

## 2022–3 Season: Week 5 – 13 December 2022

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Due to time pressures, this set was compiled before 6th December. If any questions were asked last week, please treat it as a memory test!

### Specialist Rounds

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5	Geography	6	Arts & Entertainment
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### Specialist Questions

#### Round 1: Science – IUM

One word, in either the answer or the question, includes the suffix (ending) IUM.

1	The name for either of the top two chambers of the heart.
	<b>Atrium</b>
2	An enclosed glass container in which small animals, usually reptiles, are kept as pets.
	<b>Vivarium</b> (accept <b>Herpetarium</b> )
3	The state in which all the individual forces exerted upon an object are balanced.
	<b>Equilibrium</b>
4	Born in 1706, who was the American polymath, statesman and inventor of bifocals and the lightning rod, who was addicted to opium.
	Benjamin <b>Franklin</b>
5	Twice as dense as lead, what is the name of the densest metal element, atomic number 76, whose alloys are used in fountain pen tips.
	<b>Osmium</b>
6	This structure is made up of 8 bones that protect the brain.
	<b>Cranium</b>
7	Tritium is a rare radioactive isotope of which chemical element.
	<b>Hydrogen</b>
8	The rapid onset of confusion usually caused by withdrawal from alcohol.
	<b>Delirium tremens</b>

*(Supplementaries on next page)*

**Round 1 – Supplementaries:**

1	An establishment for the medical treatment of people who are convalescing or have a chronic illness.
	<b>Sanatorium</b>
2	Notorious American crime boss, active during the Prohibition era, who died of syphilis (caused by a bacterium).
	<b>Al Capone</b>

**Round 2: History – The Workshop of the World**

1	Which barber and wigmaker in 1771 built the world's first water-powered mill at Cromford, which covered both carding and spinning operations and employed 200 people?
	Richard <b>Arkwright</b>
2	Which Northumberland engineer is often referred to as the Father of Railways? He was the first to use the 4 feet, 8 and a half inch gauge, which went on to be the standard throughout most of the world. Both names needed.
	George <b>Stephenson</b> (not Robert, his son)
3	Isambard Kingdom Brunel is famous for which railway linking London and Bristol?
	The <b>Great Western</b> Railway
4	Opening in 1777, which canal linked the ports of Liverpool and Hull?
	The <b>Trent and Mersey</b> (accept <b>Grand Trunk</b> )
5	Which family were famous for smelting iron using coke at their foundry at Coalbrookdale in Shropshire?
	The <b>Darbys</b> (Abraham Darby I, II and III)
6	Which Scottish civil engineer had a new town named after him in the 20th century?
	Thomas <b>Telford</b>
7	Davy's Safety Lamp stopped which gas from exploding in mines when coming into contact with the naked flame of a candle?
	<b>Firedamp</b> or <b>Methane</b>
8	The fourth site for Wedgwoods business was named after which area of Italy famous for pottery in the ancient world?
	<b>Etruria</b>

**Supplementaries:**

1	Boulton and Watt's factory in Birmingham was famous for producing what?
	<b>Steam engines</b>
2	In farming what term refers to the process where scattered strips of land were reallocated into new large fields for the sole use by individual owners or tenants
	<b>Enclosures</b> (accept <b>Inclosures</b> )

**Round 3: The Number 13 – Unlucky for Some?**

Today is December the 13th. All questions are loosely based around the number 13.

1	Name the 13th state of the USA – referred to as the Ocean State, with the capital Providence.
	<b>Rhode Island</b>
2	In 1865 what was the subject of the 13th amendment to the US Constitution?
	The <b>abolition of slavery</b>
3	In her final moments the 13th Dr Who, Jodi Whittaker and the TARDIS were positioned on the top of which coastal landmark?
	<b>Durdle Door</b> (Dorset)
4	Which weak and incompetent king of England on the throne in 1313 was beaten by the Scots at Bannockburn in 1314?
	<b>Edward II</b>
5	The 13th Wedding Anniversary is gifted by what material signifying the intertwining of lives?
	<b>Lace</b>
6	Allegedly succumbing to his wife's meal of mushrooms, who ruled for a full 13 years as the fourth Emperor of Rome?
	<b>Claudius</b>
7	The Thirteen Murders in the Rue Morgue, also known as the 13 Problems published in 1932 was a collection of 13 short stories written by whom?
	Agatha <b>Christie</b>
8	On this date (13th December) in 1972, which number US Apollo mission was the final one to land humans on the moon (so far)?
	Apollo <b>17</b>

**Supplementaries:**

1	If all the prime numbers are arranged in ascending order, which position does number 13 hold?
	<b>6th</b>
2	Thirteen books in the New Testament are traditionally attributed to which Apostle
	<b>Paul</b>

**Round 4: Sport – November 2022**

1	Which was the only team that defeated England during the recent T20 world cup in Australia?
	<b>Ireland</b>
2	Which team surprisingly knocked the England men's team out of the Rugby League World Cup?
	<b>Samoa</b>
3	Following a victory against their bitter local rivals, which team is top of the Football League Championship, i.e. the second division, going into the World Cup break?
	<b>Burnley</b>
4	England fell short in the women's Rugby Union World cup, losing in a high-scoring final to New Zealand. How many points in total were scored in the game?
	<b>65 – accept 60 70</b>
5	The end of season men's tennis competition, featuring the top 8 players, was moved from London to which city in 2021?
	<b>Turin</b>
6	In an interview on November 15th, Tyson Fury said he could not retire until he has fought whom?
	Anthony <b>Joshua</b>
7	A former Port Vale manager is the head coach of a World Cup team in Qatar. Give the name of the team or the manager.
	<b>Wales</b> , or Rob <b>Page</b>
8	What is the name of the breakaway golf tour, which is being sponsored by the government of Saudi Arabia?
	<b>LIV</b> (Roman numerals for 54 – the tournaments are played over 54 holes, not 72)

**Supplementaries:**

1	Which team is bottom of the Premier League going into the World Cup break?
	<b>Wolverhampton</b> Wanderers (accept <b>Wolves</b> )
2	Which England player was named Player of the Tournament in the T20 World Cup?
	<b>Sam Curran</b>

**Round 5: Geography**

1	Muscat is the capital of which Middle Eastern country
	<b>Oman</b>
2	The United Arab Emirates consists of Dubai, Abu Dhabi, Umm Al Qawain, Ajman, Ras-Al-Khaimah and two others. Name one.
	<b>Sharjah or Fujairah</b>
3	What is the only US state with one syllable?
	<b>Maine</b>
4	In which US state is Niagara Falls?
	<b>New York</b>
5	The five great lakes are Huron, Erie, Superior, Michigan and what?
	<b>Ontario</b>
6	What is the name of the main town and administration centre of Shetland?
	<b>Lerwick</b>
7	Apart from a small stretch of coastline, Gambia is completely surrounded by which country?
	<b>Senegal</b>
8	On which Japanese island is Nagasaki situated?
	<b>Kyushu</b>

**Supplementaries:**

1	What is the name given to the collapsed 'top' of a volcano?
	<b>Caldera</b>
2	The largest lake in South America, Titicaca, is on the border of two countries. Name either.
	<b>Peru or Bolivia</b>

### Round 6: Arts & Entertainment

1	Author Shehan Karunatilaka won the 2022 Booker Prize. What nationality is he?
	<b>Sri Lankan</b>
2	Daemon, Rhaena, Viserys, Vhagar, and Lucerys are all characters in which Game of Thrones TV prequel?
	<b>House of the Dragon</b>
3	Which 1996 BBC TV series, recently shown again on BBC4, featured a future James Bond and a future Dr Who?
	<b>Our Friends in the North</b>
4	Mat Osman, the brother of novelist and one time <i>Countdown</i> presenter Richard Osman, is a member of which band?
	<b>Suede</b>
5	In Season 5 of <i>The Crown</i> , who plays Queen Elizabeth II?
	Imelda <b>Staunton</b>
6	Who is the current presenter of <i>Countdown</i> ?
	Colin <b>Murray</b>
7	In the TV series <i>Better Call Saul</i> , Saul Goodman becomes the better known alter-ego of, and professional name, for whom?
	Jimmy <b>McGill</b>
8	Elvis Presley, The Village People, U2 and Stephen Sondheim have all had songs covered by which group?
	<b>Pet Shop Boys</b>

### Supplementaries:

1	In series 4 of <i>Stranger Things</i> , which 1986 song by Metallica is played by one of the characters in a set-piece scene?
	<b>Master of Puppets</b>
2	Frank Underwood is the anti-hero in which early Netflix series
	<b>House of Cards</b>

**Round 7: Monster Mash**

All questions are related to monsters and mythical creatures.

1	In the <i>King Kong</i> film of 1933, where does the monster originally inhabit?
	<b>Skull Island</b>
2	Which Dutch polymath, played by Hugh Jackman in the 2004 film of the same name, is the arch-enemy of Count Dracula?
	Gabriel <b>Van Helsing</b>
3	According to Greek mythology, what is the name of the three-headed watchdog who guards the entrance to Hades
	<b>Cerberus</b>
4	The character James P. Sullivan voiced by John Goodman, appears in which Pixar Animation film of 2001?
	<b>Monsters, Inc.</b>
5	Which actor portrayed the hulking monster in the 1931 film adaptation of Mary Shelly's book, whose full title includes the words 'The Modern Prometheus'?
	Boris <b>Karloff</b>
6	What is the name of the enormous sea monster that takes the form of an octopus, is killed by Davy Jones in the third Pirates of the Caribbean film, <i>At World's End</i> , in 2007?
	The <b>kraken</b>
7	The Dracula legend is generally believed to have evolved from the life of which cruel national hero of Romania?
	<b>Vlad III</b> (known as <b>Vlad the Impaler</b> )
8	What word is German for a 'noisy spirit' that is responsible for loud noises and objects being moved
	<b>Poltergeist</b>

**Supplementaries:**

1	The term 'zombie' comes from the folklore of which country?
	<b>Haiti</b>
2	Who sang the 1962 novelty song <i>The Monster Mash</i> ?
	Bobby 'Boris' <b>Pickett</b> (backed by his Crypt Kickers)

**Round 8: Strictly for the Birds**

All answers contain the name of a bird.

1	Which British figure skater won a gold medal at the 1980 Olympics?
	Robin <b>Cousins</b>
2	Which band topped the UK singles charts in 1972 with <i>Mouldy Old Dough</i> ?
	<b>Lieutenant Pigeon</b>
3	What's the surname of the lawyer who is the central character of the novel <i>To Kill a Mockingbird</i> ?
	<b>Finch</b>
4	Which actor played Tonto in the <i>Lone Ranger</i> TV series?
	<b>Jay Silverheels</b>
5	In which film did Groucho Marx play the character Rufus T. Firefly?
	<b>Duck Soup</b>
6	Which Best Actor Oscar winner is co-owner of the South Sydney Rabbitohs rugby league club?
	Russell <b>Crowe</b>
7	Which river runs through Perth in Western Australia?
	<b>Swan</b>
8	Who was Prime Minister of Australia from 1983 to 1991?
	Bob <b>Hawke</b>

**Supplementaries:**

1	Which bird features on the badge of Sheffield Wednesday Football Club?
	An <b>owl</b>
2	Which player won the World Snooker Championship in 1991, and went on to be a team captain on <i>Question of Sport</i> ?
	John <b>Parrott</b>





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## General Knowledge

1	What is Shakespeare's longest play?
	<b>Hamlet</b>
2	Whom did Justin Welby replace as Archbishop of Canterbury?
	Rowan <b>Williams</b>
3	Name the coffee shop in the TV show <i>Friends</i> .
	<b>Central Perk</b>
4	Who was the BBC Sports Personality of the Year in 2021?
	Emma <b>Raducanu</b>
5	Who was the longest serving continuous presenter of 'Blue Peter'?
	John <b>Noakes</b>
6	What was the name of the cowboy in the Toy Story films?
	<b>Woody</b>
7	Which British athlete won the London Marathon at their first attempt in 2002?
	Paula <b>Radcliffe</b>
8	Which temple complex in Egypt was dismantled and rebuilt elsewhere, because the original site was threatened by the construction of the Aswan dam?
	<b>Abu Simbel</b>
9	Which tea from West Bengal is marketed as the 'Champagne of Teas'?
	<b>Darjeeling</b>
10	Which ancient measurement is derived from the length of the forearm?
	<b>Cubit</b>
11	In the rhyme, what do seven magpies signify?
	A <b>secret</b> (never to be told)
12	In a street of 100 consecutively numbered houses, how many number nines would be used?
	<b>20</b>
13	Which Radio 4 show is hosted by Jack Dee, and has Colin Sell at the piano?
	<b>I'm Sorry, I Haven't a Clue</b>
14	Who wrote the book <i>The Sheep-Pig</i> , on which the film <i>Babe</i> is based?
	Dick <b>King-Smith</b>
15	What is the name of the cow in <i>The Magic Roundabout</i> ?
	<b>Ermintrude</b>
16	According to the Official Charts Company and the BBC, which Ed Sheeran song was the most streamed single in 2021?
	<b>Bad Habits</b>



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17	As of December 5th 2022, who is the Secretary of State for Education?
	Gillian <b>Keegan</b>
18	Meaning an age of continued upheaval, what is the Collins Dictionary 'word of 2022'?
	<b>Permacrisis</b>
19	Which male Real Madrid footballer won the 2022 Ballon d'Or?
	Karim <b>Benzema</b>
20	The RIBA Sterling Prize for Architecture 2022 was awarded to the new library at which Cambridge college?
	<b>Magdalene</b> (pronounced <i>Maudlin</i> )
21	Which specific part of the body is affected by the ailment gingivitis?
	The <b>gums</b> (not the teeth)
22	Where has been announced as the UK City of Culture 2025?
	<b>Bradford</b>
23	"It started with a kiss, how did it end up like this" is the opening couplet of which song, released in 2003, which has spent over five years on the British charts?
	<b>Mr. Brightside</b>
24	Describe what a dog is doing if it is 'splooting' (a new word in 2022).
	<b>Lying flat</b> (with legs splayed out behind)
25	Sharing its meaning with a slit in a garment, what word means 'to detain someone in conversation'?
	<b>Buttonhole</b>
26	Home to the Highland Park distillery, what is the capital and main town on Orkney?
	<b>Kirkwall</b>
27	What is the name of the small island off the southern tip of the Isle of Man?
	The <b>Calf of Man</b>
28	Uranus's 27 moons are named after references to Shakespeare and which other writer?
	Alexander <b>Pope</b>
29	Also a model of 4x4 car, what is the Japanese word meaning 'Army Leader'?
	<b>Shogun</b>
30	The USA has six time zones. Which one is between Pacific and Central?
	<b>Mountain</b>
31	The 2023 Ryder Cup will be contested on the outskirts of which city?
	<b>Rome</b>
32	Norway's early lead in the development of electric cars is said to have resulted from a collaboration between environmentalists and which pop group?
	<b>A-ha</b>



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33	Which renaissance artist is buried in Rome's Pantheon?
	<b>Raphael</b>
34	In which country was Chief Twit Elon Musk born?
	<b>South Africa</b>
35	What nationality is Jonas Vingegaard, the winner of 2022's Tour de France?
	<b>Danish</b>
36	"Exploring the secrets of the universe for the benefit of all" is the motto of which US agency?
	<b>NASA</b>
37	<i>Odd Boy Out</i> is the autobiography of which witty and charming star of <i>Just a Minute</i> and <i>Celebrity Gogglebox</i> ?
	Gyles <b>Brandreth</b>
38	How many legs are there in each team in a polo match?
	<b>24</b> (human + pony, x 4)
39	What type of bird is a goldeneye?
	A <b>duck</b>
40	Italy has three active volcanoes: Etna, Vesuvius, and which other?
	<b>Stromboli</b>
41	What is the maiden name of Hillary Clinton, which she also retained as her middle name?
	<b>Rodham</b>
42	Name the longest-serving character in <i>Casualty</i> .
	<b>Charlie Fairhead</b>
43	What was the given name of the novelist George Eliot?
	<b>Mary Ann Evans</b>
44	Geoffrey Chaucer was the first writer to be buried in Poet's Corner in which London location?
	<b>Westminster Abbey</b>
45	What are Kauai, Oahu, Lanai and Molokai?
	<b>Islands of Hawaii</b>
46	Which is the only sea that has no coastline?
	The <b>Sargasso</b> Sea
47	Actress, singer and producer Rita Wilson is married to which American actor?
	Tom <b>Hanks</b>
48	Which performer was backed by the New Power Generation?
	<b>Prince</b>



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49	Whose backing band were the Heartbreakers?
	Tom <b>Petty</b>
50	In which country is the Wild Atlantic Way?
	<b>Ireland</b>
51	The Latin term 'sine die' ( <i>see-nay dee-ay</i> ) used in sports suspensions, literally means what?
	<b>Without a day</b> (allow any reasonable answer containing day, and reject any that references death)
52	What is the two-word name for the company that manufactured London black cabs, until its liquidation in 2013?
	<b>Manganese Bronze</b>
53	What can be both a three-note chord in music and a Chinese gangster?
	<b>Triad</b>
54	What does the Latin term <i>caveat emptor</i> mean?
	(Let the) <b>buyer beware</b>
55	What do the food brands Moser Roth, Clancy's and Harvest Morn have in common?
	All belong to <b>ALDI</b>
56	Complete the Spike Milligan title (five words needed): Adolf Hitler ...
	<b>My Part in His Downfall</b>
57	The plot of which Tarantino film centres around a flight attendant outsmarting a gun-runner?
	<b>Jackie Brown</b>
58	What do the Italians call a large open square in a town centre?
	<b>Piazza</b> (not Plaza)
59	Who was King of England during the French revolution?
	<b>George III</b>
60	Which musical instrument provided the theme for the 1949 film <i>The Third Man</i> ?
	<b>Zither</b>
61	Melanie Wilkes, played by Olivia de Havilland, is a female protagonist in which classic film?
	<b>Gone with the Wind</b>
62	Which alliterative British songwriter and performer has been called 'the Bard of Barking'?
	<b>Billy Bragg</b>
63	Which town in Essex is famous for producing high quality table salt?
	<b>Maldon</b>
64	What title is given to a clergyman who ministers to a military body?
	<b>Chaplain</b>



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65	Which contemporary art prize is named after a painter (1775–1851) mainly remembered for land and sea scapes?
	The <b>Turner</b> Prize
66	What is the main spice used in the Hungarian dish 'goulash'?
	<b>Paprika</b>
67	John Tenniel famously illustrated which series of children's books?
	The ' <b>Alice</b> ' books (of Lewis Carroll)
68	Which novelist created the character Jason Bourne?
	Robert <b>Ludlum</b>
69	What is the state capital of Manitoba?
	<b>Winnipeg</b>
70	Melton Mowbray, famous for pork pies, is in which county?
	<b>Leicestershire</b>
71	Which bandleader's theme tune was <i>Moonlight Serenade</i> ?
	<b>Glenn Miller</b>
72	Who was king of England when the Pilgrim fathers landed in the New World?
	<b>James I</b> (1620)
73	Whose recent autobiography is titled <i>And Away</i> ?
	Bob <b>Mortimer</b>
74	Until the building of Lincoln Cathedral in 1311, what was the tallest man-made structure in the world (holding the record for almost 4000 years!)?
	The Great <b>Pyramid</b> (of Giza)
75	Halifax in West Yorkshire stands on which river?
	The <b>Calder</b> (accept <b>Hebble Brook</b> )
76	In <i>Dad's Army</i> , what was the occupation of Private Frazer?
	<b>Undertaker</b>
77	Benjamin Briggs was the captain of which famous vessel?
	The <b>Mary Celeste</b>
78	Which musical features the song <i>As Long as He Needs Me</i> ?
	<b>Oliver!</b>
79	In Greek mythology, who stole fire from the Gods to give to Man?
	<b>Prometheus</b>
80	Halifax is the capital of which Canadian province?
	<b>Nova Scotia</b>



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81	What occupation links Jack Ketch and Albert Pierrepoint?
	<b>Hangman</b>
82	Richard Avedon and David Bailey are famous names in which field?
	<b>Photography</b>
83	The musical <i>The Sound of Music</i> is set in which city?
	<b>Salzburg</b>
84	Give a year in the life of Jane Austen.
	<b>1775–1817</b>
85	Which Football League club plays its home games at Deepdale?
	<b>Preston North End</b>
86	Which London landmark stands adjacent to the site of the Tyburn gallows?
	<b>Marble Arch</b>
87	On which river does Turin stand?
	The <b>Po</b>
88	Which British Prime Minister took the title First Earl of Beaconsfield?
	Benjamin <b>Disraeli</b>
89	Give a year in the life of Thomas Hardy.
	<b>1840–1928</b>
90	In terms of area, what is Australia's largest state?
	<b>Western Australia</b>
91	Who was King of England when George Washington became American president?
	<b>George III</b> (1789)
92	Which capital city is furthest away from any other capital city?
	<b>Wellington</b> (New Zealand)
93	How old was Jerry Lee Lewis when he died in October 2022?
	<b>87</b> (accept <b>85</b> to <b>89</b> )
94	Which journalist conducted Prince Andrew's infamous <i>Panorama</i> interview in 2019?
	Emily <b>Maitlis</b>
95	What was the name of the French tightrope walker who gained fame by crossing the Niagara gorge in the 1850s?
	Charles <b>Blondin</b>
96	Which British businesswoman co-founded and ran Body Shop?
	Anita <b>Roddick</b>

**Supplementaries:**

1	What is the title of the latest in Richard Osman's <i>Thursday Murder Club</i> series of crime novels?
	<b>The Bullet that Missed</b>
2	Who wrote the 1941 farce <i>Blithe Spirit</i> ?
	<b>Noel Coward</b>
3	What is the chemical symbol for Bromine?
	<b>Br</b>
4	What surname is shared by a Social Democratic Party founder, a WW1 poet and an England footballer born in 1979?
	<b>Owen</b>