

DUBLIN QUIZ LEAGUE

RUNNING ORDER + INDIVIDUAL QUESTIONS

SEASON 9 MATCH 12 (12th May 2025, 8.30pm) - set by Sabrina the Teenage Carpenter

START OF QUIZ

Teams to toss a coin to determine A & B order

<u>Round 1 - Individual</u>	Question	Answer
Q1a (Team A Person 1)	What colour is also the title of a Taylor Swift album, first released in 2012?	<u>Red</u>
Q1b (Team B Person 1)	What year is also the title of a Taylor Swift album, first released in 2014?	<u>1989</u>
Q2a (Team A Person 2)	What is the current name of the suburban coastal town in County Dublin which was renamed Kingstown in 1821 to commemorate the visit of King George IV?	<u>Dún Laoghaire</u>
Q2b (Team B Person 2)	What is the current name of the coastal town in County Cork which was renamed Queenstown in 1849 to commemorate the visit of Queen Victoria?	<u>Cobh</u>
Q3a (Team A Person 3)	What is the westernmost railway station in the newly-created Leap Card Zone 4?	<u>Kildare</u> Town
Q3b (Team B Person 3)	What is the southernmost railway station in the newly-created Leap Card Zone 4?	<u>Rathdrum</u>
Q4a (Team A Person 4)	Which popular Japanese TV franchise has series subtitled <i>GX</i> and <i>Zexal</i> ?	<u>Yu-Gi-Oh</u>
Q4b (Team B Person 4)	Which popular Japanese TV franchise has series subtitled <i>GT</i> and <i>Super</i> ?	<u>Dragon Ball</u>

Round 2 - Team

Team **A** to pick a topic first

Team **B** to pick a topic second

<u>Round 3 - Individual</u>	Question	Answer
Q1a (Team B Person 1)	What colour is the Trivial Pursuit wedge denoting the Geography category?	<u>Blue</u>
Q1b (Team A Person 1)	What colour is the Trivial Pursuit wedge denoting the History category?	<u>Yellow</u>
Q2a (Team B Person 2)	What <u>two</u> shapes make up the panels on a classic soccer ball?	<u>Hexagon</u> and <u>pentagon</u> (need <u>both</u>)
Q2b (Team A Person 2)	How many panels are there on a standard basketball?	<u>8</u>
Q3a (Team B Person 3)	Which High-Energy astrophysics satellite operated by the European Space Agency was retired in February of this year?	<u>INTEGRAL</u>
Q3b (Team A Person 3)	Which European Space Agency astrometry satellite was switched off in March of this year due to running out of propellant?	<u>GAIA</u>
Q4a (Team B Person 4)	Which English author wrote the classic science fiction novel <i>The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy</i> ?	Douglas <u>Adams</u>
Q4b (Team A Person 4)	Which American author wrote the classic science fiction novel <i>Dune</i> ?	Frank <u>Herbert</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)	The Ghawar Field is an onshore oil field in which Middle Eastern country?	<u>Saudi Arabia</u>
Q1b (Team B Person 1)	Burgan Field is an onshore oil field in which Middle Eastern country?	<u>Kuwait</u>
Q2a (Team A Person 2)	In July 1974, which member of the Mamas and the Papas died at the age of 32 in Flat 12, 9 Curzon Place, Mayfair, London?	<u>Mama Cass</u> / Cass <u>Elliot</u>
Q2b (Team B Person 2)	In September 1978, just over four years after Mama Cass's death, which member of The Who also died at the age of 32 in Flat 12, 9 Curzon Place, Mayfair, London?	Keith <u>Moon</u>
Q3a (Team A Person 3)	Sacred Heart Hospital is the setting for which medical sitcom?	<u>Scrubs</u>
Q3b (Team B Person 3)	Which long-running medical drama is set in a hospital originally named Seattle Grace Hospital?	<u>Grey's Anatomy</u>
Q4a (Team A Person 4)	Which popular Ranelagh pub is operated by Grand Slam Bars, a consortium owned by former Irish rugby players?	<u>McSorley's</u>
Q4b (Team B Person 4)	Which popular Ballsbridge pub is also operated by Grand Slam Bars?	The <u>Bridge</u> 1859

Round 6 - Team

Team **A** to pick a topic first

Team **B** to pick a topic second

<u>Round 7 - Individual</u>	Question	Answer
Q1a (Team B Person 1)	Winning for her novel <i>Some Desperate Glory</i> , what American sci-fi author was the 2024 winner of the Hugo Award for Best Novel?	Emily <u>Tesh</u>
Q1b (Team A Person 1)	Winning for ner novel <i>Nettle & Bone</i> , what American fantasy author was the 2023 winner of the Hugo Award for Best Novel?	T. <u>Kingfisher</u> (accept Ursula <u>Vernon</u>)
Q2a (Team B Person 2)	What enzyme found in saliva catalyses the breakdown of maltose to glucose?	<u>Maltase</u>
Q2b (Team A Person 2)	What enzyme found in saliva catalyses the breakdown of starch into simpler sugars?	<u>Amylase</u>
Q3a (Team B Person 3)	The feathers of a badminton shuttlecock are most often taken from the left wing of which bird?	<u>Goose</u>
Q3b (Team A Person 3)	An American football is sometimes referred to as the "skin" of what animal, whose bladders were used to make the earliest balls?	<u>Pig</u>
Q4a (Team B Person 4)	Tong-its is a card game originating in which Asian country?	The <u>Philippines</u>
Q4b (Team A Person 4)	Gonggi is a playground game originating in which Asian country?	<u>Korea</u> (accept <u>North</u> or <u>South Korea</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 type of volcanic rock makes up the Giant's Causeway in County Antrim?	<u>Basalt</u>
What is the name of the second book (and movie) in <i>The Hunger Games</i> series by Suzanne Collins?	<u>Catching Fire</u>
What is the lightest noble gas in the periodic table of elements?	<u>Helium</u>
What is the capital of Burkina Faso?	<u>Ouagadougou</u>

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Hospital SOS

Q1	On a patient's hospital intake form, the abbreviation "GSW" indicates what kind of wound, frequently but not always fatal?	<u>Gun Shot</u> Wound
Q2	On a patient's hospital intake form, the abbreviation "RTC" indicates what sort of accident, which kills roughly 150 people in Ireland every year?	<u>Road Traffic Collision</u> (accept <u>Road Traffic Crash</u>)
Q3	On a patient's hospital intake form, what does the abbreviation "Hx" indicate, which might be accompanied by information about a patient's allergies or prior surgeries?	<u>History</u>
Q4	On a patient's hospital intake form, the abbreviation "PEARL" indicates that what body part(s) are behaving as normal?	<u>Pupils</u> (accept <u>eyes</u>) - the abbreviation stands for "Pupils Equal And Reactive to Light"

Games on the Big Screen

Q1	Which recently-released film starring Jack Black is based on the best-selling video game of all time? Recent viral clips showed young cinemagoers throwing popcorn at the screen and yelling catchphrases such as "chicken jockey" during screenings.	A <u>Minecraft</u> Movie
Q2	Which video game character has been played on film by the Oscar-winning actresses Angelina Jolie and Alicia Vikander?	Lara <u>Croft</u> (prompt on "Tomb Raider" as we need the character's name)
Q3	Which 2018 film, starring Dwayne "The Rock" Johnson, is based on an 80s arcade game where players control giant monsters attacking cities, and features massive creatures like a mutated gorilla, wolf, and crocodile?	<u>Rampage</u>
Q4	Which German filmmaker won a lifetime "Worst Career Achievement" at the 2009 Razzie Awards for his various critically-panned films including the video game adaptations <i>House of the Dead</i> and <i>Postal</i> ?	Uwe ["oo-vuh"] <u>Boll</u>

Operation Bodyguard

Q1	Operation Bodyguard was an Allied deception plan aimed at misleading German forces about the time and location of which major World War II invasion?	<u>D-Day</u> / Operation <u>Overlord</u>
Q2	As part of Operation Bodyguard, the Allies convinced the Germans that the main invasion force would land in which part of France, rather than Normandy? This French department is the closest to England and is the location of the French end of the Channel Tunnel.	Pas-de- <u>Calais</u>
Q3	Operation Copperhead, a sub-operation of Bodyguard, aimed to deceive German intelligence by using a lookalike to impersonate which senior British general?	General Bernard <u>Montgomery</u> (accept <u>Monty</u>)
Q4	Which Spanish double agent led a fictional network of agents to convince the Germans that Normandy was merely a diversion? We'll accept his real name or British codename, which is also the surname of an iconic 1930s actress.	Juan <u>Pujol Garcia</u> - accept <u>either</u> surname / also accept <u>Garbo</u>

Nominative Determinism

("Nominative determinism" is the idea that people tend to gravitate towards careers or interests that somehow relate to their names)

Q1	With an appropriately quick surname, who is the current world record holder in the men's 100 metre sprint?	Usain <u>Bolt</u>
Q2	Who is the American businessman currently serving as the president of Nintendo of America? Despite his surname, we presume he is no relation to one of Nintendo's most famous antagonists.	Doug <u>Bowser</u>
Q3	Name the American racing driver who raced for the Toro Rosso F1 team between 2006 and 2007? Although he wasn't as fast as his surname suggests: he never finished higher than 9th in the 28 Grands Prix he competed in.	Scott <u>Speed</u>
Q4	Before she left the BBC in February, what Coventry-born broadcaster had spent 26 years presenting TV weather forecasts for <i>BBC East Midlands Today</i> , and later <i>Midlands Today</i> and <i>North West Tonight</i> ? Although given the English climate, she rarely had to report on the weather condition with which she shares a surname.	Sara <u>Blizzard</u>

Road Noise

Q1	Which road between Galway and Sligo is the subject of a 1989 song by the Saw Doctors?	<u>N17</u>
Q2	Which road in Ballsbridge is also the title of a frequently-covered song written by the poet Patrick Kavanagh?	<u>Raglan</u> Road
Q3	Running from Santa Barbara to Pasadena, what highway in California was the subject of a 1972 song by the band America?	<u>Ventura</u> Highway
Q4	What street in the north-western English suburb of Mossley Hill achieved global fame after being the subject of a 1967 song?	<u>Penny Lane</u>

Big Science

Q1	What is the most commonly accepted theory for the formation of the Universe? This is also the title of a TV sitcom starring Jim Parsons.	The <u>Big Bang Theory</u>
Q2	The cecum [<i>"see-kum"</i>] is a pouch that forms the first part of what "big" organ in the human body? Your answer should contain two words.	<u>Large intestine</u>
Q3	Announced in July 2012, what elementary particle was discovered independently by both the ATLAS and CMS experiments at the Large Hadron Collider? This discovery validated the Standard Model mechanism of mass generation.	<u>Higgs boson</u>
Q4	Roughly 27,000 light years from Earth and with a mass 4 million times that of our Sun, what is the name of the super-massive black hole at the centre of the Milky Way?	<u>Sagittarius A*</u> [<i>"ay-star"</i>]

Doctor Who?

Q1	The foul-mouthed Director of Communications Malcolm Tucker from the BBC series <i>The Thick of It</i> was played by what actor, later to star as the 12th incarnation of the title character in <i>Doctor Who</i> ?	Peter <u>Capaldi</u>
Q2	The 10th and 13th Doctors, David Tennant and Jodie Whittaker, both starred in what 2013-2017 ITV crime drama, created and written by Chris Chibnall who also went on to serve as the showrunner and lead writer of <i>Doctor Who</i> ?	<u>Broadchurch</u>
Q3	The 11th Doctor Matt Smith is currently portraying which member of the Targaryen family in the HBO TV show <i>House of the Dragon</i> ?	<u>Daemon</u> Targaryen
Q4	The 15th Doctor Ncuti ["shooty"] Gatwa came to fame playing which character in the Netflix series <i>Sex Education</i> ? First <u>or</u> last name accepted.	<u>Eric Effiong</u> (accept first <u>or</u> last name)

Teen History

These questions are all based on noteworthy events which occurred during the teenage years of your question-writers Sabrina the Teenage Carpenter (2011 - 2020)

Q1	In 2015, who became the first member to leave the boyband One Direction? First <u>or</u> last name accepted.	<u>Zayn Malik</u> (accept first <u>or</u> last name)
Q2	An earthquake and resulting tsunami on 11th March 2011 caused the meltdown of three reactors at what Japanese nuclear power plant: the world's worst nuclear accident since Chernobyl in 1986?	<u>Fukushima</u> Daiichi
Q3	What article number of the Treaty on European Union did the UK Government invoke in March 2017 in order to formally begin the process of leaving the EU?	Article <u>50</u>
Q4	The first video ever to receive one million likes on YouTube, <i>KONY 2012</i> was a 30-minute documentary highlighting the alleged crimes of Ugandan warlord and ICC fugitive Joseph Kony, founder of what militant insurgency group? You can answer with their full 3-word name <u>or</u> 3-letter acronym.	<u>Lord's Resistance Army</u> / <u>LRA</u>