

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

Literally the study of whales, "Cetology" is the title of the 32nd chapter of what lengthy American novel?

Moby Dick

<https://etc.usf.edu/lit2go/42/moby-dick/682/chapter-32-cetology/>

What actor played the role of Count Dooku in the 'Star Wars' prequels?

Christopher Lee

The silly-sounding bird name "swoose" refers to the hybrid offspring of a goose and what other bird?

Swan

<https://www.watchmojo.com/articles/top-10-hybrid-animals-that-should-not-exist#:~:text=You%20may%20not%20have%20heard,various%20swan%20or%20goose%20species>

By the mid-1800's, Nashville was known as the "Athens of the South" due to its many colleges. To honor that name, Nashville constructed a full-scale replica of what Ancient Greek landmark?

Parthenon (the Nashville Parthenon is still there today. The Parthenon and the "Athens of the South" nickname both contributed to the NFL team being called the Tennessee Titans)

<https://www.tripsavvy.com/athens-of-the-south-2476869>

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

In which state is Cape Canaveral located?

Florida

What 2010's sitcom starring Andy Samberg and Terry Crews was cancelled by Fox after its fifth season, then picked up by NBC for seasons six, seven, and eight?

Brooklyn 99

<https://deadline.com/2018/05/brooklyn-nine-nine-saved-picked-by-nbc-1202389168/>

<https://www.imdb.com/title/tt2467372/>

Round 2 – Over/ Under (3 points each)

Queen Elizabeth II ruled longer than any other Monarch in British history. How many years was she Queen? – 65

Over (70)

<https://www.royal.uk/queen-elizabeth-ii-life-and-reign#:~:text=The%20Queen%20ruled%20for%20longer,than%20two%20billion%20people%20worldwide.>

<https://www.nbcnews.com/news/world/queen-elizabeth-life-legacy-uk-monarch-rcna17047>

The number of inches in a mile – 1 million

Under (63,360)

<https://www.inchcalculator.com/convert/mile-to-inch/#:~:text=How%20Many%20Inches%20Are%20in,value%20in%20the%20formula%20above.&text=Our%20inch%20fraction%20calculator%20can,imperial%2C%20and%20SI%20metric%20values.>

Which amendment to the US constitution gave women the right to vote – 17

Over (19th Amendment)

<https://constitution.congress.gov/constitution/amendment-19/#:~:text=The%20right%20of%20citizens%20of,this%20article%20by%20appropriate%20legislation.>

In Scrabble, if you played the word “TRIVIA” all on regular squares, how many points would it be worth – 10 points

Under (9 points)

T = 1 point

R = 1 point

I = 1 point

V = 4 points

I = 1 point

A = 1 point

https://hasbro-new.custhelp.com/app/answers/detail/a_id/55/~what-is-the-total-face-value-of-all-the-scrabble-tiles%3F

The age of Rosa Parks when she declined to move to the back of a bus, helping initiate the Civil Rights movement – 50

Under (42)

<https://www.history.com/topics/black-history/rosa-parks>

<https://www.archives.gov/education/lessons/rosa-parks#:~:text=On%20December%201%2C%201955%2C%20during,she%20worked%20as%20a%20seamstress.>

The year the London Eye Ferris wheel officially opened – 1995

Over (1999 – But due to some technical difficulties, the public couldn't take its first ride until March of 2000)

<https://www.ef.com/wwen/blog/language/11-things-bet-didnt-know-london-eye/#>

Round 3 – Trifecta Trivia (3 points each)

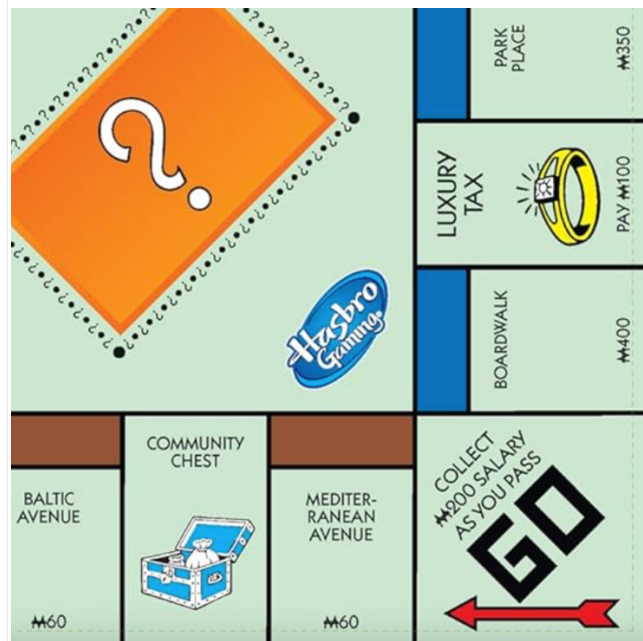
Which US president was a team MVP on the University of Michigan football team, then turned down an offer to play professional football for the Green Bay Packers, instead opting to apply to Yale Law School?

Gerald Ford

<https://www.profootballhof.com/news/2020/02/presidents-who-played-football/#>

After passing “go” in the American standard version of Monopoly, what is the first property/ street you can run into?

Mediterranean Avenue



In the medical profession, what part of your face would interest a 'Rhinologists'?

Nose (also accept sinuses if someone gets that specific)

<https://www.mayoclinic.org/departments-centers/rhinology-nose-and-sinus/overview/ovc-20426855>

Mont Blanc is the highest peak in what mountain range?

The Alps

<https://www.alpenwild.com/staticpage/top-10-highest-peaks-in-the-alps/#:~:text=1..France%2C%20Switzerland%2C%20and%20Italy.>

<https://www.ovonetwork.com/blog/highest-peaks-in-the-alps/>

A Walt Disney World resort in Florida and the Cygnus Constellation are both named after what kind of bird?

Swan (Walt Disney has a Swan Resort and Cygnus is the Latin word for Swan)

<https://swandolphin.com>

<https://www.constellation-guide.com/constellation-list/cygnus-constellation/>

Considered by many to be the best Canadian NBA player of all time, what player won the NBA MVP award in 2005 and 2006?

Steve Nash

<https://www.hoopshall.com/hall-of-famers/steve-nash/>

<https://www.thecanadianencyclopedia.ca/en/article/steve-nash#:~:text=Steve%20Nash%20is%20widely%20considered,Canadian%20to%20win%20the%20award.>

<https://www.completesports.com/top-7-greatest-canadian-players-in-nba-history/>

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.

- Based on the number of annual visits, list the five most popular US National Parks.

1. **Great Smokey Mountains National Park**
2. **Grand Canyon National Park**
3. **Zion National Park**
4. **Yellowstone National Park**
5. **Rocky Mountain National Park**

<https://www.smithsonianmag.com/smart-news/most-and-least-popular-national-parks-2023-180983850/>

<https://www.nationalgeographic.com/travel/national-parks/article/most-visited-parks-photos>

<https://www.usatoday.com/story/travel/experience/national-parks/2024/03/31/national-parks-most-visited-trivia/73089990007/>

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 Two Truths and a Lie. I will give you a fact and then three options. That fact will apply to two of those options. Your job is to tell me which option the fact does NOT apply to.

For an easy example: If I said "This is a famous fictional dog." And your options were "Snoopy, Clifford, and Abraham Lincoln." Obviously, the answer would be Abraham Lincoln.

This was product was created before World War I.

Coca Cola
Juicy Fruit
Silly Putty

<https://www.crayola.com/faq/your-history/can-you-tell-me-the-history-of-silly-putty/#:~:text=Silly%20Putty%20was%20discovered,in%201950%20by%20Peter%20Hodgson.>

<https://www.usmintindustry.com/mint-resources/history-of-chewing-gum/>

<https://www.coca-cola.com/in/en/about-us/history#:~:text=On%20May%208%2C%201886%2C%20Dr.into%20a%20total%20beverage%20company.>

This is something you would call a group of Kangaroos.

A Court
A Troop
A Seam

https://www.grammar-monster.com/collective_nouns/collective-noun-for-kangaroos.html

This building has its own, unique zip code.

The White House
The Empire State Building
The Flatiron Building (in New York City)

<https://dailypassport.com/us-buildings-with-own-zip-codes/>

This is something you call a group of Tigers.

A Streak
An Ambush
A Mosh

<https://www.discoveryuk.com/big-cats/what-is-a-group-of-tigers-called/>

This product was created before the year 2000.

Betty Spaghetty

The Nokia 6610

Microsoft Windows

<https://news.microsoft.com/announcement/microsoft-is-born/#:~:text=Microsoft%20released%20Windows%20in%201985,largest%20personal%2Dcomputer%20software%20company>.

<https://discontinuedtoyline.wordpress.com/2016/06/22/betty-spaghetty/>

<https://gizmodo.com/the-gadgets-that-got-us-going-back-in-2002-5935228>

This product was created before World War II.

Electric Blender

Breath-A-Lyzer

Ford Model-T

<https://corporate.ford.com/articles/history/the-model-t.html#:~:text=The%20Model%20T%20was%20introduced,of%20manufacturing%20the%20universal%20car>.

<https://www.mcgill.ca/oss/article/did-you-know-history/breathalyzer-there-was-drunkometer#:~:text=The%20first%20breathalyzer%20as%20we,subject's%20breath%20and%20potassium%20dichromate>.

<https://exhibits.museum.state.il.us/exhibits/athome/1920/objects/eblender.htm#:~:text=The%20first%20electric%20blender%20was,and%20vegetables%20to%20a%20liquid>.

Round 6 – Entertainment Trivia (4 points each)

A flock of ostriches puts on ballet shoes and dances to "La Gioconda" in what 1940 Disney movie?

Fantasia

[https://www.christies.com/en/lot/lot-6447202#:~:text=It%20was%20inspired%20by%20a,opera%20La%20Gioconda%20\(1876\).](https://www.christies.com/en/lot/lot-6447202#:~:text=It%20was%20inspired%20by%20a,opera%20La%20Gioconda%20(1876).)

What satire news outlet, founded by two students at the University of Wisconsin in 1988 has produced headlines such as "Drugs Win Drug War" and "CIA Realizes It's Been Using Black Highlighters All These Years"?

The Onion

If you want to read more funny headlines to your audience, you can find them here:

<https://ew.com/article/2013/08/29/the-onion-greatest-headlines/>

What Canadian artist had a number-one hit for two weeks in 1998 for her song which was closely tied to a 1997 blockbuster movie?

Celine Dion (The song is “My Heart Will Go On” and the movie is “Titanic”)

<https://www.billboard.com/artist/celine-dion/chart-history/hsi/>

<https://www.celinedion.com/about/biography/>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=F2RnxZnubCM>

What is the name of the Greyhound Dog in "The Simpsons"?

Santa's Little Helper

<https://www.dogster.com/lifestyle/what-breed-of-dog-is-santas-little-helper>

Before becoming famous, Kim Kardashian worked as an assistant for what other female celebrity?

Paris Hilton

<https://www.nickiswift.com/249798/the-truth-about-kim-kardashians-time-as-paris-hiltons-assistant/>

For question 6, 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's round is called "Location, Location, Location!" I am going to give you three locations within a popular television show. You tell me the name of the show.

In what dramatic show do you see the characters at Winterfell, The Wall, and Kings Landing?

Game of Thrones (also accept House of the Dragon)

In what Sit-Com do the characters spend time at Maclaren's Pub, Goliath National Bank, and a little time at Columbia University?

How I Met Your Mother

In what three-season show does the main character go to Nelson Road Stadium, The Crown and Anchor Pub, and the state of Kansas.

Ted Lasso

In what dramatic show do you see the characters at The Blue Tick Lodge, The Lickety Splitz Strip Club, and the infamous Snell House?

Ozark

In what Sit-Com do the characters spend most of their time at Paddy' Pub, but also at Dee's apartment and at Sant Joseph's Prep School?

It's Always Sunny in Philadelphia

In what seven-season show do the characters work at City Hall, but also go to JJ's Diner and the dreaded city of Eagleton?

Parks and Rec

Round 8 – Game Changer Round (6 points each)

April 6th, 1917, the United States entered World War One, by declaring war on what country?

Germany

<https://www.loc.gov/item/today-in-history/april-06#:~:text=On%20April%206%2C%201917%2C%20the,of%20Major%20General%20John%20J.>

A relative of turmeric and the name of a member of the Spice Girls, what spice is known in Indian cuisine as "adrak"?

Ginger

<https://m.tarladalal.com/glossary-ginger-adrak-453i>

<https://www.uky.edu/Ag/Horticulture/Geneve/HortClub/Tumeric.pdf>

[https://pharomeasy.in/blog/ayurveda-uses-benefits-side-effects-of-ginger/#:~:text=Ginger%20\(Adrak\)%20and%20its%20extracts,of%20inflammatory%20diseases%20like%20colitis.](https://pharomeasy.in/blog/ayurveda-uses-benefits-side-effects-of-ginger/#:~:text=Ginger%20(Adrak)%20and%20its%20extracts,of%20inflammatory%20diseases%20like%20colitis.)

Complete the name of the 1990s Boy Band which had four top-5 hits on the Billboard Charts. The group's name is '____ degrees'?

98

<https://www.98degrees.com>

Formed in Seattle in the nineties, what band fronted by Josh Homme had a number one album in 2013 titled "...Like Clockwork"?

Queens of the Stone Age

<https://www.billboard.com/pro/queens-of-the-stone-age-get-first-no-1-album-on-billboard-200-chart/>

Although the NFL's Colts now play in Indianapolis, from 1953 to 1984 they were based in what East Coast city which is also known for its "charm"?

Baltimore (Baltimore's nickname is The Charm City)

<https://www.profootballhof.com/teams/indianapolis-colts/team-history/>

<https://theculturetrip.com/north-america/usa/maryland/articles/why-is-baltimore-called-charm-city>

Fill in the Blank: A book written by James Clear is about the massive impacts of tiny changes in personal habits. This book is called _____ Habits. (We are looking for a one-word answer).

Atomic

<https://jamesclear.com/atomic-habits#:~:text=Atomic%20Habits%3A%20Tiny%20Changes%2C%20Remarkable%20Results%20by%20James%20Clear>

Final Trivia (bid between 0 - ALL points earned)

Topic: Iconic People

Born in Germany in 1879 and dying in 1955, who did Time Magazine name as the Person of the Century on December 31, 1999?

Albert Einstein

<https://content.time.com/time/magazine/0,9263,7601991231,00.html>

<https://www.aps.org/archives/publications/apsnews/200002/einstein.cfm>

<https://www.britannica.com/biography/Albert-Einstein>

<https://www.nasonline.org/member-directory/deceased-members/20001817.html>