

QUIZ ANSWERS - 8th OCTOBER 2021

- 1. What P is a famous if flawed Italian tower the Leaning Tower of what? Pisa
- 2. What A is a storage room at the top of a house? Attic
- 3. The "Zante" variety of what C is a dried grape often used in cake baking? Currant
- 4. What T is the Lone Ranger's sidekick? Tonto
- 5. What O is a fruit, famously difficult to find a rhyme for? Orange
- 6. What E is a continent? Europa
- 7. What E is also known as the Orient? East
- 8. What T is a refreshing beverage, often drunk with milk and sugar? Tea
- 9. What A is a season, known in the United States as Fall? Autumn
- 10. Which N is a loch in Scotland said to be home to a famous monster? Ness

- 11. What C is a fortified house or fortress, usually the medieval residences of European kings or nobles? Castle
- 12. What H are the entitlements that an individual may arguably possess by virtue of being human and in accordance with what is natural? Human Rights
- 13. What L is a Baltic republic in North East Europe, with Vilnius as its capital? Lithuania
- 14. What O is the principal God in Norse mythology? Odin
- 15. What P, in mathematics, is a solid geometrical figure whose ends are congruent, most commonly triangles, and perpendicular to the length, with the other faces rectangles? Prism
- 16. What S is a geological fault line extending more than 600 miles through California? San Andreas Fault
- 17. What T is any of numerous species of tail-less amphibians that move with a crawling or hopping gait? Toad
- 18. What M is an element that is a good conductor of heat and electricity, and whose atoms are bonded together within crystals in a unique way? Metal
- 19. What H is the British theoretical physicist who wrote 'A Brief History of Time'? Hawking

- 20. What D is the spreading of a wave, such as a light beam, on passing through a narrow opening or hitting the edge of an obstacle? Diffraction.
- 21. What D is an independent island nation in the Caribbean Sea, whose capital and chief port is Roseau? Dominica
- 22. What D is a river in Spain and Portugal, that empties into the Atlantic Ocean at Oporto? Douro (Rising in north-central Spain, the Douro flows west to form part of the Spanish Portuguese border. Along its banks are grown the grapes that make port wine.)
- 23. What L is a representative assembly whose primary function is the enactment of laws? Legislature
- 24. What L is a feature of organisms that sets them apart from inorganic matter? Life
- 25. What A is the study of the influence supposedly exerted by stars and planets on the natures and lives of human beings?

 Astrology
- 26. What A was the last Inca ruler of Peru? Atahualpa
- 27. What P is the head of a family or tribe, invested in certain circumstances with the status or authority of a religious leader? Patriarch
- 28. What S is a mostly terrestrial gastropod Mollusk, identified by the lack of shell and uncoiled viscera? Slug

- 29. What L is the distance North or South of the Equator? Latitude
- 30. What E is the largest living Antelope? Elba