**
- (9) In what year did the period of French history called 'The Hundred Days' occur: 1815, 1830 or 1845?  
**1815.**
- (10) Emma Thompson voiced Queen Elinor in what Disney animated film?  
**Brave.**

(11) Originating in Vietnam, what kind of dish is 'Pho': soup, dumpling or cake?

Soup.

(12) Who played Robert McCall in the 2014 film 'The Equalizer'?

Denzel Washington.

(13) Crater Aurelia on Venus is named in honour of the mother of which Roman: Mark Anthony, Brutus or Julius Caesar?

Julius Caesar.

(14) Chrysotherapy is a medical treatment using what metal?

Gold.

(15) Which of these is a film guide, first published in 1977: Halliwell's, Bunton's or Chisholm's?

Halliwell's.

(16) Leicester Line and Aylesbury Arm are parts of what canal?

The Grand Union Canal.

(17) In which of these countries is Arabic NOT an official language: Iran, Jordan or Morocco?

Iran. (Persian)

(18) The literary character Inspector Maigret has what first name?

Jules.

(19) King Henry IV of France was which British king's father-in-law: Henry VII, Edward VI or Charles I?

Charles I.

(20) According to a 2011 YouGov survey, name the ten sports at which British adults wished they could have been world class at?

Football, Formula 1, tennis, swimming, athletics, golf, ice skating, gymnastics, cricket & equestrian.

(21) What city's prison is at Winston Green?

**Birmingham.**

(22) We call it a push-chair, what do the Americans call it?

**Stroller.**

(23) Which Beatle was taught to play the Sitar by Ravi Shankar?

**George Harrison.**

(24) During what kind of natural event are you likely to see 'Bailey's Beads'?

**A solar eclipse.**

(25) Who was Irish Prime Minister for eleven years from 1997?

**Bertie Ahern.**

(26) Which Womble shares his name with a soldier and Prime Minister?

**Wellington.**

(27) Ragged-tooth and small fin gulper are species of what fish?

**Shark.**

(28) What two-player game consists of forty-eight face cards on two boards?

**Guess Who.**

(29) What was Mr Humphries first name in 'Are You Being Served'?

**Wilberforce.**

(30) In the film 'The Good, The Bad and The Ugly' which actor's character was nicknamed 'Blondie'?

**Clint Eastwood.**

- (31) Notaphily is the study or collection of what: sheet music, bank notes or autographs?  
**Bank notes.**
- (32) Pendennis Castle in Falmouth was built by which Tudor king?  
**Henry VIII.**
- (33) Where does Paddington Bear keep a marmalade sandwich for emergencies: in his suitcase, under his hat or in his coat pocket?  
**Under his hat.**
- (34) In Roman numerals, what number is represented by a capital V with a horizontal line on top of it?  
**5,000.**
- (35) Which of these elements has the highest melting point: carbon, platinum or uranium?  
**Carbon.**
- (36) What is the second largest fish after the whale shark?  
**Basking shark.**
- (37) Take That formed in what year: 1988, 1990 or 1992?  
**1990.**
- (38) How many justices sit on the US Supreme Court?  
**Nine.**
- (39) Which wife of Henry VIII was previously married to Edward Borough: Anne of Cleves, Catherine Parr or Jane Seymour?  
**Catherine Parr.**
- (40) Up to January 2021, name the last ten Disney/Pixar animated films with a title character? (title refers ONLY to a title character)  
**Coco, Mona, Finding Dory, Wreck It Ralph, Winnie the Pooh, Bolt, WALL-E, Chicken Little, Finding Nemo & Lilo & Stitch.**