

Round 1 – Get Your Feet Wet (2 points each)

What former NBA player was nicknamed The Big Aristotle?

Shaquille O’Neal

<https://bleacherreport.com/articles/212142-shaqtastic-shaq-nicknames-through-the-years-shaqs-new-nicknames>

Finish the line of this nursery rhyme: “Little Boy Blue, come blow your horn! The sheep’s in the meadow, the cow’s in the _____.

Corn

<https://www.poetryfoundation.org/poems/46972/little-boy-blue-56d2271bef1fa>

What letter am I describing? In baseball, it's shorthand for a strikeout. On the periodic table, it's potassium. In a text, it can be a quick response to just about anything.

K

What is sitcom short for?

Situation Comedy

<https://www.vocabulary.com/dictionary/sitcom>

<https://www.merriam-webster.com/dictionary/sitcom>

Which of the Great Lakes is the only Great Lake that does NOT touch Michigan?

Lake Ontario

<https://homework.study.com/explanation/what-great-lake-does-not-touch-michigan.html#:~:text=Lake%20Ontario%20is%20the%20only,the%20Canadian%20province%20of%20Ontario.>

Often considered one of the greatest Super Bowl ads of all time, what beer brand ran a famous commercial in the early 2000’s featuring friends calling each other to say “wassup”?

Budweiser

https://www.pajiba.com/web_culture/did-everybody-else-know-that-the-budweiser-whassup-ad-was-based-on-a-real-short-film.php

<https://www.thedrum.com/news/2022/06/14/world-s-best-ads-ever-15-budweiser-simply-asks-wassup>

Round 2 – Over/ Under (3 points each)

The year the Titanic sank – 1910

Over (1912)

<https://www.britannica.com/topic/Titanic>

Measured by the time it takes the moon to go through all of its phases, how many days is a Lunar Month? – 90

Under (29.5 days)

<https://www.timeanddate.com/astronomy/moon/lunar-month.html>

<https://byjus.com/question-answer/what-is-a-lunar-month/#>

<https://earthsky.org/astronomy-essentials/definition-what-are-lunar-months/>

The number of colored circles on a Twister mat – 25

Under (24)

<https://brainly.com/question/31835884#>

<https://board-games.fandom.com/wiki/Twister>

The year of the Battle of New Orleans, where future president Andrew Jackson led the Americans to victory over the British – 1818

Under (1815 – Bonus fact: The War of 1812 was effectively over by the time of this battle due to a treaty signed in Belgium. But news was slow to travel and had not reached New Orleans by the time of the battle.)

The number of Square-Acres of Central Park in New York City – 1,000

Under (843 acres)

<https://www.skny.io/central-park/how-big-is-central-park>

The number of elevators in the Empire State Building – 35

Over (73)

<https://www.esbnyc.com/about/facts-figures#:~:text=Thankfully%2C%20the%20Empire%20State%20Building,make%20the%20climb%20on%20foot!>

Round 3 – Trifecta Trivia (3 points each)

Who was the first American to Orbit the Earth?

John Glenn

<https://earthsky.org/space/john-glenn-1st-american-to-orbit-earth-feb-20-1962/#:~:text=John%20Glenn%20became%20the%20first,hero%20and%20a%20household%20name.>

In 2021, primarily due to taxes and regulation, Tesla’s headquarters moved from Silicon Valley to what Texas city?

Austin

<https://www.theguardian.com/technology/2024/feb/01/elon-musk-acts-to-move-tesla-legal-base-to-texas-after-pay-package-ruling#:~:text=Musk%20has%20strong%20ties%20with,opening%20a%20factory%20in%20Fremont.>

Typically, only known by his title and last name, what famous cereal mascot’s first and middle names are Horatio Magellan?

Cap’n Crunch

<https://contact.pepsico.com/capncrunch/about-us>

Which artist sang the song “Oh, Pretty Woman” from the film Pretty Woman?

Roy Orbison

<https://www.amazon.com/Pretty-Original-Motion-Picture-Soundtrack/dp/B0C11ZBS47>

Bonus fact: The iconic theme song was inspired by Orbison's wife, and earned him a posthumous Grammy Award.

Chicago has three professional sports teams whose names start with the letter B. Name those three teams.

Bears, Bulls, Blackhawks

Fill in the blank: In preparation for the D-Day attacks on Normandy Beach, the plan was given the code name Operation _____.

Overlord

<https://www.eisenhowerlibrary.gov/research/online-documents/world-war-ii-d-day-invasion-normandy>

Round 4 – The List Round

In this round, instead of asking three questions, I will ask you one question. Your answer will come in the form of a list. So one question and your answer is a list. You will get one point for each answer you get correct.

For example, if I said “name all five Spice Girls” and the only answers you could give were “sporty and posh” then you would get two of the possible five points.

- In this round, instead of asking three questions, we are going to play a matching game!

I am going to give you the name of 5 games shows and 5 different hosts, some are current while others are former hosts. I want you to match the name of the host with the game show. You will get one point for each match you get correct!

Host Note: Read the Show/Host in the order we listed them below. Read all the Shows first, then repeat them, then repeat them a third time. Then read all the hosts, then repeat them, then repeat them a third time.

Show	Host
1. Price Is Right	1. Steve Harvey
2. Let's Make a Deal	2. Alfonso Ribeiro
3. Family Feud	3. Bob Barker
4. The \$100,000 Pyramid	4. Michael Strahan
5. Catch 21	5. Wayne Brady

Correct Matches:

Price is Right – Bob Barker

Let's Make a Deal – Wayne Brady

Family Feud – Steve Harvey

The \$100,000 Pyramid – Michael Strahan

Catch 21 – Alfonso Ribeiro (he is most famous for playing Carlton on The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air)

SUPER-DUPER-ULTRA-MEGA-IMPORTANT NOTE:

At halftime of the game, you will offer teams 3 bonus points in exchange for their email addresses. Afterwards, you will send the emails to triviamanager@gmail.com. When the players give us their email, we will send them one email each week with three free answers for that night's game so it is a major benefit for them. This is our #1 marketing campaign and we will not generate a returning crowd without the emails.

HALFTIME: Play a song or two to let people buy a drink, eat their food, and it will let you catch up on scoring if you need to.

If you have the same people playing each week for an extended period of time (more than 3 months), you can mix it up and have them follow us on Facebook or Instagram (handles are on the worksheet they have).

STOP... IN THE NAME OF LOVE (And Emails)

Did you get emails from players for bonus points? It's not too late. Remember to emphasize to them that we will not spam their emails. They will just get one email per week from us with free answers for the game.

Round 5 –Game Show Style (4 points each)

This week's game show is To Tell the Truth! I will give you three true-or-false questions

According to WeGotDivorced.com, the United States has the highest divorce rate in the world.

False

1. I totally made that website up.

2. According to multiple sources, The Maldives have the world's highest divorce rate.

<https://www.australianfamilylawyers.com.au/information-centre/divorce-rates-by-country-highest-lowest#:~:text=Not%20only%20did%20the%20Maldives.country%20of%20time%20in%20history.>

<https://divorce.com/blog/divorce-rates-in-the-world/>

Willie Mays played in 24 All-Star games, but only played 22 professional seasons of baseball.

True (During some seasons, they would actually have two All-Star games in a year)

<https://www.newsweek.com/2020/06/26/willie-mays-explains-why-baseballs-all-star-game-meant-so-much-his-generation-1508994.html>

Justin Bieber's hit song "Love Yourself" was written by Bieber with help from other stars Ed Sheeran and Benny Blanco.

True

<https://www.vam.ac.uk/mused/music/6-songs-that-you-didnt-know-ed-sheeran-wrote/#:~:text=Justin%20Bieber%20%20Love%20Yourself&text=The%20song%20-%20written%20by%20Ed,he%20was%20the%20perfect%20fit.>

William Shakespeare's wife was named Anne Hathaway.

True

<https://www.shakespeare.org.uk/explore-shakespeare/shakespeadia/william-shakespeare/shakespeares-wife-and-marriage/#:~:text=Who%20was%20Shakespeare's%20Wife%3F.pregnant%20with%20their%20first%20child.>

Unless there is imminent danger, it is illegal to honk your car horn in New York City.

True

<https://abc7ny.com/illegal-horn-honking-flirting-and-pocket-ice-cream-cones-are-all-among-nyc-forgotten-laws/14675828/#:~:text=Perhaps%20one%20of%20the%20city's.in%20danger%2C%20honking%20is%20encouraged.>

<https://www.fox5ny.com/news/nyc-car-honking-illegal>

Leonardo DaVinci was alive when Christopher Columbus first sailed to the Americas.

True (Columbus sailed to the Americas in 1492. DaVinci lived from 1452 – 1519)

Round 6 – Entertainment Trivia (4 points each)

In 1972, what comedian preformed the monologue called "Seven Words You Can Never Say on Television," eventually leading to his arrest?

George Carlin

<https://www.biography.com/legal-figures/george-carlin-seven-words-supreme-court>

Chris Kirkpatrick from *NSYNC performed the voice of a character named Chip Skylark in what Nickelodeon show that ran from 2001 to 2017?

Fairly Odd Parents

<https://www.imdb.com/title/tt0235918/>

https://fairlyoddpaints.fandom.com/wiki/Chris_Kirkpatrick

What actor, who was also in Top Gun, played Jim Morrison in the film The Doors?

Val Kilmer

The 1980 song “Whip It” was a “pep talk for President Carter,” according to the founder of what new wave band?

Devo

<https://www.yahoo.com/entertainment/devo-on-50-years-of-de-evolution-185149554.html>

What is the name of Adam Sandler’s character in The Waterboy?

Bobby Boucher

<https://www.imdb.com/title/tt0120484/>

For question 3, the host plays a song, just like every round, but this time the audience has to name the song AND artist. They must get both the song title and artist name correct in order to receive the points.

Whatever song the host chooses

Round 7 – Mixing Things Up (5 points each)

Each week, we do something different to make this round special. This week, we are doing “The Candy Wars!” I will give you the name of a popular snack or candy. You tell me whether it is made by the Mars company or the Hershey company.

<https://www.hersheyland.com/brands>

https://www.mars.com/our-brands/mars-snacking?gad_source=1&gbraid=0AAAAACs5xbD29ZfgvFG6Cw_0PGmHnnOZY&gclid=CjwKCAjwnK60BhA9EiwAmpHZw3OkB3g13kyboy0bW8FCIxO_R4RkE4RMslfR_epBpNGdxY7FG4FPqhoC3kgOAvD_BwE&gclsrc=aw.ds

Snickers Mars
Starburst Mars
Kit Kat Hershey
3 Muskateers Mars
York Peppermint Patties Hershey
Juicy Fruit Mars

Round 8 – Game Changer Round (6 points each)

When talking about business and marketing, what does the acronym CAC stand for?

Customer Acquisition Cost (also accept Cost to Acquire a Customer)

<https://www.productplan.com/glossary/customer-acquisition-cost/#:~:text=Customer%20Acquisition%20Cost%2C%20or%20CAC,buy%20a%20product%20or%20service.>

What NHL franchise entered the league in 2017 and made it all the way to the Stanley Cup Final in the team's first year in the league?

Vegas Golden Knights

<https://records.nhl.com/franchises/vegas-golden-knights/season-by-season-record>

The North Star was a 19th-century anti-slavery newspaper founded by what famous abolitionist and formerly enslaved man?

Frederick Douglass

<https://www.loc.gov/collections/frederick-douglass-newspapers/about-this-collection/>

When talking about lights, what does LED stand for?

Light Emitting Diode

https://www.energystar.gov/products/light_bulbs/learn-about-led-lighting#:~:text=LED%20stands%20for%20light%20emitting,the%20result%20is%20visible%20light.

In which German state would you find the cities Munich and Nuremberg?

Bavaria

<https://www.worldatlas.com/articles/the-largest-cities-in-bavaria.html>

Popularly known for taking his infamous photo-op aboard an M1 Abrams tank, Michael Dukakis served as the governor of what U.S. state prior to his 1988 presidential campaign?

Massachusetts

<https://www.history.com/videos/tank-ride>

<https://www.nga.org/governor/michael-stanley-dukakis/>

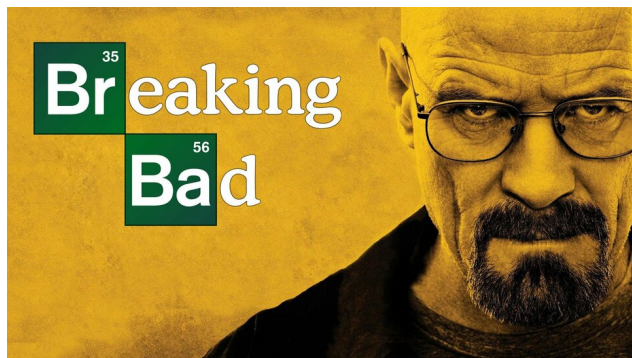
Final Trivia (bid between 0 - ALL points earned)

Topic: TV Show Logos

The logo for the show Breaking Bad features two elements from the periodic table. Name one of those elements. You do not have to give the name of the element, you can just give the two-letter abbreviation.

Br (Bromine) or Ba (Barium)

*Bonus Fact: The show uses the elements to help spell out the title of the show **Breaking Bad** (reference the photos below).*





<https://screenrant.com/breaking-bad-show-title-meaning/>

<https://mitpress.mit.edu/in-breaking-bad-science-steals-the-show/>