

BYU BLUE

Tossups

1. For a quick 10 points -- which country has the simplest flag in the world—a green piece of cloth?

Answer: LIBYA

2. He wrote *A Monetary History of the U.S., 1867-1960*, in which he set forth his theories that argued against government intervention in the economy. He rejected Keynesian economics and proposed the negative income tax in his book, *Capitalism and Freedom*, in 1962. For ten points - name this controversial winner of the 1976 Nobel Prize in economics.

Answer: MILTON FRIEDMAN

3. He shared the 1966 Nobel Prize in literature with Nelly Sachs for his “profoundly characteristic narrative art with motifs from the life of the Jewish people.” His best known novels include *The Bridal Canopy* and *A Quest for the Night*. For ten points -- name this Israeli author who was born in Russia in 1888.

Answer: SHMUEL JOSEF AGNON

4. This university produced an incredible 47 wins in a row from 1953 to 1957 to set a practically unbreakable Division 1-A college football record for consecutive victories. The streak was ended by Notre Dame, 7-0. For ten points -- name this school that also produced Heisman Trophy winners Billy Sims and Steve Owens.

Answer: OKLAHOMA

5. He was born in Pennsylvania, probably about 1930, and became a successful commercial artist. He is perhaps best known for his silk-screened portraits of Marilyn Monroe and other celebrities, as well as pictures of huge soup cans. For ten points -- name this leading figure of the pop art movement of the 1960s.

Answer: ANDY WARHOL

6. It is defined as an act of wrong or breach of legal duty that results in actual or legal damage to the person or property of another. For ten points -- what is this term used by lawyers?

Answer: TORT

7. The Bowman's capsule, the loop of Henle, and the glomerulus are all parts of this most often donated human organ. For ten points -- name it.

Answer: KIDNEY

8. In America, an IRA is an Individual Retirement Account, however, in Great Britain "IRA" stands for something entirely different. For ten points -- what terrorist organization does it stand for?

Answer: IRISH REPUBLICAN ARMY

9. In fencing this is defined as an attack immediately following a parry. For 10 points -- what is this very effective move called?

Answer: RIPOSTE

10. He first gained fame for his free translations of the *Iliad* and *Odyssey*, but soon gained fame for his poetry. His works include *Moral Essays*, "Dunciad," "The Rape of the Lock," and *Essay on Man*. For ten points -- name this English poet.

Answer: ALEXANDER POPE

11. All three Baltic states annexed by the USSR in 1940, Lithuania, Latvia, and Estonia, all declared independence in 1990. However -- for ten points -- which was first?

Answer: LITHUANIA

12. Markovnikov, Zimystev, Hükel, Freidel, and Craft were all pioneers in this field of science which studies, for the most part, carbon, hydrogen, oxygen, nitrogen, and the halogens. For ten points -- name it.

Answer: ORGANIC CHEMISTRY

13. How well do you spell? In 1887, Dr. L. L. Zamenhof, a linguist and physician, published a slim textbook on his "Internacia Linguo" under a pseudonym. The last name of the pseudonym soon became the name of this new, international, easy-to-learn language. For ten points -- spell this language.

Answer: E-S-P-E-R-A-N-T-O

14. "5; 15 for two; twenty; thirty; go." This does not refer to a number series or the stock market. It does, however, account the play of a card game which also has scoring combinations of flushes, paris, runs, knobs, heels, and sets adding up to 15. For ten points -- name this game in which scoring is kept by moving pegs around a board.

Answer: CRIBBAGE

15. According to several African mythologies, many divinities live in temporary homes on the earth. These homes vary from simple stones to beautifully carved images. Some African groups believe that they protect them from evil spells and bring them good luck. For ten points -- name these figures.

Answer: FETISHES

16. Washington, DC, and its three electoral votes, as usual, went to a Democrat in the 1984 Presidential election. Besides the District of Columbia -- for ten points -- name the only state Ronald Reagan failed to capture in his '84 avalanche.

Answer: MINNESOTA

17. He was born in 1930 in Maryland, and his first novel, *The Floating Opera*, was nominated for the National Book Award in 1956, as was *Lost in the Funhouse*. He went on to win the award for *Chimera* and also garnered critical acclaim for *The Sotweed Factor* and *The End of the Road*. For ten points -- name this author whose latest work is *Tidewater Tales*.

Answer: JOHN BARTH

18. It is pretty mind-boggling to think that, while a tiny pebble on earth will sink, a particular entire planet will theoretically float on water. For ten points -- name this planet that rotates on its axis in just over ten hours and has at least 22 satellites.

Answer: SATURN

19. One of this Italian Renaissance painter's early masterpieces was *The Marriage of the Virgin*. He also painted the frescoes in the pope's private chambers in the Vatican, including *School of Athens*. For ten points -- name him.

Answer: RAPHAEL

20. She wrote *A Vindication of the Rights of Men* and *A Vindication of the Rights of Woman* and was thought of as an enlightened feminist of her day. For ten points -- who was she?

Answer: MARY WOLLSTONECRAFT

21. It is widely known as the Colosseum, but -- for ten points -- what was its official name?

Answer: FLAVIAN AMPHITHEATRE

22. This is the age of acronyms. P.E.T. stands for Positron Emission Tomography, C.A.T. stands for Computerized Axial Tomography, but -- for ten points -- what does M.R.I. stand for?

Answer: MAGNETIC RESONANCE IMAGING

23. This Shakespeare play, published in 1598, had a title page in the first quarto edition that read: "With the battell at Shrewsburie, betweene the King and Lord Henry Percy, surnamed Henrie Hotspur of the North. With the humorous conceits of Sir John Falstaffe." For ten points -- name it.

Answer: HENRY IV, PART I

24. What future president's wife reminded her husband of his duties towards women in framing the constitution by writing to him: "If particular care and attention is not paid to the Ladies we are determined to foment a Rebellion, and will not hold ourselves bound by any Laws in which we have no voice, or Representation." For ten points -- name her.

Answer: ABIGAIL ADAMS

25. Millions of Hindus make periodic pilgrimages to a holy city in India to be purified in the sacred river. For ten points -- name this river.

Answer: VARANASI (accept BENARES)

26. What vitamin is found in large quantities in beef liver, sweet potatoes, spinach, butternut squash, dandelion greens, and carrots? For ten points -- name it.

Answer: VITAMIN A

27. When projected overruns on the cost of building eight prototypes of this Navy plane soared to over two and a half billion dollars, Defense Secretary Dick Cheney cancelled the contract. For ten points -- name it.

Answer: A-12 AVENGER

28. "Spelling" and "Reading Newspapers" are two poems by this Canadian authoress that call for a new language for women. Her novels such as *Lady Oracle* and *Cat's Eye* also explore the woman's role in modern society. For ten points -- name her.

Answer: MARGARET ATWOOD

29. Only one of the Great Lakes is completely within the United States. For ten points -- name it.

Answer: LAKE MICHIGAN

30. What Byzantine Emperor, ruling from 527 to 565 A.D., waged long, hard wars against the Ostrogoths, temporarily regaining Italy and North Africa? These wars exhausted the resources of the Byzantine state and destroyed Italy's economy and populace. For ten points -- name this emperor.

Answer: JUSTINIAN

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1. A herd constitutes a group of goats, while a flock is the term used for a group of chickens. For five points each, name the animal found in these groups: kennel, gaggle, clowder, pace, and warren.

Answer: (Respectively) DOG, GOOSE, CAT, DONKEY, RABBIT.

25-point Bonus

2. Such magazines as *Home*, *Jet*, *Workbench*, and *Organic Gardening* can be found among the top 100 best-selling U.S. magazines. For five points each and in any order, name the top five.

Answer: 1. MODERN MATURITY,
2. NRTA/AARP BULLETIN,
3. READER'S DIGEST,
4. NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC,
5. BETTER HOMES AND GARDENS

25-point Bonus

3. The average cost of tuition, fees, and college room and board, for a four-year private college is \$11,269 in the United States. That is quite a bit of money, but the figures for the most expensive schools far exceed that mark. For five points each, name any five of the ten most expensive, four-year institutions.

Answer: BENNINGTON COLLEGE, SARAH LAWRENCE COLLEGE,
BARNARD COLLEGE, BRANDEIS UNIVERSITY, BOSTON
UNIVERSITY, COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY, TUFTS UNIVERSITY,
BROWN UNIVERSITY, and YALE UNIVERSITY.

30-point Bonus

4. Mick Jagger is a Virgo and Keith Richards is a Capricorn, but for five points each, match these other stones to their corresponding zodiacal signs: pearl, ruby, diamond, tourmaline, bloodstone, and sapphire.

Answer: (Respectively) CANCER, LEO, TAURUS, SCORPIO, ARIES,
and LIBRA.

25-point Bonus

5. It's not too hard to figure out which group Jon Bon Jovi sings for or the duo John Oates is associated with, but, for five points each -- can you name the groups these leads sing for: Steve Tyler, Joe Elliot, Neil Finn, Brad Delp, Bork Gudmundsdottir.

Answer: (Respectively) AEROSMITH, DEF LEPPARD, CROWED HOUSE, BOSTON, and the SUGARCUBES

30-point Bonus

6. George Washington held the rank of General of the Armies and Commander in Chief, the highest rank in U.S. military history, reserved only for him. One man also held the rank of General of the Army, while five others were five-star Generals of the Army. For five points each -- name these six men.

Answer: JON J. PERSHING (GENERAL OF THE ARMY), GEORGE MARSHALL, DOUGLAS MACARTHUR, DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER, HENRY H. ARNOLD, and OMAR BRADLEY.

30-point Bonus

7. One man has captured the Super Bowl MVP trophy three times, while two others won it twice, both in consecutive years. For ten points each, name these three men.

Answer: JOE MONTANA, SAN FRANCISCO, 1982, '85, '90,
BART STARR, GREEN BAY, '67, '68
TERRY BRADSHAW, PITTSBURG, '79, '80

30-point Bonus

8. For 10 points each, name the city in which each of these universities resides:

Texas Christian University
University of Oklahoma
Arizona State University

Answer: FORT WORTH, NORMAN, TEMPE

25-point Bonus

9. For five points each and an extra five for all four -- name each planet from a description of its atmosphere: It rains liquid methane; it rains sulfuric acid; it is mostly gaseous sulphur and phosphorus; it is mostly a radioactive smog.

Answer: SATURN, VENUS, JUPITER, URANUS

25-point Bonus

10. For five points each and an extra five for all four, match the discoverer with his discovery:

Discoverers: Friedrich Serturmer (1805), Herman Dresser (1893)

Alfred Einhorn (1905), Selman Waksman (1944)

Discoveries: Novocain, streptomycin, morphine, aspirin

Answer: SERTURMER - MORPHINE
DRESSER - ASPIRIN
EINHORN - NOVOCAIN
WAKSMAN - STREPTOMYCIN

30-20-10-point Bonus

11. Name this man and you'll get 30 points after the first clue, 20 on the second, and 10 after the third.

1. He was born in 1795 in London, was orphaned by the age of 15, and was very close to his siblings, George, Tom, and Fanny. He died in 1821.

2. He was influenced by translations of the *Iliad* and the *Odyssey*, the poetry of Edmund Spenser, and Boccaccio's *Decameron*.

3. He wrote such works as *Endymion*, *Hyperion*, and a number of odes.

Answer: JOHN KEATS

30-point Bonus

12. For 5 points each -- name the nation each of these writers are from: Jorge Luis Borges, Milan Kundera, Theodore Dreiser, Harry E. Hartinson, R. K. Narayan, Herman Melville

Answer: ARGENTINA, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, UNITED STATES,
SWEDEN, INDIA, UNITED STATES

30-point Bonus

13. For ten points each, name the largest city in these states: Kentucky, Kansas, and Delaware.

Answer: LOUISVILLE, WICHITA, WILMINGTON

25 points (all or nothing) Bonus

14. You just might earn 25 points for being addicted to Sci-fi/Fantasy drivel. Can you name the first 5 Incarnations of Immortality as considered by Piers Anthony? You must name them all to earn the points.

Answer: DEATH, TIME, FATE, WAR, NATURE

25-point Bonus

15. The name's the same, and it's worth 25 points if you can give it. One developed hydrodynamics, one calculus, one geodesic domes, another large number theories, and yet another probability. What is the family name?

Answer: BERNOULLI

30-20-10-point Bonus

16. Name this historical figure on the first clue for thirty points, on the second for twenty, and on the third for ten.

1. As a Spanish knight he was wounded at Pamplona in 1521 while fighting for Navarra against France. He underwent a spiritual transformation and made a pilgrimage to the monastery at Catalonia.
2. He lived for a year as a beggar, attempted a conversion mission to the Moslems, and got a university education.
3. He founded the Society of Jesuits.

Answer: IGNATIUS LOYOLA

25-point Bonus

20. Given these famous biblical sons -- for five points each -- name their fathers.

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| 1. Abraham | Answer: <u>TERAH</u> |
| 2. Seth | Answer: <u>ADAM</u> |
| 3. Ephraim | Answer: <u>JOSEPH</u> |
| 4. Rehoboam | Answer: <u>SOLOMON</u> |
| 5. Jacob/Israel | Answer: <u>ISAAC</u> |

30-point Bonus

21. For 15 points -- in the United States, which team won 4 Super Bowls in 6 years? For an additional 15 points -- what Canadian team won 5 Grey Cups in 5 years, from 1978-1982?

Answer: PITTSBURGH STEELERS, EDMONTON

30-point Bonus

22. Almost all scientific laws are named for their discoverers. For 10 points apiece, 30 points in all, name these laws.

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| 1. Voltage = Resistance multiplied by the Current |
| Answer: <u>OHM'S LAW</u> |
| 2. Present levels of genetic differentiation tend to remain constant in future generations. |
| Answer: <u>HARDY-WEINBURG LAW</u> |
| 3. A conductor will tend to resist changes in the magnetic field surrounding it. |
| Answer: <u>LENZ'S LAW</u> |

20-point Bonus

23. An old grade-school mind stumper asks, "What is heavier, a pound of lead or a pound of feathers?" Of course, the answer is neither. However, the question, "What is heavier, a pound of feathers or a pound of gold?" has a different answer. For ten points each -- which is heavier and why?

Answer: The FEATHERS since GOLD IS WEIGHED IN TROY POUNDS WHICH WEIGH LESS THAN NORMAL POUNDS, OR THERE ARE 12 OUNCES TO A GOLD (TROY) POUND. (Be flexible.)

30-point Bonus

24. Some of the Egyptian gods and goddesses were often portrayed with human bodies and the heads of birds and other animals. For ten points each --name the divinity usually portrayed with the head of each of the following animals.

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| 1. | jackal | Answer: | <u>ANUBIS</u> |
| 2. | falcon | Answer: | <u>HORUS</u> |
| 3. | ibis | Answer: | <u>THOTH</u> |

30-20-10-point Bonus

25. Name this author after the first clue for 30 points, after the second for 20 points, or after the third clue for ten points.

1. His newest book, *Zen in the Art of Writing*, provides essays on creativity that encourage his readers to write daily and then to write some more.
2. One of the chapters in this book is called "Just This Side of Byzantium: Dandelion Wine."
3. Another chapter is entitled: "Investing Dimes: Fahrenheit 451."

Answer: RAY BRADBURY

20-point Bonus

27. For five points each -- name the Nintendo games that fit the following descriptions.

1. You shoot people, running through the jungle, earning special guns as you go.
2. Different colored pills drop in a jar, and if you line up four of the same color you kill the virus.
3. Geometrical shapes fall from the sky and your job is to fill one level at a time without any spaces.
4. Faces of three people appear and you have to decide if they are criminals or civilians, and you can only shoot the criminals.

Answer: CONTRA, DR. MARIO, TETRI S, HOGAN'S ALLEY

30-point Bonus

28. Geometry is a branch of mathematics involving studying the shape, size, and position of geometric figures. From the given definitions dealing with triangles -- for 5 points each -- provide the appropriate term.

1. triangle in which one angle measures 90 degrees
2. all angles measure less than 90 degrees
3. no two sides measure the same
4. two of the three sides measure the same
5. a line segment from a vertex perpendicular to the opposite side
6. a line segment from a vertex to the midpoint of the opposite side

Answer:

1. RIGHT TRIANGLE
2. ACUTE TRIANGLE
3. SCALENE TRIANGLE
4. ISOSCELES TRIANGLE
5. ALTITUDE
6. MEDIAN