

40 TV quiz questions and answers

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1. Which sitcom follows Del Boy and Rodney Trotter?

- A) Only Fools and Horses
- B) Steptoe and Son
- C) Minder
- D) The Likely Lads

2. Who played Basil in 'Fawlty Towers'?

- A) John Cleese
- B) Michael Palin
- C) Eric Idle
- D) Graham Chapman

3. Which soap is set in the fictional London borough of Walford?

- A) Brookside
- B) EastEnders
- C) The Bill
- D) Hollyoaks

4. What is the name of the pub in 'EastEnders'?

- A) The Queen Victoria
- B) The Woolpack
- C) The Bull
- D) The Dog in the Pond

5. Which quiz show's host says 'I've started, so I'll finish'?

- A) University Challenge
- B) Fifteen to One
- C) The Weakest Link
- D) Mastermind

6. In 'Blackadder', what is the name of Blackadder's dim-witted servant?

- A) Percy
- B) Baldrick
- C) George
- D) Bob

7. Which baking competition takes place in a white tent?

- A) MasterChef
- B) The Great British Bake Off
- C) Ready Steady Cook
- D) Come Dine with Me

8. Which Geordie duo present 'Saturday Night Takeaway'?

- A) Ant and Dec
- B) Vic and Bob
- C) Mel and Sue
- D) French and Saunders

9. What is the name of the talking car in 'Knight Rider'?

- A) Herbie
- B) General Lee
- C) KITT
- D) Bumblebee

10. Which long-running BBC show has experts valuing the public's antiques?

- A) Bargain Hunt
- B) Flog It!
- C) Antiques Roadshow
- D) Cash in the Attic

11. Which game show's host invites contestants to 'Come on down!'?

- A) Bullseye
- B) Blankety Blank
- C) The Price Is Right
- D) Family Fortunes

12. In the UK version of 'The Office', what is the name of the paper company?

- A) Dunder Mifflin
- B) Wernham Hogg
- C) Reynholm Industries
- D) Grace Brothers

13. Who played David Brent in 'The Office'?

- A) Stephen Merchant
- B) Martin Freeman
- C) Mackenzie Crook
- D) Ricky Gervais

14. Which detective series set in Oxford starred John Thaw?

- A) A Touch of Frost
- B) Midsomer Murders
- C) Taggart
- D) Inspector Morse

15. Which period drama follows the Crawley family and their servants?

- A) Upstairs, Downstairs
- B) Downton Abbey
- C) Bridgerton
- D) Poldark

16. In which city is 'Peaky Blinders' mainly set?

- A) Manchester
- B) Birmingham
- C) Liverpool
- D) Glasgow

17. In 'Gavin & Stacey', which Welsh town is Stacey from?

- A) Cardiff
- B) Barry
- C) Swansea
- D) Newport

18. Whose catchphrase was 'Nice to see you, to see you nice'?

- A) Des O'Connor
- B) Bruce Forsyth
- C) Terry Wogan
- D) Bob Monkhouse

19. Which children's programme featured Zippy, George and Bungle?

- A) Play School
- B) Rainbow
- C) Button Moon
- D) The Sooty Show

20. Which motoring show did Jeremy Clarkson, Richard Hammond and James May present from 2002 to 2015?

- A) The Grand Tour
- B) Top Gear
- C) Fifth Gear
- D) Wheeler Dealers

21. What is the name of the Doctor's robot dog in 'Doctor Who'?

- A) Rover
- B) Bolt

- C) Metal Mickey
- D) K9

22. Which comedy is set on the fictional Craggy Island?

- A) The Vicar of Dibley
- B) Ballykissangel
- C) Derry Girls
- D) Father Ted

23. Which comedy duo performed the 'Four Candles' sketch?

- A) Morecambe and Wise
- B) The Two Ronnies
- C) Cannon and Ball
- D) Little and Large

24. In 'Line of Duty', what is the name of the anti-corruption unit?

- A) AC-12
- B) CID-7
- C) SO-15
- D) Unit 9

25. Which ITV soap is set in a fictional village in the Yorkshire Dales?

- A) Emmerdale
- B) Heartbeat
- C) All Creatures Great and Small
- D) Last of the Summer Wine

26. Which talent show gives each judge a 'Golden Buzzer'?

- A) The X Factor
- B) Britain's Got Talent
- C) The Voice
- D) Pop Idol

27. In 'Red Dwarf', what is the name of the ship's computer?

- A) Holly
- B) Kryten
- C) Hal
- D) Talkie Toaster

28. In a Countdown letters round, how many letters does each contestant have to work with?

- A) Seven
- B) Eight
- C) Nine
- D) Ten

29. Which 2001 David Attenborough series explored the world's oceans?

- A) Planet Earth
- B) The Blue Planet
- C) Frozen Planet
- D) Life on Earth

30. Who presented 'Who Wants to Be a Millionaire?' when it launched in the UK in 1998?

- A) Jeremy Clarkson
- B) Noel Edmonds
- C) Chris Tarrant
- D) Des O'Connor

31. Who played the vicar in 'The Vicar of Dibley'?

- A) Jennifer Saunders
- B) Joanna Lumley
- C) Dawn French
- D) Victoria Wood

32. Which sitcom centres on Hyacinth Bucket, who insists her name is pronounced

'Bouquet'?

- A) Butterflies
- B) Ever Decreasing Circles
- C) Keeping Up Appearances
- D) The Good Life

33. Which drama is set among the midwives of Nonnatus House in Poplar?

- A) Casualty
- B) Holby City
- C) Call the Midwife
- D) Heartbeat

34. Who hosts ITV's quiz show 'The Chase'?

- A) Alexander Armstrong
- B) Ben Shephard
- C) Bradley Walsh
- D) Paul O'Grady

35. Which BBC show pairs celebrities with professional dancers?

- A) Dancing on Ice
- B) So You Think You Can Dance
- C) The Greatest Dancer
- D) Strictly Come Dancing

36. What is the name of the Doctor's home planet in 'Doctor Who'?

- A) Skaro
- B) Gallifrey
- C) Mondas
- D) Trenzalore

37. In 'Porridge', what is the surname of Ronnie Barker's prisoner character?

- A) Godber
- B) Fletcher
- C) Mackay
- D) Barrowclough

38. Which puppet fox's catchphrase was 'Boom! Boom!'?

- A) Foxy Loxy
- B) Basil Brush
- C) Fantastic Mr Fox
- D) Roland Rat

39. Which children's TV character has a black and white cat called Jess?

- A) Postman Pat
- B) Fireman Sam
- C) Bob the Builder
- D) Mr Benn

40. Which actor plays Mr Bean?

- A) Hugh Laurie
- B) Stephen Fry
- C) Rowan Atkinson
- D) Mel Smith

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11. The Price Is Right
12. Wernham Hogg
13. Ricky Gervais
14. Inspector Morse
15. Downton Abbey
16. Birmingham
17. Barry
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