

NFE GENERAL KNOWLEDGE QUIZ - SEPTEMBER 2011

Remember the clue is in the question!

Score 10 points for every correct answer – Score 5 points if half right! Play a JOKER in one round and get DOUBLE points in that round. Show it before you start the round. There are 12 rounds with 6 questions in each round.

Round 1 – Music		
<p>1</p> <p>'Albatross', 'Oh well' & 'Everywhere' were massive hits for which legendary band?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Fleetwood Mac</p>	<p>2</p> <p>'A day in the life' is a track from which classic Beatles album?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Sgt Pepper</p>	<p>3</p> <p>Which Swedish Eurovision act won in '74 with a song called 'Waterloo'?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Abba</p>
<p>4</p> <p>Which star took off up the charts with a song called 'Rocket Man'?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Elton John</p>	<p>5</p> <p>Which famous British band were 'Holding back the years'?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Simply Red</p>	<p>6</p> <p>Which American star of American Idol was 'On the floor'?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Jennifer Lopez</p>
Round 2 – Geography General		
<p>1</p> <p>What countries surround Lithuania?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Russia, Belarus, Poland, Latvia</p>	<p>2</p> <p>Central America – Name the two countries that lay south of the Mexican border?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Belize, Guatemala</p>	<p>3</p> <p>Pearl Harbour is situated in which ocean?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Pacific</p>
<p>4</p> <p>Africa - What is the capital of Kenya?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Nairobi</p>	<p>5</p> <p>Name the US state capital of Utah?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Salt Lake City</p>	<p>6</p> <p>Which is the largest island in the world?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Greenland</p>

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Level: Intermediate / Upper intermediate

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Round 3 – The World Today

1	2	3
Which North African country has recently ousted its former leader?	Name the former IMF boss whose rape case was dismissed	The EU has imposed sanctions on which Middle Eastern country?
Answer Libya	Answer Dominique Strauss-Kahn (DSK)	Answer Syria
4	5	6
Which Middle Eastern country recently connected its nuclear power station to the national grid?	Which former French president is too unwell to attend his own corruption trial in France?	Which organisation posted US diplomatic cable leaks?
Answer Iran	Answer Jacques Chirac	Answer WikiLeaks

Round 4 – Sport

1	2	3
Football – Which English football team plays at Stamford Bridge?	Darts – What is the number between 7 and 8 on a standardised board?	Cycling – What does BMX mean?
Answer Chelsea	Answer 16	Answer Bicycles Motor Cross – extreme racing on bicycles
4	5	6
In which sport can you get 'a hole in one', 'a Birdie' or 'a Bogey'?	Football – Who hosted the 2002 World Cup?	Motor racing – F1 Silverstone is in which country?
Answer Golf	Answer Japan / South Korea	Answer Britain / England/ UK

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Round 5 – World history		
1 World War II – When was D Day? Answer 6 th June 1944	2 Who was the first man to reach the South Pole in 1912? Answer Roald Amundsen	3 In which city did the Russian revolution start? Answer St Petersburg
4 What year did World War I start? Answer 1914	5 Which British explorer, who was also racing to the South Pole in 1912, died tragically en route? Answer Robert Falcon Scott	6 Who was the first president of the USA? Answer George Washington
Round 6 – Canada		
1 Which Canadian province is Vancouver in? Answer British Columbia	2 What is the currency in Canada? Answer Canadian dollar	3 Who is the Canadian Prime Minister? Answer Stephen Harper
4 Edmonton is the state capital of which province? Answer Alberta	5 Name the French speaking province Answer Quebec	6 Name the famous 'Bay' in the far north east of Canada Answer Hudson Bay



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Round 7 – Famous People

<p>1</p> <p>Which famous U.S. president once said 'Ich bin ein Berliner?'</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>President John F. Kennedy</p>	<p>2</p> <p>Which scientist was born in Germany in 1879, became a Swiss citizen in 1901, and later became a US citizen in 1940?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Albert Einstein</p>	<p>3</p> <p>Who said 'Float like a butterfly, sting like a bee?'</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Muhammed Ali/Cassius Clay</p>
<p>4</p> <p>Who was the first man to walk on the moon?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Neil Armstrong</p>	<p>5</p> <p>Diana Ross, Florence Ballard and Mary Wilson formed what?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>The Supremes</p>	<p>6</p> <p>I became leader of the Soviet Union in 1985 and introduced perestroika and glasnost. Who am I?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Mikhail Gorbachev</p>

Round 8 – Pot luck

(This round to be read out by the quizmaster!)

<p>1</p> <p>What 'animal' do you use on your computer to help you navigate and click on the screen?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>A mouse</p>	<p>2</p> <p>Who is Mickey Mouse?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>A cartoon mouse</p>	<p>3</p> <p>Maths – What is Pi to two decimal places?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>3.14</p>
<p>4</p> <p>Spell Hippopotamus</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Hippopotamus</p>	<p>5</p> <p>Maths – There were 30 questions on the maths test. Dave got 80% of them correct. How many questions did he answer correctly?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>24</p>	<p>6</p> <p>What was the name of the captain on the spaceship that went where 'no man has gone before'?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>James T Kirk</p>

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Round 9 – UK

<p>1</p> <p>Where will you find the Loch Ness monster?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>In Loch Ness!</p>	<p>2</p> <p>What are the two furthest places you can travel between in Britain?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>John O’Groats in North East Scotland to Land’s End in South West England</p>	<p>3</p> <p>In which part of the UK is the Lake District?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>North West England</p>
<p>4</p> <p>What is the capital of Scotland?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Edinburgh</p>	<p>5</p> <p>Oxford Circus, Bank and Piccadilly Circus are what?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Underground stations in London</p>	<p>6</p> <p>What is the highest mountain in Britain?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Ben Nevis in Scotland</p>

Round 10 – Geography landmarks

<p>1</p> <p>Where will you find ‘The Royal Albert Hall’?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>London</p>	<p>2</p> <p>Where will you find the Taj Mahal?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Agra, India</p>	<p>3</p> <p>Where will you find the landmark ‘El Alamo’?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>San Antonio, Texas, USA</p>
<p>4</p> <p>Where will you find the San Andreas fault?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>California, USA</p>	<p>5</p> <p>Where will you find the Statue of Christ the Redeemer?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Rio de Janeiro, Brazil</p>	<p>6</p> <p>Where will you find the original Disneyland?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Orlando, Florida, USA</p>

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Round 11 – Authors / books / plays		
1 Who wrote 'The Hitchhikers Guide to the Galaxy'? Answer Douglas Adams	2 Who wrote the play 'Romeo and Juliet'? Answer William Shakespeare	3 James Bond was created by whom? Answer Ian Fleming
4 Who wrote 'Chitty Chitty Bang Bang'? Answer Ian Fleming	5 Who wrote the play 'The Importance of Being Ernest'? Answer Oscar Wilde	6 Who wrote 'Robinson Crusoe'? Answer Daniel Defoe
Round 12 - Film		
1 The scarecrow, the tin man and the cowardly lion were in which classic film? Answer 'The Wizard of Oz'	2 What was the name of the first Bond movie? Answer 'Dr No'	3 Name the movie about a ship that sank in 1912? Answer 'Titanic'
4 What is Shrek? Answer He is a green Ogre	5 What Marvel Comics Superhero is 'The First Avenger' who fights the world against evil? Answer Captain America	6 Name the actor who played Austin Powers? Answer Mike Myers





NFE GENERAL KNOWLEDGE QUIZ ANSWER SHEET PART 1

Score 10 points for every correct answer – Score 5 points if half right! Play a JOKER in one round and get DOUBLE points in that round. Show it before you start the round. There are 12 rounds with 6 questions in each round. There are 72 questions. You can score a maximum total of 780 points!

Team name _____

Round 1	Score	Round 4	Score
1)		1)	
2)		2)	
3)		3)	
4)		4)	
5)		5)	
6)		6)	
Total		Total	

Round 2	Score	Round 5	Score
1)		1)	
2)		2)	
3)		3)	
4)		4)	
5)		5)	
6)		6)	
Total		Total	

Round 3	Score	Round 6	Score
1)		1)	
2)		2)	
3)		3)	
4)		4)	
5)		5)	
6)		6)	
Total		Total	



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NFE GENERAL KNOWLEDGE QUIZ ANSWER SHEET PART 2

Round 7	Score	Round 10	Score
1)		1)	
2)		2)	
3)		3)	
4)		4)	
5)		5)	
6)		6)	
Total		Total	

Round 8	Score	Round 11	Score
1)		1)	
2)		2)	
3)		3)	
4)		4)	
5)		5)	
6)		6)	
Total		Total	

Round 9	Score	Round 12	Score
1)		1)	
2)		2)	
3)		3)	
4)		4)	
5)		5)	
6)		6)	
Total		Total	

Quiz round scores	Total	Quiz round scores	Total
Round 1		Round 7	
Round 2		Round 8	
Round 3		Round 9	
Round 4		Round 10	
Round 5		Round 11	
Round 6		Round 12	
Halfway Total - Rounds 1-6		Total - Rounds 7-12	
Halfway score			
Second half score			
Final score			

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