

DUBLIN QUIZ LEAGUE

RUNNING ORDER + INDIVIDUAL QUESTIONS

SEASON 9 MATCH 9 (7th April 2025, 7.30pm) - set by The Quizgeralds

START OF QUIZ

Teams to toss a coin to determine A & B order

<u>Round 1 - Individual</u>	<u>Question</u>	<u>Answer</u>
Q1a (Team A Person 1)	Not counting orange, which depends on whether you consider "amber" or "gold" as variants, there is only one colour that appears just once among the GAA county colours of the 32 Irish counties. Which colour is this?	<u>Purple</u> (Wexford)
Q1b (Team B Person 1)	What colour appears most frequently among GAA county colours: 17 counties altogether?	<u>White</u>
Q2a (Team A Person 2)	Who is the current United States Secretary of State? He replaced Anthony Blinken in the role earlier this year.	Marco <u>Rubio</u>
Q2b (Team B Person 2)	Who is the current United States Secretary of Defense? He replaced Lloyd Austen in the role earlier this year.	Pete <u>Hegseth</u>
Q3a (Team A Person 3)	Westmalle, Chimay and Orval are all brands of Belgian beer produced by which order of monks? Beer produced by this order is a protected trade mark in the EU to mark it as authentic.	<u>Trappist</u> (or Order of <u>Cistercians</u> of the Strict Observance)
Q3b (Team B Person 3)	What name is given to the Benedictine Abbey in Devon in England that were originators of a popular and widespread tonic wine, which one might be surprised to learn was originally associated with monks?	<u>Buckfast</u> Abbey
Q4a (Team A Person 4)	A hospital PACU is a care unit for the after-effects of what, beginning with A?	<u>Anaesthesia</u> (or <u>anaesthetic</u>)
Q4b (Team B Person 4)	The vaccine DTaP protects against Diphtheria, Pertussis (a.k.a. whooping cough), and one other disease. What does the T stand for?	<u>Tetanus</u>

Round 2 - Team

Team **A** to pick a topic first

Team **B** to pick a topic second

Round 3 - Individual

	Question	Answer
Q1a (Team B Person 1)	Built by Edward Cecil Guinness for family use around an older Georgian house, what national monument is described by the Office of Public Works as <i>"An eclectic Edwardian mansion and the Irish state guest house"</i> ?	<u>Farmleigh</u> House
Q1b (Team A Person 1)	Built by Sir William Chambers for the first Earl of Charlemont, what national monument is described by the Office of Public Works as <i>"Ireland's miniature architectural masterpiece - a unique and intriguing garden temple"</i> ?	<u>Casino Marino</u> (prompt on a partial answer)
Q2a (Team B Person 2)	Of the four Dublin teams in the 2025 League of Ireland Premier Division, the home grounds of which <u>two</u> are closest to each other?	<u>Bohemians</u> (Dalymount Park) and <u>Shelbourne</u> (Tolka Park)
Q2b (Team A Person 2)	In the 2025 League of Ireland Premier Division, the home grounds of which <u>two</u> teams are furthest from each other?	<u>Derry</u> City (Brandywell) and <u>Cork</u> City (Turners Cross)
Q3a (Team B Person 3)	Ubiquitous in doctor's offices across the world, what does a sphygmomanometer [<i>"sphig-moh-man-ometer"</i>] measure?	<u>Blood pressure</u>
Q3b (Team A Person 3)	More for specific scientific use with a microscope than a sphygmomanometer, what does a hemocytometer [<i>"hee-moh-site-ometer"</i>] measure?	Quantity of <u>Blood Cells</u>
Q4a (Team B Person 4)	Which 18th/19th century German author wrote <i>Faust</i> and <i>The Sorrows of Young Werther</i> ?	Johann Wolfgang von <u>Goethe</u>
Q4b (Team A Person 4)	Which 19th century French author wrote <i>The Count of Monte Cristo</i> and <i>The Three Musketeers</i> ?	Alexandre <u>Dumas</u>

Round 4 - Team

Team **B** to pick a topic first

Team **A** to pick a topic second

Round 5 - Individual

	Question	Answer
Q1a (Team A Person 1)	Robert Fico is the current Prime Minister of which EU member state?	<u>Slovakia</u>
Q1b (Team B Person 1)	Luis Montenegro is the current Prime Minister of which EU member state?	<u>Portugal</u>
Q2a (Team A Person 2)	Which Caribbean nation is one of only two countries in the world to have a flag that features the colour purple?	<u>Dominica</u>
Q2b (Team B Person 2)	Which Central American nation is the only other country in the world to have a flag that features the colour purple?	<u>Nicaragua</u>
Q3a (Team A Person 3)	The MMR vaccine protects against Measles, Mumps, and what else?	<u>Rubella</u> (or <u>German Measles</u>)
Q3b (Team B Person 3)	More widely known since COVID-19, the term "PPE" denotes what kind of Protective Equipment?	<u>Personal</u>
Q4a (Team A Person 4)	Blue agave [<i>"ah-gaah-vay"</i>] is the base ingredient in the production of which alcoholic spirit?	<u>Tequila</u>
Q4b (Team B Person 4)	Molasses and/or other remnants of sugar cane are the base ingredients in the production of which alcoholic spirit?	<u>Rum</u>

Round 6 - Team

Team **A** to pick a topic first

Team **B** to pick a topic second

Round 7 - Individual	Question	Answer
Q1a (Team B Person 1)	<i>The Raft of the Medusa</i> and <i>The Charging Chasseur</i> are paintings by which French Romantic artist?	Theodore <u>Gericault</u> ["jerri-coh"]
Q1b (Team A Person 1)	<i>Wanderer Above the Sea of Fog</i> and <i>Man and Woman Contemplating the Moon</i> are paintings by which German Romantic artist?	Caspar David <u>Friedrich</u>
Q2a (Team B Person 2)	The Moment Magnitude scale is used to measure the intensity of what powerful and destructive natural phenomenon? It is a logarithmic scale usually measured from about 3.5 (Weakest) to 10 (Strongest) and has replaced a more famous scale that measures the same thing.	<u>Earthquakes</u>
Q2b (Team A Person 2)	The Saffir-Simpson scale is used to measure the intensity of what powerful and destructive natural phenomenon with Category 1 being the weakest and Category 5 being the strongest?	<u>Hurricanes</u> (accept <u>Cyclones</u> / <u>Typhoons</u>)
Q3a (Team B Person 3)	In what <u>decade</u> was the League of Ireland Premier Division founded?	<u>1980s</u> (1985)
Q3b (Team A Person 3)	What was the first <u>decade</u> in which the League of Ireland Premier Division was made up entirely of full-time professional clubs and players?	<u>2020s</u> (2025)
Q4a (Team B Person 4)	In which Munster town on the River Suir would you find a medieval castle which was for centuries the possession of the powerful Butler family? The castle is a current national monument and parts of the TV show <i>The Tudors</i> were shot there.	<u>Cahir</u>
Q4b (Team A Person 4)	In which Leinster town on the River Boyne would you find a Norman castle built by Viceroy Hugh De Lacy in 12th century? The castle is a current national monument and parts of the film <i>Braveheart</i> were shot there.	<u>Trim</u>

Round 8 - Team

Team **B** to pick a topic first

Team **A** to use last remaining topic

END OF QUIZ

**Spare questions
(only use if necessary)**

Question	Answer
What tea blend is flavoured with oil of bergamot and is named after a 19th century British Prime Minister?	<u>Earl Grey</u>
In the 1937 Disney movie <i>Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs</i> , who is the only dwarf who doesn't speak?	<u>Dopey</u>
The Vienna Game, the Ruy Lopez Opening, The Alekhine Defense and Grob's Attack are all types of what?	<u>Chess Openings</u> (prompt on "Chess")
With a population of 230 million - more than all but four countries - what state of India is the most populated subnational jurisdiction in the world?	<u>Uttar Pradesh</u>

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Holy Moly

Q1	Which Pope visited Ireland in 1979, drawing an estimated 2.5 million people to events around the country?	<u>John Paul II</u>
Q2	Which American church has 4,000 members in Ireland, across 13 congregations? The so-called "message of the Restoration" first arrived here in 1840, a mere 10 years after the church was founded in the US.	Church of <u>Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints</u> (accept <u>LDS</u> or <u>Mormons</u>)
Q3	The 17th-century nun Margaret Mary Alacoque had a vision of Jesus with a transparent chest. What two-word term is given to the Catholic devotion that this popularised, traditionally seen in a picture displayed in many Irish homes?	<u>Sacred Heart</u>
Q4	Founded in 1095, and located on Church Street near the Four Courts, which church was once the only church on the north side of the Liffey? Its famous crypt with medieval "mummies" was recently vandalised.	St <u>Michan's</u>

It's Only Words

Q1	Which word for a sporting official comes from the Old French "non per", meaning "not equal"?	<u>Umpire</u>
Q2	The egg-based liqueur Advocaat gets its name because it was associated with which profession in the Netherlands?	<u>Lawyers</u> (accept <u>solicitors</u> , <u>barristers</u> , etc)
Q3	Which word, very relevant to what we're doing right now, comes from the Latin for "a place where three roads meet"?	<u>Trivia</u> (plural of <u>trivium</u>)
Q4	What word, originally meaning "fate", developed its more usual meaning of "strange" or "out of the ordinary" in the 19th century? An American singer, popular since the 1980s, uses it as part of his stage name.	<u>Weird</u>

Lynch Mob

Q1	A regular of film director David Lynch, which actress played the female lead in Lynch's <i>Blue Velvet</i> , <i>Wild at Heart</i> and <i>Inland Empire</i> ? She is also noted for winning an Academy Award for <i>Marriage Story</i> and for playing the female lead Dr. Ellie Sattler in <i>Jurassic Park</i> .	Laura <u>Dern</u>
Q2	Cast alongside Dern as the male lead in <i>Blue Velvet</i> , who is perhaps best known for his role as Detective Dale Cooper in David Lynch's TV series <i>Twin Peaks</i> ?	Kyle <u>MacLachlan</u>
Q3	Which actress came to prominence after starring as Betty Elms in David Lynch's <i>Mulholland Drive</i> ? Along with <i>Twin Peaks: The Return</i> , she also played roles in non-Lynch films <i>The Ring</i> , <i>21 Grams</i> and <i>The Impossible</i> , the last two of which earned her Oscar nominations for Best Actress.	Naomi <u>Watts</u>
Q4	Which composer was noted for his collaborations with David Lynch, writing the scores for <i>Lost Highway</i> , <i>The Straight Story</i> and <i>Mulholland Drive</i> , as well as the theme for <i>Twin Peaks</i> , for which he won a Grammy?	Angelo <u>Badalamenti</u>

Marvelous Double Acts

Q1	Which Oscar-winning actor voiced Spider-Man Noir in the 2021 film <i>Spider-Man: Into the Spider-Verse</i> , having previously played the Marvel character Ghost Rider in two movies released in 2007 and 2011?	Nicholas <u>Cage</u>
Q2	Oscar Isaac played the lead role in the Marvel TV series <i>Moon Knight</i> , having previously appeared in the <i>X-Men</i> movie series as which all-powerful mutant and titular villain of a 2016 movie?	<u>Apocalypse</u> (In the film X-Men: Apocalypse)
Q3	Which Marvel character has been portrayed by two different actors, who each went on to new roles as different characters in the Marvel Universe? We just need the character's name.	Johnny <u>Storm</u> / The <u>Human Torch</u> (played by Chris Evans & Michael B. Jordan)
Q4	Robert Downey Jr. helped drive Marvel's early success as Tony Stark/Iron Man and will return in 2026's <i>Avengers: Doomsday</i> as the villain Victor Von Doom. Name <u>either</u> actor who previously played Doctor Doom in the <i>Fantastic Four</i> films?	Julian <u>McMahon</u> or Toby <u>Kebbell</u> (accept <u>either</u>)

Rugby

Q1	While a standard Rugby Union team has 15 players, how many players does a standard Rugby League team have?	<u>13</u>
Q2	Which country won the gold medal at the 2016 and 2020 Olympics in men's Rugby Sevens? The traditional power in Sevens, they won silver in Paris 2024, losing to France in the final.	<u>Fiji</u>
Q3	In 1996, soon after Rugby Union turned professional, the then leading Rugby Union and Rugby League teams in England faced off in a series of two matches, one in each code, called 'The Clash of the Codes'. The Rugby League team won 101-50 on aggregate. Name <u>either</u> team?	<u>Wigan</u> Warriors / <u>Bath</u> (accept <u>either</u>)
Q4	Which country won the inaugural 1991 Women's Rugby Union World Cup? To date this is the only country which has won the Women's World Cup that has <u>not</u> also won the men's tournament. (Indeed the men's team have never even made the quarter-finals)	<u>United States</u>

Dynasty

Q1	The House of Saxe-Coburg Gotha was the royal house of which country from 1901 until 1917, when its name was changed due to anti-German sentiment during World War I?	<u>United Kingdom</u> (accept <u>Britain</u> , <u>England</u> , the <u>Commonwealth</u> , etc)
Q2	The Yamato Dynasty is the royal house of which country? The longest lasting royal dynasty in the world - its start date is not actually known - the current monarch was inaugurated in 2019, thus starting the Reiwa Era.	<u>Japan</u>
Q3	The Joseon dynasty were the ruling dynasty of which modern country from 1392 to 1910 when the country was annexed? When annexation was reversed after World War II the monarchy was not restored.	<u>Korea</u>
Q4	The House of Braganza was the Imperial House of which country from its independence in 1822 until its overthrow and replacement with a republic in 1889? In its entire history, the house produced just two Emperors.	<u>Brazil</u>

Having A Barney

Q1	Which actor played Barney Stinson in the TV sitcom <i>How I Met Your Mother</i> ? He first came to fame playing the titular role of 90s TV show <i>Doogie Howser MD</i> .	Neil Patrick <u>Harris</u>
Q2	In the children's TV show <i>Barney and Friends</i> , Barney the Dinosaur's theme tune uses the music from which traditional song?	<u>Yankee Doodle</u>
Q3	There have been two live action Flintstones movies - <i>The Flintstones</i> (1994) and <i>The Flintstones in Viva Rock Vegas</i> (2000). Name <u>either</u> actor that played Barney Rubble in those films?	Rick <u>Moranis</u> / Stephen <u>Baldwin</u> (accept <u>either</u>)
Q4	Around the same time that Barney the Dinosaur was first created, in 1988 the BBC produced its own children's animated series called <i>Barney</i> . What animal was the title character in that series?	<u>Sheepdog</u> (accept <u>Dog</u>)

No Man's Land

Q1	Abandoned and uninhabited since 1954, what name is given to the island chain off the Dingle Peninsula, which in its heyday was home to Irish language writers such as Peig Sayers and Muiris Ó Súilleabháin?	<u>Blasket</u> Islands
Q2	At a bit over 55,000 square kilometres or about two-thirds the size of Ireland, Devon Island is the world's largest uninhabited island. To which country does it belong? It is the sixth largest island belonging to this country.	<u>Canada</u>
Q3	Formerly host of whaling stations but now with no permanent residential population, what island in the South Atlantic is perhaps best known for being the burial place of Antarctic explorer Ernest Shackleton?	<u>South Georgia</u>
Q4	On April 2 a.k.a. 'Liberation Day', a remote island group in the southern Indian Ocean got unusual attention as Donald Trump slapped a 10% tariff on their goods. This was a source of significance confusion and amusement since the population of these islands is mostly penguins, seals and no humans. Name this island group?	<u>Heard</u> Island and <u>McDonald</u> Islands (need both)