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| **ORGANISATIONS AND INSTITUTIONS** |
| **Questions** | **Answers** |
| 1. | "My word is my Bond" is the motto of which organisation? | The London Stock Exchange |
| 2. | What does the MI stand for in MI5 and MI6 | Military Intelligence |
| 3. | The mafia come from Sicily; Triads from China; which organised criminal gangs come from Jamaica ? | Yardies |
| 4. | Members of ‘Clowns International register the copyright of their unique make-up designs by painting them on what? | Eggs |
| 5. | What name is given to the Helicopter assigned to transport the President of the U.S.A.? | Marine One |
| 6. | What is the highest rank in the British Army? | Field Marshall |
| 7. | Which company pledged to convert its fleet of 155 lorries to run on biodiesel? | McDonald’s |
| 8. | What is the name of the national railway organisation of America? | Amtrak |
| 9. | Which crossed emblems, as depicted on the Vatican flag, are the symbols of Saint Peter? | Keys |
| 10. | Which worldwide magazine has its own TV channel? | National Geographic |
| 11. | Which is Britain's oldest Sunday newspaper? | The Observer |
| 12. | Which iconic store now offers flat-pack houses for sale in the U.K.? | Ikea |
| 13. | Which 'Special Forces' organisation has the motto "Not by strength, by guile"? | Special Boat Service |
| 14. | What ‘M’ is the dominant female in an elephant herd? | Matriarch |
| 15. | Which weekly magazine features a column by Gnome? | Private Eye |
| 16. | By what title were Japanese Emperors know until 1867 | Mikado |
| 17. | In 1997, the British Institution, Jeremy Paxman famously asked the then Home Secretary Michael Howard, the same question How many times on Newsnight? | Twelve (12) |
| 18. | ‘The ultimate driving machine’ is the slogan for which motor manufacturer? | B.M.W. |
| 19. | A Jehovah's witness may knock on your door trying to sell a copy of which magazine? | Watchtower |
| 20. | Now outlawed – what is, or was, the Quorn? | The Fox Hunt |

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| **VOCABULARY** |
| **Questions** | **Answers** |
| 1. | A homburg is a type of what? | Hat |
| 2. | What is the curved line between two points on the circumference of a circle called? | Arc |
| 3. | What does a fletcher make? | Arrows |
| 4. | What does a mendicant do? | Beg, or ask for alms |
| 5. | Which modern day word translates as "star sailor" in Greek? | Astronaut |
| 6. | You would find a ‘sally’ on the end of what? | Bell rope |
| 7. | What would a cockney mean if said "Goose's Neck"? | Cheque |
| 8. | Snow and Charlie are slang terms for what? | Cocaine |
| 9. | We say woman, the French say Femme, what do the Italians say? | Donna |
| 10. | In law what word means ’failing to do some act that a prudent and reasonable person would do’? | Negligence |
| 11. | What is the foreign phrase 'Au fait', when used in the English language, taken to mean? | Familiar with |
| 12. | What nickname is given to the autopilot in an aircraft? | George |
| 13. | What word connects an alcoholic drink and a machine for separating cotton from its seeds? | Gin |
| 14. | Grapholoy is the study of what? | Handwriting |
| 15. | In slang language, what is a Hackette? | Female journalist/reporter |

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| **FAMOUS PEOPLE** |
| **Questions** | **Answers** |
| 1. | Alfred Gilbert was the sculptor of which famous, diminutive London statue? | Eros |
| 2. | Which close-fitting garment is named after a French trapeze artist? | Leotard |
| 3. | What colour was the dress that Monica Lewinsky says President Clinton spilt something on? | Blue |
| 4. | Who, supposedly, killed Sandra Rivett? | Lord Lucan |
| 5. | Mr. Royce was called Henry, what was Mr. Rolls christian name? | Charles |
| 6. | Who shot Billy the Kid? | Sherrif Pat Garrett |
| 7. | Edward is an Earl - what title is held by Sophie? | Countess |
| 8. | If you were a fan of Clarice Cliff, what would you be collecting? | Pottery |
| 9. | Who was rewarded with a Palace after commanding the British forces at the Battle of Blenheim? | Duke of Marlborough |
| 10. | Who was the last member of the royal family to serve in a war zone? | Prince Andrew |
| 11. | According to Lyndon B Johnson, which 1970's president was so dumb that he couldn't f@rt and chew gum at the same time? | Gerald Ford |
| 12. | Which brothers were the main rivals of the Kray twins during the 1960s? | The Richardsons |
| 13. | Who caused the 2003 murder rate statistics for the UK to exceed 1000 for the first time ever? | Dr. Harold Shipman |
| 14. | What is the first name of Mr Morse, who created the code? | Samuel |
| 15. | At which prison did Ian Huntley attempt suicide? | Woodhill, Milton Keynes |