

The answer required is in **bold** and underlined. Surnames are sufficient except where indicated.
An incorrect forename with a correct surname is to be deemed a **WRONG** answer.

Round 1 - Pens

All answers contain "pen". Example: In Charles Dickens' "David Copperfield", what was the maiden name of the title character's first wife? Dora **Spennlow**

- 1a:** What was the name of Danger Mouse's bespectacled hamster assistant, voiced by Terry Scott?
Ernest **Perfold**
- 1b:** Name the 1978 BBC television drama serial written by Dennis Potter, starring Bob Hoskins and Cheryl Campbell?
Pennies from Heaven
- 2a:** What was the name of the only Prime Minister of the United Kingdom to have been assassinated? He was shot as he entered the lobby of the House of Commons on 11th May 1812.
Spencer Perceval
- 2b:** What word can mean "a straight line at right angles to a given line or plane" or refer to "a style of English Gothic architecture"?
Perpendicular
- 3a:** What word can mean "an abridgement or condensation of a larger work or treatise" or "a box containing or comprising several different games"?
Compendium
- 3b:** Which 1961 horror film starring Vincent Price was based on an Edgar Allan Poe short story of the same name?
The Pit and the Pendulum
- 4a:** This chilli pepper has a name derived from the capital city of the Mexican state of Veracruz, where it was traditionally grown. Name it.
Jalapeno
- 4b:** What word can mean "of or like a snake"? It is also the name given to a winding lake in Hyde Park, London.
Serpentine
- Spare:** Situated in the Yorkshire Dales National Park, at 2273ft this fell is actually the lowest of the area's famous "Three Peaks". Name it.
Pen-y-ghent

Round 2 - Songs from Films

Given the year of the film, song title and the performer on the soundtrack - Name the film?

- 1a:** 1990 - "Unchained Melody" - The Righteous Brothers. **Ghost**
- 1b:** 1997 - "My Heart will Go On" - Celine Dion. **Titanic**
- 2a:** 1953 - "Secret Love" - Doris Day. **Calamity Jane**
- 2b:** 1942 - "As Time Goes By" - Dooley Wilson. **Casablanca**
- 3a:** 1977 - "Nobody Does It Better" - Carly Simon. **The Spy Who Loved Me**
- 3b:** 1978 - "Bright Eyes" - Art Garfunkel **Watership Down**
- 4a:** 1969 - "Born to be Wild" - Steppenwolf. **Easy Rider**
- 4b:** 1969 - "Everybody's Talkin'" - Nillson. **Midnight Cowboy**
- Spare:** 1963 - "Bachelor Boy" - Cliff Richard. **Summer Holiday**

Round 3 - British Monarchs

Given the year of the monarch's birth and the name of their spouse - Name the monarch (name and regnal number (if any) required).

- 1a: 1027 - Matilda of Flanders. **William I**
- 1b: 1157 - Berengaria of Navarre. **Richard I**
- 2a: 1312 - Philippa of Hainault. **Edward III**
- 2b: 1457 - Elizabeth of York. **Henry VII**
- 3a: 1133 - Eleanor of Aquitaine. **Henry II**
- 3b: 1630 - Catherine of Braganza **Charles II**
- 4a: 1841 - Alexandra of Denmark. **Edward VII**
- 4b: 1738 - Charlotte of Mecklenburg-Strelitz. **George III**
- Spare: 1665 - George of Denmark. **Anne**

Round 4 - General

- 1a: Jean Passepartout was the valet of which fictional character? **Phileas Fogg**
- 1b: Cato Fong was the valet of which fictional character? **Jacques Clouseau**
- 2a: "Hg" is the chemical symbol for which element? **Mercury**
- 2b: "Sn" is the chemical symbol for which element? **Tin**
- 3a: Who presents the television game show "*Pointless*"? **Alexander Armstrong**
- 3b: Who presents the television game show "*The Chase*"? **Bradley Walsh**
- 4a: What do the initials N.A.T.O stand for? **North Atlantic Treaty Organisation**
- 4b: What do the initials E.F.T.A stand for? **European Free Trade Association**
- Spare: "K" is the chemical symbol for which element? **Potassium**

HALF TIME

Round 5 - A Packet of M&Ms

All answers comprise of two words - both words begin with the letter "M for Mike".

- 1a: Name the term which translates as "sheet of the world". It is used to describe an object of a kind produced in the Medieval and early Renaissance periods that typically depicts Jerusalem at its centre. **Mappa Mundi**
- 1b: Name the term which translates as "remember that you must die". It is used to describe an artistic or symbolic reminder of the inevitability of death. It is also the name of a novel by Muriel Spark. **Memento Mori**

- 2a:** Situated in an American National Park and Preserve which is named after it, Denali stands at a height of 20,320ft. What is its alternative name? **Mount McKinley**
- 2b:** Name the African National and large game Reserve that is named after the ancestral inhabitants of the area and their description of it when looked at from a distance. **Maasai Mara**
- 3a:** Which battlefield monument, situated a few miles west of York, commemorates the battle fought there on the 2nd July 1644? **Marston Moor**
- 3b:** What is the name of the Wildfowl and Wetlands Trust's wildlife centre near Burscough, Lancashire? **Martin Mere**
- 4a:** Name the resident singer of topical songs on the weekly 1960's BBC Television satire show "That Was the Week That Was". **Millicent Martin**
- 4b:** Name the presenter of the 1950's and 60's TV game show "Take Your Pick". **Michael Miles**
- Spare:** Name the West Indian cricketer - born 1958; died 1999 - regarded as one of the finest and fastest bowlers to have played Test cricket. Later went on to coach Hampshire and West Indies. **Malcolm Marshall**

Round 6: - A Grand Day Out (Return) (Picture Round)

Northern Rail links many small northern towns to the region's large conurbations via some of the most remote, wild and scenic countryside in the UK. Given a letter, the destination and 3 station stops of the Northern Rail service; name the next stop on its route. All answers are towns.

Example: Letter EX - Liverpool Lime Street: - Wigan (Nth Western); Bryn; Garswood - Ans: **St. Helens**

- 1a: Letter B - Carlisle:** - Dent; Garsdale; Kirkby Stephen **Appleby**
- 1b: Letter G - Barrow-in-Furness/Lancaster:** - Aspatria; Maryport; Flimby **Workington**
- 2a: Letter C - Blackpool North:** - Preston; Salwick; Kirkham and Wesham **Poulton-le-Fylde**
- 2b: Letter E - Manchester Victoria:** - Blackrod; Horwich Parkway; Lostock **Bolton**
- 3a: Letter H - Colne:** - Pleasington; Cherry Tree; Mill Hill **Blackburn**
- 3b: Letter F - Blackpool South:** - Salwick; Kirkham and Wesham; Moss Side **Lytham**
- 4a: Letter A - Barrow-in-Furness:** - Grange-over-Sands; Kent's Bank; Cark **Ulverston**
- 4b: Letter D - Leeds:** - Lancaster; Carnforth; Wennington **Bentham**
- Spare: Letter I - Carlisle:** - Millom; Silecroft; Bootle (Cumbria) **Ravenglass**

Round 7 - The Cabinets

Questions 1a to 2b - Name the people who hold the following posts in David Cameron's Cabinet.

- 1a:** Defence Secretary **Philip Hammond**
- 1b:** Health Secretary **Jeremy Hunt**

2a: Chief Secretary to the Treasurer **Danny Alexander**

2b: International Development Secretary **Justine Greening**

Questions 3a to 4b - Name the people who hold the following positions in Ed Milliband's Shadow Cabinet

3a: Shadow Home Secretary **Yvette Cooper**

3b: Shadow Chancellor of the Exchequer **Ed Balls**

4a: Shadow Education Secretary **Stephen Twigg**

4b: Shadow Health Secretary **Andy Burnham**

Spares:

1a-2b Justice Secretary **Chris Grayling**

3a-4b Shadow Transport Secretary **Maria Eagle**

Round 8 - General

1a: In which county are the National Trust properties Dunham Massey and Little Moreton Hall? **Cheshire**

1b: In which county are the National Trust properties Corfe Castle and Brownsea Island? **Dorset**

2a: Who wrote the 1854 novel "*North and South*"? **Elizabeth Gaskell**

2b: Who wrote the 1871 novel "*Middlemarch*"? **George Eliot**

3a: Which horse regained its Champion Hurdle's crown at this year's Cheltenham Festival, having last won it in 2011? **Hurricane Fly**

3b: Which horse won this year's John Smith's Grand National at Aintree? **Auroras Encore**

4a: Name the Pixar film where Carl Fredricksen takes his house and Russell, a young wilderness explorer, on an adventure to see the wilds of South America. **Up**

4b: Name the Pixar film where Remy, a rodent, ends up in Paris where he dreams of becoming a chef? **Ratatouille**

Spare: Name the American female artist, who died in New Mexico aged 98 in 1986. Her most well-known work features objects (particularly flower blossoms) enlarged and painted as if viewed through a magnifying glass. **Georgia O'Keeffe**