



#### **QUIZ INSTRUCTIONS**

- There are 20 questions in the quiz, with each question being on a separate slide
- It is probably best for a teacher or a trusted student to write down the answer and then mark
- If your group manage to answer the question correctly, without the help of the picture clue, they get 2 points
- If they get the correct answer with the help of the clue, they get 1 point
- An incorrect answer scores 0
- After the clue has appeared for each question, the next click brings up the answer, so this is a self-mark quiz. PLEASE BE HONEST!
- Once you have answered the 20 questions, please email me your score out of 40





#### DHS HOUSE QUIZ CURRENT AFFAIRS FRIDAY 8<sup>th</sup> December







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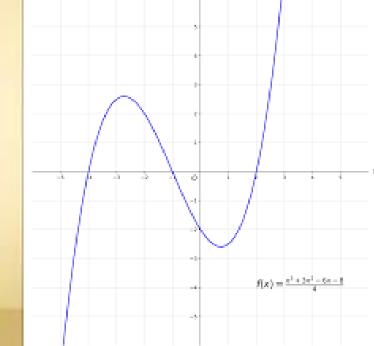
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Q2) The UK culture secretary has said she may order a probe into the sale of which national British newspaper to an Abu Dhabi-backed fund?



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Q3) Blue whales - the largest animals on Earth - are making their home again in which part of the Indian Ocean where they were wiped out by whaling decades ago?



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fleet decimated the population in the 1960s)

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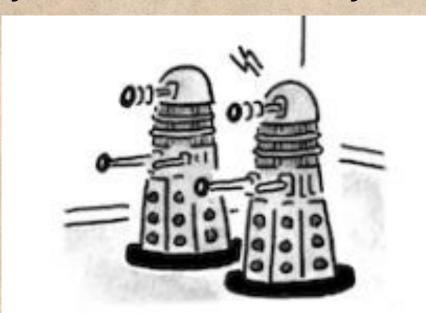
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Q4) Which BBC TV show was first broadcast on the 23 November 1963, making it 60 years old last Thursday?



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Q5) Which car manufacturer has committed to making future electric versions of its two best selling cars in Sunderland helping to preserve 6,000 jobs at the site?



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Q6) Novak Djokovic told a group of British fans to "shut up" as they tried to drown out his interview by playing musical instruments after their team were knocked out of the Davis Cup by which country?



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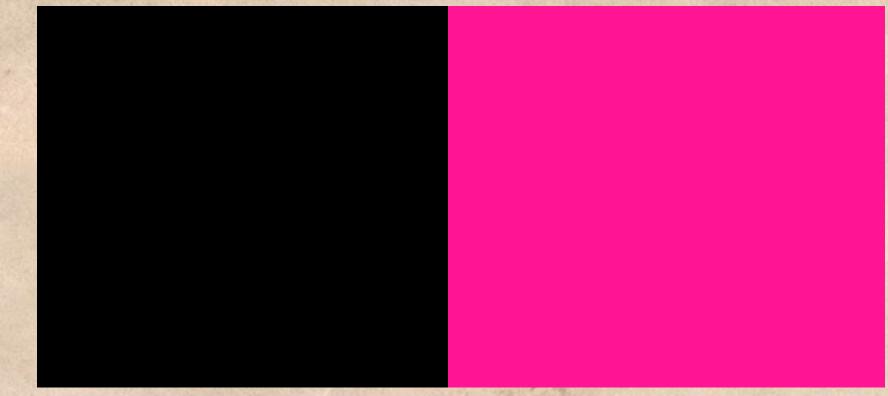
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Q7) Which K-pop stars were awarded honorary MBEs by King Charles to coincide with the state visit by South Korea's president?



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Q8) Parts of the state of Queensland in Australia have been battling a plague of what, caused by a combination of ideal wet weather conditions for breeding and a bountiful harvest?



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Q9) At twice the size of Greater London the world's biggest what is on the move after being stuck to the ocean floor for more than 30 years?



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Q10) A car designed and built by students from Durham university came 11th in a 3,000km (1,864-mile) race across the Australian outback for cars driven by what power source?



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Q11) The UK is to send a second warship to the Gulf in response to rising tensions in the Middle East, HMS Diamond - a Type 45 destroyer - is on its way and will join HMS what, a Navy frigate that is already there?



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Q12) Which enormously influential former Nobel Peace prize winner and US National Security Adviser and Secretary of State, under US Presidents Nixon and Ford in the late 1960's and 1970's has died aged 100?



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Q13) Rishi Sunak has accused the Greek prime minister of trying to "grandstand" over the Parthenon Sculptures which he claims should be returned to Greece, by what name are the sculptures better known in this country?





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Q14) In which Italian city has a medieval tower that leans just as much as its famous counterpart in Pisa been sealed off over fears it may collapse?



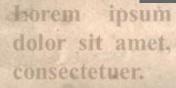
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Q15) Tian Tian and Yang Guang arrived in Scotland to huge fanfare in 2011 and have lived in Edinburgh for 12 years and are now returning to China, what are they?







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Q16) Handwritten notes by David Bowie for the Lyrics of Rock 'n' Roll Suicide and which other track both of which feature on Bowie's 1972 classic The Rise and Fall of Ziggy Stardust and the Spiders from Mars were sold at auction for £89,000?





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Q17) The Frontman of the punk band The Pogues, Shane MacGowan, died last week at the age of 65 for which 1987 Christmas hit was he best known?



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Q19) China has announced that from December ordinary passport holders from France, Germany, Italy, the Netherlands, Spain and Malaysia will be allowed to do business or travel in China for up to 15 days without a what?



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Q20) Forty-six men have been charged after violence broke out last week before a European Conference League football match between Legia Warsaw and which **English team?** 





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