

# The AB51 Quiz

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Answers

# Round 1

1	On which British children's TV show did Mr Spoon go on adventures in a spacecraft made of a baked beans tin with a funnel on top?	1 point	Button Moon
2	For what do the letters S, L, and R stand when describing an SLR camera?	1 point	Single-lens reflex
3	Whittling is the art of carving shapes into what type of material?	1 point	Wood
4	The dihydrogen monoxide parody, used to highlight scientific illiteracy amongst the general population, calls for the banning of which common substance?	1 point	Water
5	In the song 'The Twelve Days of Christmas, how many ladies dancing are there?	1 point	Nine
6	The national football of which west African nation are known by the nickname the Black Stars?	1 point	Ghana
7	Using the standard RYB colour model, what two colours are combined to make purple?	2 points	Red Blue
8	What are the three respective names given to triangles of three equal sides, two equal sides, and no equal sides?	3 points	Equilateral Isosceles Scalene
9	Which four countries have been to the final of the men's football World Cup once?	5 points	Sweden (1958) England (1966) Spain (2010) Croatia (2018)
10	Make the longest word possible from the following letters: ADEEGLNOT	Up to 9 points	9 letter word: Elongated

## Round 2

1	Doran Godwin, Gwyneth Paltrow, and Anya Taylor-Joy have all played on screen which Jane Austen heroine?	1 point	Emma
2	The Chinese city of Panjin is famous for having a beach of what colour, which is actually a wetland covered in the plant Suaeda salsa?	1 point	Red
3	People with which colour of hair on average have the most hair follicles on their head?	1 point	Blonde
4	Myleene Klass, Kym Marsh, Suzanne Shaw, Danny Foster, and Noel Sullivan formed the pop group Hear'Say after success on which British talent show?	1 point	Popstars
5	What name is shared by the lead singer of the band Hootie and Blowfish who became the first African American to be named the Country Music Association's New Country Artist of the Year; the writer and director of the Academy Award winning film Sound of Metal; and the Persian leader defeated by Alexander the Great in the Battle of Gaugamela?	1 point	Darius <i>*Darius Rucker</i> <i>Darius Marder</i> <i>Darius III</i>
6	Freddie Mercury, the lead singer of the band Queen, was born in which East African island archipelago?	1 point	Zanzibar
7	Which two NFL teams have the most Super Bowl victories, each having won the title six times?	2 points	New England Patriots Pittsburgh Steelers
8	According to the International Bartenders Association, what three ingredients comprise a sidecar cocktail?	3 points	Cognac* Triple sec** Lemon juice <i>*Brandy</i> <i>**Orange liqueur</i>
9	Who have been the four US Presidents whose name have started with the letter J?	4 points	Thomas Jefferson Andrew Jackson Andrew Johnson Lyndon Johnson
10	Which six British footballers have won the Ballon d'Or prize for the world's best male footballer?	6 points	Stanley Matthews Denis Law Bobby Charlton George Best Kevin Keegan Michael Owen

# Round 3

1	Which Scottish music festival ran from 1994 to 2016, including 18 editions at the Balado airfield near Perth?	1 point	T in the Park
2	The sculpture Mano del Desierto, depicting a giant hand in the desert, can be found in which South American nation?	1 point	Chile
3	In Greek mythology, who was turned into a spider as punishment for boastfully defeating the goddess Athena in a weaving contest by producing a work that mocked the Gods?	1 point	Arachne
4	Nutritionally, 100g of blackcurrants will supply over 200 per cent of the recommended daily intake of which vitamin?	1 point	Vitamin C
5	What type of tree features on the flag of Lebanon?	1 point	Cedar
6	In the 2011 film Contagion, widely viewed as predicting the Covid-19 outbreak, which American actress plays Beth, the woman who effectively becomes Patient Zero after shaking hands with a chef in a Hong Kong casino?	1 point	Gwyneth Paltrow
7	Although its definition has historically involved various combinations, the 'dead man's hand' in poker now involves which two black pairs - that being a pair of black what plus a pair of black what?	2 points	Aces 8s <i>*It is two black aces plus two black 8s, with one additional hole card.</i>
8	Following the 2020 General Election in the Republic of Ireland, which three parties came together to form a coalition government??	3 points	Fianna Fáil Fine Gael Green Party
9	Of the world's top ten largest countries by area, what four have population densities of less than 10 people per square kilometre?	4 points	Russia Canada Australia Kazakhstan
10	According to data from the US Geological Survey, which ten countries were the largest miners of silver in 2022?	10 points	Mexico China Peru Chile Russia Poland Australia Bolivia USA Argentina

# Round 4

1	Count Aleksey Vronsky is the lover of which literary character?	1 point	Anna Karenina
2	In which Italian city are the twin towers of Garisenda and Asinelli, the former of which leans 4° and became the subject of an intervention and restoration project announced in 2023?	1 point	Bologna
3	In the 1991 film Robin Hood: Prince of Thieves, Robin and Marian's wedding is interrupted by the return of which English king from the Third Crusade?	1 point	King Richard
4	What is the only city to have hosted both a summer and winter Olympics in the modern era??	1 point	Beijing <i>*Summer Olympics: 2008</i> <i>Winter Olympics: 2022</i>
5	What type of Japanese cooking style involves grilling or frying food on a large metal plate, from which the style takes its name?	1 point	Teppanyaki
6	Via Rail operates the rail system in which country?	1 point	Canada
7	What are the names of the two moons of the planet Mars?	2 points	Phobos Deimos
8	What are the names of the three species of puffin?	3 points	Atlantic puffin Horned puffin Tufted puffin
9	Who are the only four actors to have won back-to-back Best Actor or Best Actress Academy Awards?	4 points	Luise Rainer (1936,1937) Spencer Tracy (1937,1938) Katherine Hepburn (1967,1968) Tom Hanks (1993, 1994)
10	What have been American musician Taylor Swift's ten studio album releases?	10 points	Taylor Swift Fearless Speak Now Red 1989 Reputation Lover Folklore Evermore Midnights

# Round 5

*In Round 5, there is only one answer. The less clues you need to get it, the more points you receive. If you need only one clue, you receive 10 points; if you require two clues, you will receive 9 points, and so on. However, you may only answer once. If you answer incorrectly, you receive zero points for the round.*

**The following are all the same colour. What is it?**

Clue 1 (for 10 points)

A variety of the animal with the scientific name *Phyllobates terribilis*. (golden poison frog)

Clue 2 (for 9 points)

The colour in the nickname of Izamal, a town in Mexico. (Yellow City)

Clue 3 (for 8 points)

Light visible between 575 and 594 nanonmetres. (yellow)

Clue 4 (for 7 points)

Shirts worn by the football club that plays its home games at the Plainmoor ground. (Torquay United)

Clue 5 (for 6 points)

The flag flown by a ship to indicate it has a disease on board and requires quarantine. (Yellow Jack)

Clue 6 (for 5 points)

The dot on a squash ball that means it has a low bounce and is therefore for advanced players. (yellow)

Clue 7 (for 4 points)

A ribbon referenced in the title of a 1949 film starring John Wayne. (She Wore a Yellow Ribbon)

Clue 8 (for 3 points)

The character Bumblebee in the Transformers franchise. (yellow)

Clue 9 (for 2 points)

The title of a song released by the band Coldplay in the year 2000. (Yellow)

Clue 10 (for 1 point)

The colour between orange and green in a rainbow. (yellow)

**Answer: Yellow**

