

# General knowledge quiz

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**Which is the most  
populous continent?**

*The answer*



# Asia



What is the capital  
of New Zealand?

*The answer*



# Wellington



Which ocean is to the north  
of the Russian Federation?

*The answer*



# the Arctic Ocean





What do we call a mountain  
which could erupt?

*The answer*



volcano





**In which country  
is Mount Everest?**

*The answer*



# Nepal



**What sport is  
played  
at Wimbledon?**

*The answer*



tennis

How many rings  
are there in the  
Olympic Games symbol?

*The answer*





**What is the longest  
running race  
in the Olympic Games?**

*The answer*



marathon

In boxing,  
what do the letters K.O.  
stand for?

*The answer*



knock out

Name at least four sports  
that originated in Britain.

*The answer*

**cricket**  
**football**  
**golf**  
**rugby**  
**races**  
**boxing**



What was Christopher Wren  
by profession?

*The answer*



architect



Who invented  
the telephone?

*The answer*



# Alexandre Bell

What medicine  
was invented  
by Alexandre Fleming?

*The answer*

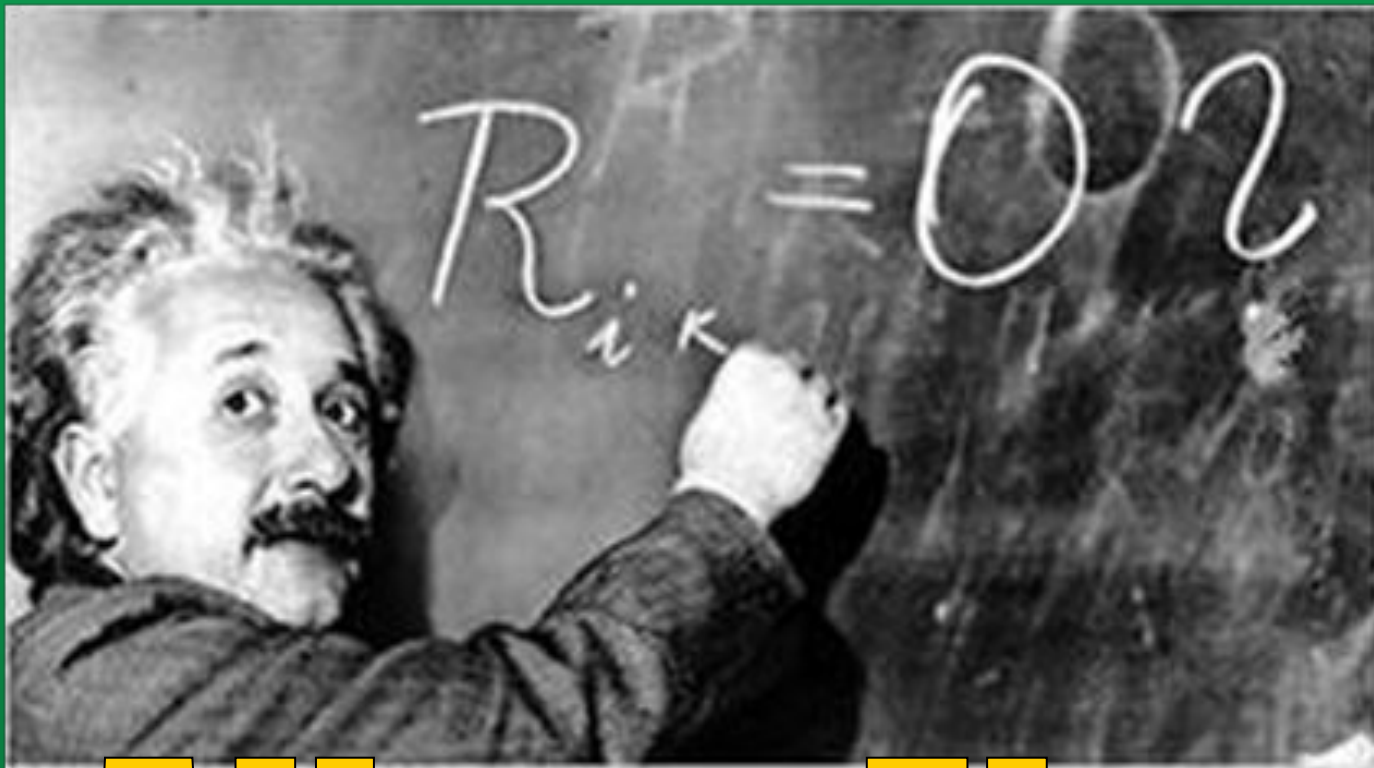


penicillin



Who developed  
the theory of relativity?

*The answer*



# Albert Einstein

Which classical composer  
became deaf at  
an advanced age?

*The answer*



# Beethoven



Who wrote the books  
about Harry Potter?

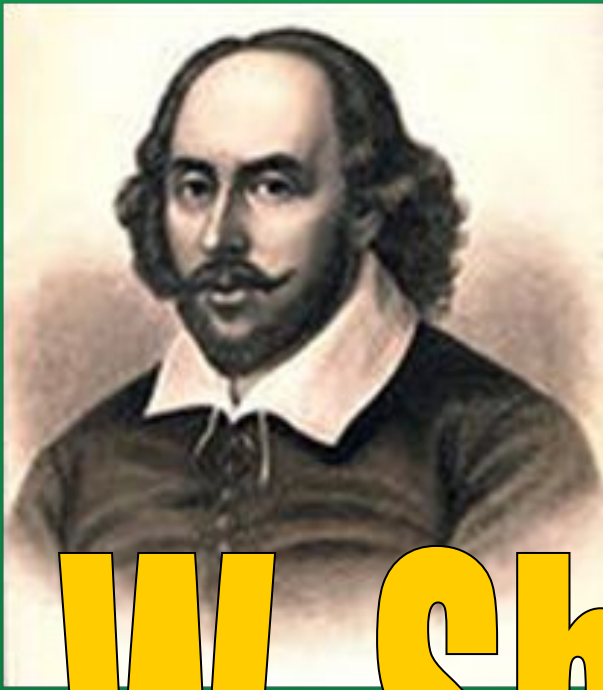
*The answer*



# Joanne Rowling

Why do we remember  
23 April 1564?

*The answer*



W. Shakespeare

was born



**What is the traditional  
musical instrument  
of Scotland?**

*The answer*



bagpipes



Who was  
the Sheriff of Nottingham's  
deadliest enemy?

*The answer*



# Robin Hood





**According to R.Kinling,  
everybody has six  
honest servants.  
Name them.**

*The answer*

I keep six honest serving-men.

They taught me all I knew.

Their names are

**WHAT** and **WHY** and **WHEN**

And **HOW** and **WHERE**

and **WHO.**



**His favourite  
drink is blood.**

*The answer*



vampire



**An ugly woman  
practising magic.**

*The answer*



witch

**Who presided over  
the Knights' Round Table?**

*The answer*



# King Arthur





**What do we call  
the study of birds?**

*The answer*



# ornithology



What natural phenomena  
are measured by  
the "Richter scale"?

*The answer*



earthquakes



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