Round 1 - £500 Questions

1 - In which sport would you hit a 'Home Run'?

A Football B Hockey C Baseball D Basketball

2 - Which of these is the name of an infectious viral disease?

A Lumps **B** Humps **C** Mumps **D** Bumps

3 - A 1969 film was titled Butch Cassidy and the Sundance...what?

A Baby B Boy C Kid D Film Festival

4 - Which of these is a knitted garment?

A Sweater **B** Perspier **C** Swelterer **D** Moisturer

5 - Which of these is a period of twelve months?

A Week **B** Century **C** Year **D** Day

6 - What do Bees gather in order to make Honey?

A Yeast B Nectar C Eggs D Self-Raising Flour

7 - What type of animal was King Kong in the film of the same name?

A Lion B Dinosaur C Dog D Ape

8 - Which of these is a famous Hollywood actor named Clint?

A Westwood B Northwood C Eastwood D Southwood

9 - What are the joints of the fingers called?

A Knees B Knuckles C Ankles D Elbows

10 - Crimson is a shade of which colour?

A Blue B Yellow C Red D Green

£500 Question Answers

1 - Baseball

6 - Nectar

2 - Mumps

7 - Ape

3 - Kid

8 - Eastwood

4 - Sweater

9 - Knuckles

5 - Year

10 - Red



Round 2 - £1000 Questions

1 - Which of these is not a cosmetics company?

A Revlon B Lancôme C Sherwin-Williams D L'Oréal

2 - A suit with overlapping front panels is said to be double what?

A Breasted B Armed C Legged D Headed

3 - Which of these is a creature with many legs?

A Milligram B Millipede C Millisecond D Millimetre

4 - If something is described as being a 'cinch', what is it said to be?

A Easy B Lazy C Cozy D Noisy

5 - Which of these do you need when playing Monopoly?

A Ball B Skipping Rope C Dice D Net

6 - Who starred in the 2003 comedy 'School of Rock'?

A Dean Green **B** Lou Blue **C** Jack Black **D** Jay Grey

7 - Which of these is not a term associated with poker?

A Full House **B** Three of a Kind **C** Checkmate **D** Flush

8 - Which of these countries is in Scandinavia?

A Nigeria **B** Nicaragua **C** Namibia **D** Norway

9 - Which of these dates is St Valentine's Day?

A 14th June **B** 14th November **C** 14th February **D** 14th March

10 - Which of these chemical elements is not a metal?

A Iron B Tin C Copper D Helium

£1000 Question Answers

1 - Sherwin-Williams 6 - Jack Black

2 - Breasted 7 - Checkmate

3 - Millipede 8 - Norway

4 - Easy 9 - 14th February

5 - Dice 10 - Helium



Round 3 - £2000 Questions

1 - The River Thames flows through which city?

A Birmingham B Liverpool C Manchester D London

2 - Which of these countries is not a part of Latin America?

A Brazil B Canada C Cuba D Mexico

3 - What is the name of the wrinkles at the corner of someone's eyes?

A Crow's Eggs B Crow's Feathers C Crow's Beaks D Crow's Feet

4 - Which of these is an Olympic field event?

A Shot Pitch B Shot Toss C Shot Put D Shot Set

5 - Which of these is a Bird of prey?

A Vole B Vixen C Vulture D Viper

6 - Which phrase refers to a conventional postal system?

A Snail Mail **B** Slug Dispatch **C** Tortoise Post **D** Turtle Fax

7 - Which of these is a term for an economic slump?

A Expression B Depression C Compression D Impression

8 - What kind of policy might cover fire and theft?

A Defiance B Insurance C Grievance D Romance

9 - Which of these is a swimming stroke?

A Crawl B Slink C Creep D Slither

10 - Which surname follows 'black and 'lock' to give the names of two professions?

A Carter B Wright C Smith D Johnson

£2000 Question Answers

1 - London 6 - Snail Mail

2 - Canada 7 - Depression

3 - Crow's Feet 8 - Insurance

4 - Shot Put 9 - Crawl

5 - Vulture 10 - Smith

Round 4 - £5000 Questions

1 - In Peanuts, who is Snoopy's owner?

A Woodstock B Charlie Brown C Linus D Lucy

2 - Samurai were a type of ancient warrior from which country?

A Japan **B** Mexico **C** Egypt **D** Greece

3 - In Rossini's Seville-based opera, what is the occupation of Figaro?

A Barber B Butcher C Baker D Candlestick Maker

4 - Which of these events takes place at the Brickyard?

A Indianapolis 500 B US Open C World Series D Super Bowl

5 - What was the title of the rapper Eminem's debut film?

A 6 Inch B 2 Feet C 8 Mile D 10 Yards

6 - What name is given to someone who plays the flute?

A FLuterman B Flutter C Fluteer D Flautist

7 - Which of these is a popular ballroom dance?

A Wolfhop B Stoatskip C Bunnyjump D Foxtrot

8 - Henry VIII's first wife was Catherine of what?

A Aragon B Andover C Arden D Actium

9 - What private eye character was created by Mickey Spillane?

A Mike Saw **B** Mike Hammer **C** Mike Chisel **D** Mike Wrench

10 - Arches, loops and whorls are classifications of what?

A Eyes **B** Fingerprints **C** Hair **D** Tastebuds

£5000 Question Answers

1 - Charlie Brown 6 - Flautist

2 - Japan 7 - Foxtrot

3 - Barber 8 - Aragon

4 - Indianapolis 500 9 - Mike Hammer

5 - 8 Mile 10 - Fingerprints



Round 5 - £10,000 Questions

1 - Which German city has the biggest population?

A Berlin **B** Dusseldorf **C** Essen **D** Rostock

2 - Who was told, 'Beware the ides of March'?

A Nero B Cleopatra C Julius Caesar D Pontius Pilate

3 - What kind of restaurant is likely to serve polenta?

A Italian B Chinese C Turkish D Indian

4 - What nationality was the author of the novel 'The Three Musketeers'?

A Swiss **B** French **C** Italian **D** Spanish

5 - In a church, what is put into a font?

A Books B Robes C Bells D Water

6 - In which of these sports would you use a cue to hit the ball?

A Tennis **B** Football **C** Hockey **D** Billiards

7 - Which of these words means 'a summary or outline of a book'?

A Synergy B Synod C Synopsis D Syntax

8 - To which of these pop groups did singer Sting belong?

A U2 B Boomtown Rats C Police D Genesis

9 - Which of these words refers to throwing something overboard from a ship or aeroplane?

A Garrison B Frisson C Jettison D Chanson

10 - In the Harry Potter stories, what kind of creature is Firenze?

A Dragon **B** Centaur **C** Phoenix **D** Owl

£10,000 Question Answers

1 - Berlin 6 - Billiards

2 - Julius Caesar 7 - Synopsis

3 - Italian 8 - Police

4 - French 9 - Jettison

5 - Water 10 - Centaur



Round 6 - £20,000 Questions

1 - Which of these games does not involve the use of playing cards?

A Poker B Craps C Blackjack D Bridge

2 - What nationality is the singer/songwriter Ed Sheeran?

A British **B** Irish **C** Canadian **D** American

3 - Which natural phenomenon is a display of the visible spectrum?

A Hailstone B Eclipse C Sunbeam D Rainbow

4 - Which of these is a division of geological time?

A Neon B Eon C Ion D Scion

5 - Which word is represented by the sign known as an ampersand?

A Approximately B At C About D And

6 - How many points are scored for hitting the inner bull's-eye in a game of darts?

A 20 **B** 40 **C** 50 **D** 100

7 - Which actor played the title role in Batman Begins, released in 2005?

A Jake Gyllenhaal B Christian Bale C Wes Bentley D Mark Wahlberg

8 - Bolivia is a country in which continent?

A South America **B** Africa **C** Asia **D** Europe

9 - Born in 1811, the Hungarian composer and pianist Liszt had what first name?

A Felipe B Fritz C Ferdinand D Franz

10 - Which of these would you need for a pet Saluki?

A Aquarium **B** Aviary **C** Dog Bed **D** Rabbit Hutch

£20,000 Question Answers

1 - Craps 6 - 50

2 - British 7 - Christian Bale

3 - Rainbow 8 - South America

4 - Eon 9 - Franz

5 - And 10 - Dog Bed



Round 7 - £50,000 Questions

1 - What is the name of Spider-man's girlfriend?

A Peggy Sue B Mary Louise C Mary Jane D Emmy Lou

2 - Which of these would you expect to see on plaid material?

A Paisley B Polka Dots C Flowers D Tartan

3 - Complete the title of Gareth Brooks' album Ropin' the...what?

A Steer B Hog C Corral D Wind

4 - The musical Evita is set in which country?

A Mexico B Brazil C Argentina D Chilie

5 - Which of these words does not feature in the title of a Shakespeare play?

A Merchant B Wives C King D Queen

6 - Which company created the first portable CD player, the Discman?

A Panasonic B Sony C Hitachi D Casio

7 - The Pompidou Centre is in which European capital?

A Rome B Paris C Madrid D Athens

8 - Who links the films Con Air, 8MM and Moonstruck?

A Russell Crowe B Mel Gibson C Tom Cruise D Nicolas Cage

9 - The femur is a bone in which part of the human body?

A Arm **B** Head **C** Leg **D** Hand

10 - Which of these rivers flows in a generally northward direction?

A Volga B Rhone C Mississippi D Nile

£50,000 Question Answers

1 - Mary Jane 6 - Sony

2 - Tartan 7 - Paris

3 - Wind 8 - Nicolas Cage

4 - Argentina 9 - Leg

5 - Queen 10 - Nile



Round 8 - £75,000 Questions

1 - Which of these is the horse's fastest Gait?

A Walk **B** Trot **C** Canter **D** Gallop

2 - In Japanese costume, what is an obi?

A Sandal B Sash C Robe D Hat

3 - Which European country's national flag consists of black, gold and red vertical stripes?

A Switzerland **B** Belgium **C** The Netherlands **D** Italy

4 - Which of these temperature scales is not named after the person who invented it?

A Celsius B Centigrade C Fahrenheit D Kelvin

5 - Which car company manufactures the Passat?

A Nissan **B** Volkswagen **C** Toyota **D** BMW

6 - Which of these musicians had the middle name Aaron?

A Elvis Presley **B** Jimi Hendrix **C** John Lennon **D** Michael Jackson

7 - What type of creature is a marmoset?

A Whale B Butterfly C Monkey D Parrot

8 - An oologist is an expert in what?

A Wine B Birds Eggs C Foreign Words D Jupiter

9 - Which island country was formerly called Ceylon?

A Iceland B Madagascar C Taiwan D Sri Lanka

10 - Brothers Leon and Michael Spinks were champions in which sport?

A Golf **B** Hockey **C** Boxing **D** Basketball

£75,000 Question Answers

1 - Gallop 6 - Elvis Presley

2 - Sash 7 - Monkey

3 - Belgium 8 - Birds Eggs

4 - Centigrade 9 - Sri Lanka

5 - Volkswagon 10 - Boxing



Round 9 - £150,000 Questions

1 - Hematite is the main ore of which metal?

A Aluminium **B** Mercury **C** Lead **D** Iron

2 - Miss Adelaide is a character from which musical?

A Show Boat B South Pacific C Guys and Dolls D Carousel

3 - Which spirit is the basis of a mai tai cocktail?

A Gin B Rum C Whisky D Vodka

4 - In which city was the prophet Muhammed born?

A Jerusalem B Medina C Mecca D Damascus

5 - The port of Marseille is on which sea?

A Baltic **B** Mediterranean **C** Caspian **D** Black

6 - Which of these is a plant with edible leaves?

A French Chard B Swiss Chard C Belgian Chard D Norweigan Chard

7 - With which of these drinks is Stilton cheese traditionally served?

A Port B Vodka C Champagne D Gin

8 - What was the profession of the 17th-century figure, Molière?

A Violin Maker B Opera Singer C Ballet Dancer D Playwright

9 - Which type of instrument is a marimba?

A Keyboard **B** Brass **C** Woodwind **D** Percussion

10 - A person suffering from which condition would have the most need of drugs called bronchodilators?

A Sinusitis B Eczema C Asthma D Diabetes

£150,000 Question Answers

1 - Iron 6 - Swiss Chard

2 - Guys and Dolls 7 - Port

3 - Rum 8 - Playwright

4 - Mecca 9 - Percussion

5 - Mediterranean 10 - Asthma



Round 10 - £250,000 Questions

1 - What is studied and collected by a vexillologist?

A Feathers B Flags C Wine Corks D Dictionaries

2 - Haakon is a traditional name for kings of which country?

A Belgium **B** Norway **C** Greece **D** Spain

3 - Which country was known for a time as Kampuchea?

A Cambodia B Cameroon C Chad D China

4 - Who wrote the children's story 'How the Leopard Got His Spots'?

A JK Rowling **B** Rudyard Kipling **C** Edward Lear **D** Lewis Carroll

5 - The city of Timbuktu stands close to the bank of which river?

A Nile B Congo C Niger D Zambezi

6 - What are the two colours on the Australian flag?

A Blue & Yellow B Red & White C Red & Yellow D Black & Red

7 - Which country ruled Finland between 1809 and 1917?

A Russia **B** Norway **C** Britain **D** Germany

8 - On which continent is the Istria peninsular?

A Asia **B** Africa **C** Europe **D** South America

9 - In chemistry, which of these is a non-metallic element?

A Managese B Chromium C Phosphorus D Nickel

10 - In the animal world, the two types of monotreme are the echidna and what?

A Wombat **B** Possum **C** Platypus **D** Bandicoot

£250,000 Question Answers

1 - Flags 6 - Red & White

2 - Norway 7 - Russia

3 - Cambodia 8 - Europe

4 - Rudyard Kipling 9 - Phosphorus

5 - Niger 10 - Platypus



Round 10 - £500,000 Questions

1 - Sir John Oldcastle is believed to be the prototype for which of Shakespeare's characters?

A Macbeth **B** Falstaff **C** Prospero **D** Cymbeline

2 - In Greek mythology, Atlas was a member of which race?

A Titans **B** Cyclops **C** Centaurs **D** Gorgons

3 - Which mythological creature appears on the flag of Bhutan?

A Dragon B Centaur C Minotaur D Hydra

4 - In which city did the poet John Keats die?

A Copenhagen B Brussels C Rome D Vienna

5 - In mythology, Orpheous played which instrument?

A Lyre B Flute C Organ D Pan pipes

6 - Reiki is a healing technique from which country?

A China B Japan C India D Thailand

7 - Orvieto wine comes from which country?

A France **B** Spain **C** Germany **D** Italy

8 - Althorpe is the seat of which British family?

A Beaufort **B** Cavendish **C** Percy **D** Spencer

9 - In Germany, what kind of building is the Rathaus?

A Cathedral B Hospital C Town Hall D Police Station

10 - Which singer launched her own label, Matriarch Records, in 2004?

A Mary J Blige B Madonna C Mariah Carey D Mandy Moore

£500,000 Question Answers

1 - Falstaff 6 - Japan

2 - Titans 7 - Italy

3 - Dragon 8 - Spencer

4 - Rome 9 - Town Hall

5 - Lyre 10 - Mary J Blige

Round 10 - £1 Million Questions

- 1 Which compass point lies midway between east and north-east?
- **A** East-north-east **B** North-east-north **C** East-east-north **D** North-north-east
- 2 Who wrote the novel 'The Turn of the Screw'?
- **A** EM Foster **B** Christopher Isherwood **C** Henry James **D** John Galsworthy
- 3 The 'K'K point is a measurement used in which sport?
- A Triple Jump B Curling C Rifle Shooting D Ski Jumping
- 4 The word 'Kismet' meaning 'fate' comes from which language?
- A Russian B Latin C Swahili D Arabic
- 5 In the Roman Catholic Church, what is a monstrance?
- **A** Priest's robe **B** Ritual container **C** Alter cloth **D** Prayer
- 6 Discovery is a variety of which fruit?
- **A** Apple **B** Banana **C** Plum **D** Strawberry
- 7 The heaviest bird of prey is what kind of bird?
- **A** Hawk **B** Owl **C** Condor **D** Kestrel
- 8 Which of these is most likely to be used to stuff cushions?
- A Kaolin B Kabuki C Kapok D Kama
- 9 Which of these composers is buried in Poets' Corner in Westminster Abbey?
- A J Brahms B F Liszt C R Wagner D G F Handel
- 10 Which of these conditions is caused by a deficiency in B1?
- A Rickets B Scurvy C Beriberi D Malaria

£1 Million Question Answers

- 1 East-north-east 6 Apple
- 2 Henry James 7 Condor
- 3 Ski Jumping 8 Kapok
- 4 Arabic 9 George Frederick Handel
- 5 Ritual Container 10 Beriberi