

Welcome to the Quiz!

Are you registered to vote?



1. Which TV scientist used to be in D:Ream, and recorded 'Things Can Only Get Better' which was the Labour party election campaign song in the 1997 General Election?

2. Which French President's party was sued for using MGMT's hit song 'Kids' in their presidential campaign?

3. Which Bruce Springsteen song was used in Barack Obama's 2012 Presidential Campaign?

4. Which musical couple staged a protest against the Vietnam War from a bed in the Hilton Hotel in Amsterdam in 1969?

5. Which band did Bill Clinton persuade to perform for his 1993 Inaugural Ball?



1. What is the name of the voting system used to elect Members of Parliament to the UK Parliament in Westminster?

2. Who was the first female speaker of the House of Commons?

3. Traditionally, the Chancellor is allowed to do what on Budget day, which Ministers are prohibited from doing for the rest of the year?

4. True or false: There are 650 constituencies in the UK represented by Members of Parliament.

5. When is the next UK General Election?



1. When was the current Scottish Parliament building opened?

2. How many MSPs are there?

3. Who was the first First Minister?

4. True or false: 94% of 19-24 years olds are registered to vote in Scotland



1. What are the three main bodies involved in making law in the EU?

2. Where are the two European Parliament buildings?

3. Across Europe, what percentage of those who were able to vote turned out in the 2014 European Parliament Elections? A) 55% B) 43% C) 62%

4. What is the motto of the EU?

5. How many UK MEPs are there?



Picture one - Name that MP



Picture two - Name that MSP



Picture three - Name that MP



Picture four - Name that MSP



Picture five - Name that MSP



Picture six - Name that MSP





Round Six History

Round Six - History

1. Who is the only British Prime Minister ever to be assassinated?

Round Six - History

2. Who was Henry VIII's fifth wife?

Round Six - History

3. Who was the target of the Gunpowder Plot?

Round Six - History

4. In what year did Tony Blair become UK Prime Minister?

Round Six - History

5. In what year did women win the right to vote in the UK?



Your question paper contains 5 different quotes - who said the following?

1. "One of the penalties for refusing to participate in politics is that you end up being governed by your inferiors."

 "If I want to knock a story off the front page, I just change my hairstyle."

3. "If you can't be XXX to vote, why should we be XXX to listen to your political point of view?"

4. "For my brothers it was easy to think about the future. They can be anything they want. But for me it was hard and for that reason I wanted to become educated and empower myself with knowledge."

5. "In the course of my life I have developed five little democratic questions. If one meets a powerful person - Adolf Hitler, Joe Stalin or Bill Gates - ask them five questions: "What power have you got? Where did you get it from? In whose interests do you exercise it? To whom are you accountable? And how can we get rid of you?" If you cannot get rid of the people who govern you, you do not live in a democratic system."



Round Eight Name that building

Round Eight - Name that building

Which building is in the background of this photo?



Round Eight - Name that building



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1. Who played President Bartlet in 'The West Wing'?

2. Who does Kevin Spacey play in 'House of Cards'?

3. Which country is TV show 'Borgen' set in?

4. What is Sir Humphrey's job in 'Yes Minister'?

5. Who created the TV shows 'Veep' and 'The Thick of It'?



Round Ten Headlines

Round Ten - Headlines

1. Which story does the following headline refer to: 'Egghead Weds Hourglass'

Round Ten - Headlines

Complete the following 2010 headline from the Guardian Newspaper:

'Leaders' TV debate: XXX was the night's real catchphrase'

Round Ten - Headlines

3. On which event did the Newburyport Morning Herald report on with the headline "Band Played Till End"

Round Ten - TV

4. The Daily Telegraph ran the headline "War on America" after which event?

Round Ten - TV

5. The Sun headline "It's the Sun Wot Won It" appeared in the paper following which UK General election?