

# 2024-25 Junior Late Fall Tournament (T1) – Pack 3

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#### 5-Part Blitz

1. How many boroughs comprise New York City?

A: <u>5</u>

- 2. Nate Ruess ["rooss"] was the lead singer of what band, whose hits included "Carry On", "Some Nights", and "We Are Young"?
  - A: fun.
- 3. What is 11 cubed?
  - A: <u>1331</u>
- 4. What was the former name of Tokyo before the Meiji Restoration?
  - A: **<u>Edo</u>**
- 5. What father of Jormungandr ["YOOR-mun-GAND-r"], Fenrir, and Hel was the trickster god of Norse myth?
  - A: Loki

## **Double Jump**

- 6. What element, the first p-block element, has an atomic number of 5?
  - A: **boron** (accept: **B**)
- 7. What is the five-letter common name for the hydrated sodium borate with chemical formula Na<sub>2</sub> H<sub>20</sub> B<sub>4</sub> O<sub>17</sub>?
  - A: borax

## **Double Jump**

- 8. The Koechel catalogue is used to catalogue whose works, such as the "Little" and "Great" G minor symphonies, as well as operas such as *Don Giovanni* and *The Magic Flute*?
  - A: Wolfgang Amadeus **Mozart**
- 9. The Deutsch catalogue is used to catalogue whose works, such as the "Little" and "Great" C major symphonies?
  - A: Franz **Schubert**

## Set of 4: Red

- 10. An overnight flight is colloquially known as what?
  - A: **red-eye** flight
- 11. What mammal of the genus *Ailurus* is more closely related to raccoons and skunks than to its "giant" counterpart?
  - A: <u>red panda</u>
- 12. The closest star to the Sun, Proxima Centauri, is classified as what kind of star?
  - A: <u>red dwarf</u>
- 13. Before 1965, what was the common name of the Canadian flag?
  - A: Canadian Red Ensign

## Jackpot

- 14. Part 1: As it runs northeast, what river loses two-thirds of its water when it splits into an inland delta known as the Massina?
- 15. Part 2: The vast delta at which this river meets the sea has been polluted by large-scale oil production. This river starts by running northeast away from the ocean, before curving southeast in a huge crescent and reaching the ocean thousands of kilometres away.
- 16. Part 3: The cities of Djenné, Timbuktu, and Bamako lie on this river.
- 17. Part 4: This river empties into the Atlantic in Lagos after passing through two countries named for it in West Africa.
  - A: Niger River

## Set of 3: Time in Literature

- 18. Sometimes known as *Remembrance of Things Past*, what seven-volume novel is the best-known work of Marcel Proust?
  - A: **In Search of Lost Time** (accept: À la recherche du temps perdu)
- 19. In what novel are all the clocks in a house stopped at twenty to nine, to remind Miss Havisham of when she was left at the altar?
  - A: **Great Expectations**
- 20. What author wrote a series of young adult novels called the *Time Quintet*, which begins with *A Wrinkle in Time*?
  - A: Madeleine **L'Engle**

#### 5-Part Blitz

- 21. According to American World War II propaganda posters, what might sink ships?
  - A: <u>loose lips</u> (reject singular form)
- 22. What small, often crocheted ball filled with small pellets is kicked into the air with one's feet?
  - A: <u>hacky sack</u> (accept: <u>footbag</u>)
- 23. Represented by the last letter of the Greek alphabet, what is the SI unit for electrical resistance?
  - A: ohm
- 24. What airline was the subject of a trio of songs by Dave Carroll after they broke his guitar?
  - A: United Airlines
- 25. The Canary Islands are named for what kind of animal?
  - A: **dog**s

## **END OF FIRST QUARTER**

## **SECOND QUARTER**

## Splits: The Romantic Movement & Lesser-Known Wars

## **The Romantic Movement**

- 26. Who was depicted "in His Study at the Tuileries" ["TWEE-luh-ree"] and "Crossing the Alps" in two paintings by Jacques-Louis David ["dah-VEED"]?
  - A: Napoleon I (accept: Napoleon Bonaparte)
- 27. What composer of the Hungarian Rhapsodies inspired a wave of popular adoration for him and his music, dubbed his namesake "mania"?
  - A: Franz **Liszt**

- 28. What Romantic poet wrote *Don Juan* and *Childe Harold's Pilgrimage*, and died during the Greek War of Independence?
  - A: Lord **Byron** (accept: George Gordon **Byron**)
- 29. What date titles a Francisco Goya painting depicting the execution of rebels in Madrid during the Napoleonic Wars?
  - A: Third of May, 1808 (accept clear equivalents) (prompt on: Third of May, clear equivalents)

#### Lesser-Known Wars

- 30. In what modern-day country did France lose the eighteenth-century Carnatic Wars, cementing British control that would last for the next two centuries?
  - A: India
- 31. The Cisplatine War resulted in the 1828 independence of what country from Brazil?
  - A: <u>Uruguay</u>
- 32. What country fought for its independence in the Eighty Years' War under the leadership of William of Orange?
  - A: Spanish **Netherlands** (accept: **Dutch Republic**, **Holland**)
- 33. What smaller country did England attack in the Rough Wooing in order to break that country's "Auld Alliance" with France?
  - A: Scotland

## **Double Jump**

- 34. What film opens with a dance sequence that culminates in a fight between rival gangs in the titular Manhattan neighbourhood?
  - A: West Side Story
- 35. What non-Puerto Rican actress played Maria in the original film adaptation of West Side Story?
  - A: Natalie **Wood** (accept: Natalie **Zacharenko**)

## **Double Jump**

- 36. The market-clearing price is reached when what two quantities are equal, in the most fundamental model in economics?
  - A: **supply** AND **demand**
- 37. What name is given to the point where the supply and demand lines meet on a graph?
  - A: **equilibrium** point

## **Set of 4: Spelling Canadian Geography**

- 38. A suburb of Vancouver containing Lake Lafarge and Mount Burke, spell Coquitlam. ["coe-KWIT-lum"]
  - A: <u>C-O-Q-U-I-T-L-A-M</u>
- 39. A river that flows into the Red River in downtown Winnipeg, spell Assiniboine ["uh-SIN-ib-oyn"].
  - A: **A-S-S-I-N-I-B-O-I-N-E**
- 40. The westernmost of the municipalities that were amalgamated to form Toronto, spell Etobicoke. ["it-OH-bik-oh"]
  - A: **E-T-O-B-I-C-O-K-E**
- 41. The name of a reservoir formed by a Triassic period meteor impact in northern Quebec, spell Manicouagan. ["MAN-ih-KWA-gun"]
  - A: M-A-N-I-C-O-U-A-G-A-N

#### Set of 4: The Boss

- 42. A Google search for the phrase "world's best boss" asks "Did you mean" what character, the regional manager of the Scranton branch of the Dunder-Mifflin paper company?
  - A: <u>Michael Scott</u> (accept either bolded part)
- 43. "Glory Days" and "Thunder Road" were hits for what singer, known as the Boss?
  - A: Bruce **Springsteen**
- 44. Making uniforms for the Nazi Party was an early source of revenue for what fashion company?
  - A: **Hugo Boss** AG
- 45. "Back in Business" and "Back in the Crib" are Netflix shows based on what 2017 movie, whose title infant is voiced by Alec Baldwin?
  - A: The **Boss Baby**

#### 5-Part Blitz

- 46. Who composed Incantation and Dance and Variations on a Korean Folk Song?
  - A: John Barnes **Chance**
- 47. What is the capital and largest city of Algeria?
  - A: **Algiers**
- 48. Freed slave soldiers known as Mamluks ruled what African country in the late Middle Ages?
  - A: <u>Egypt</u>
- 49. The Huygens ["HOY-genz"] spacecraft visited what moon, the only one with a dense atmosphere and the largest orbiting Saturn?
  - A: <u>Titan</u>
- 50. What European city is the birthplace of grime music?
  - A: **London**

## **END OF FIRST HALF**

## THIRD QUARTER

## **Splits: TV Detectives & the Digestive System**

#### **TV Detectives**

- 51. What teenager moonlights as a private eye in a 2000s CW show starring Kristen Bell?
  - A: **Veronica Mars** (accept either bolded part)
- 52. What detective with seven brothers gets promoted to sergeant and has a son named Mac with another detective, Jake?
  - A: **Amy Santiago** (accept either bolded part)
- 53. Cheap cigars, a trench coat, and the phrase "Just one more thing" are trademarks of what Peter Falk-played sleuth?
  - A: Lieutenant **Frank Columbo** (accept either bolded part)
- 54. Three true crime aficionados, played by Steve Martin, Martin Short, and Selena Gomez, begin investigating real-life killings on what show?
  - A: Only Murders in the Building

## The Digestive System

- 55. What organ of the digestive system is divided into the ileum, jejunum, and duodenum?
  - A: **small intestine** (reject plural form)

- 56. What is the primary acid that the stomach produces to break down food?
  - A: aqueous **hydrochloric** acid (accept: **HCI**) (prompt on: gastric acid)
- 57. What part of the throat closes during swallowing to prevent food from entering the trachea?
  - A: epiglottis
- 58. An accumulation of bilirubin in the blood can cause what condition that is usually seen in newborn infants?
  - A: **jaundice** (accept: **icterus**)

## **Set of 3: Retired Numbers**

Given a list of all of the jersey numbers retired by a Big Four sports team, name the team. Note: numbers retired leaguewide are not included.

- 59. 32.
- A: Toronto Blue **Jays** (prompt on: <u>Toronto</u>)
- 60. 21, 66, and 68.
  - A: Pittsburgh **Penguins** (accept: **Pens**) (prompt on: <u>Pittsburgh</u>)
- 61. 1 through 10, 15, 16, 21, 23, 32, 37, 42, 44, 46, 49, and 51.
  - A: New York **Yankees** (prompt on: New York)

## **Jailbreak**

- 62. 10 metres per second is equal to how many kilometres per hour?
  - A: <u>36</u> kilometres per hour
- 63. Whose 1836 essay "Nature" is one of the founding texts of the Transcendentalist movement?
  - A: Ralph Waldo **Emerson**
- 64. What author told the tragic story of Esmeralda and Quasimodo in *The Hunchback of Notre-Dame?* 
  - A: Victor **Hugo**
- 65. The most-reprinted English-language newspaper column ever is a response to an 8-year-old girl named Virginia that declares "Yes, Virginia, there is a" what?
  - A: Santa Claus
- 66. Although they are all on islands, Indonesia shares land borders with how many countries?
  - A: 3
- 67. You will have 5 seconds. Find any anagram of the word "retails".
  - A: <u>realist</u> OR <u>saltier</u>
- 68. A facemask with a respirator that meets the NIOSH's standard for filtering at least 95% of airborne particles is given what alphanumeric designation?
  - A: **N95** facemask/mask
- 69. On which day of the week is American Thanksgiving celebrated?
  - A: **Thursday**
- 70. Who was the lead artist alongside Shakira on the song "Punteria", and earlier collaborated with Megan Thee Stallion on the song "WAP"?
  - A: <u>Cardi B</u> (accept: Belcalis <u>Almanzar-Cephus</u> (either bolded part))
- 71. Legendarily built for Queen Amytis by Nebuchadnezzar II, which wonder of the world was located in Babylon?
  - A: **Hanging Gardens** of Babylon
- 72. What word was coined to describe small movie theatres in the early 20th century because of their entry fee of 5 cents?
  - A: **nickelodeon**s
- 73. Which American state contains the Northwest Angle, which juts into Lake of the Woods?
  - A: <u>Minnesota</u>

- 74. What novel features characters such as Justine Moritz, Elizabeth Lavenza, and the title mad scientist?
  - A: **Frankenstein**
- 75. What surname is shared by married couple Bella and Mortimer, along with their children Cassandra and Alexander, in the *Sims* franchise?
  - A: Goth

### **END OF THIRD QUARTER**

## **FOURTH QUARTER**

## **Jackpot**

- 76. Part 1: Parts of the Moon's surface that are permanently shadowed are theorized to contain enough of what element to be economically viable to collect?
- 77. Part 2: The most important industrial use of this element is to cool MRI machines. Superfluidity was first discovered in this element, which has the lowest boiling point of any element.
- 78. Part 3: This element's most common isotope has a nucleus that is equivalent to an alpha particle.
- 79. Part 4: This lightest noble gas has an atomic number of 2.
  - A: **helium** (accept: **He**)

## **4-Part Mystery Link**

- 80. What company's iconic product is a rectangular metal lighter with a hinged lid?
  - A: **Zippo**
- 81. Jewish communities in New York and Montreal developed different distinctive versions of what bread product?
  - A: **bagel**s
- 82. What power forward joined Miami in 2023 after spending nine seasons with the Cleveland Cavaliers?
  - A: Kevin **Love**
- 83. During World War II, what model of fighter aircraft was heavily used by the Japanese Air Force?
  - A: Mitsubishi A6M **Zero**

## **Set of 5: Bridges**

- 84. What city name partially titles the foundational problem of graph theory, where the goal is to find a path that crosses each of the city's seven bridges exactly once?
  - A: Koenigsberg
- 85. What man's armies built the first recorded bridges to cross the river Rhine?
  - A: Julius <u>Caesar</u>
- 86. An "incident" at what bridge marked the beginning of the Second Sino-Japanese War?
  - A: Marco Polo Bridge
- 87. Following the collapse of the Francis Scott Key Bridge in 2024, what major American city had its port blocked for 11 weeks?
  - A: **Baltimore**
- 88. What river is spanned by the Peace Bridge, the Rainbow Bridge, and the Lewiston-Queenston Bridge?
  - A: Niagara River

## 12-Part Blitz

- 89. What Czech author wrote about Gregor Samsa's transformation into a bug in *The Metamorphosis*?
  - A: Franz **Kafka**
- 90. Internet Money, Gunna, Nav, and Don Toliver collaborated on what 2020 song, whose chorus notes "my neck was drippin"?
  - A: "Lemonade"
- 91. The cities of Graz ["gratz"], Linz, and Salzburg are all found in what country?
  - A: Austria
- 92. What activity would a cruciverbalist engage in?
  - A: solving **crossword** puzzles (accept clear equivalents)
- 93. Featuring in films such as *28 Days Later* and *Dunkirk*, who won an Academy Award for Best Actor for his portrayal of the titular physicist in *Oppenheimer*?
  - A: Cillian Murphy
- 94. What botanically-named method of representing data shows the leading digits in the left column and the trailing digits in the right column?
  - A: **stem-and-leaf** plot/display/diagram/chart
- 95. John Locke belonged to what philosophical school, who believed that sense experience was the ultimate source of all knowledge?
  - A: **empiricism** (accept: **empiricist**s)
- 96. What politician, who served as general secretary of the Bharatiya Janata Party from 1998 to 2001, is the current prime minister of India?
  - A: Narendra **Modi**
- 97. What portmanteau names an annual charity event in which men grow facial hair to raise awareness and money for men's health issues, such as prostate cancer?
  - A: Movember
- 98. In late 2021, NASA launched what successor to the Hubble Space Telescope?
  - A: James <u>Webb</u> Space Telescope
- 99. Crossing the US border at the Thousand Islands crossing gets you on what interstate?
  - A: Interstate **81** (accept: **I-81**)
- 100. What part of a quill or fountain pen distributes ink onto the writing surface?
  - A: nib

**END OF GAME**