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## Day 22 – Iconic UK places



1 The Forth Bridge



2 The London Eye



3 York Minster



4 Angel of the North (Newcastle)



5 Highclere Castle (Downton Abbey!)



6 Windsor Castle



7 Blenheim Palace



8 The O2 Arena

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9 Hadrian's Wall



10 Stonehenge



11 Oxford (Radcliffe Camera)



12 Cambridge



13 Clifton Suspension Bridge (Bristol)



14 Leeds Castle



15 Hampton Court



16 Edinburgh Castle

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17 Blackpool Tower



18 The Kelpies (Falkirk)



19 Eden Project (Cornwall)



20 Royal Pavilion, Brighton

## Day 23 - Find the link

1. a) In A A Milne's poem Alexander was one of these. **Beetle**  
 b) It's a mint with a hole. **Polo**  
 c) A game where you might use a driver and a chipper to head for the green. **Golf**  
**They are all models of Volkswagen**
2. a) The first name of the Olympic Gold medallist in track and field who then led the successful bid for London to host the 2012 summer Olympics. **Sebastian**  
 b) Bigger than a violin, smaller than a cello. **Viola**  
 c) First name of the British actress who won an Oscar in 2019 for 'The Favourite'. **Olivia**  
**All characters in Twelfth Night**
3. a) Precious stone which is a variety of the mineral beryl. **Emerald**  
 b) Herb used traditionally with onion in stuffing. **Sage**  
 c) Popeye's girlfriend. **Olive**  
**All shades of green**
4. a) 'A Catcher in the –' novel by J D Salinger . **Rye**  
 b) A fruit rich in potassium which grows in bunches and is associated with monkeys. **Banana**  
 c) Franca Manca make all their pizza bases from this. **Sourdough**  
**All types of bread**
5. a) 'The – Witch Project' American horror film made in 1999. **Blair**  
 b) Where you would find five of your toes. **Foot**

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- c) What colour is Paddington? **Brown**  
**All leaders of the Labour Party**
6. a) Best place to make a sandcastle. **Beach**  
b) Eye colour which is not quite brown and not quite green. **Hazel**  
c) Comic American duo ' - and Hardy'. **Laurel**  
**All types of trees**
7. a) Female prison reformer in the early 1800. **Elizabeth Fry**  
a) Author of Great Expectations. **Charles Dickens**  
b) He said 'We will fight them on the beaches...' **Winston Churchill**  
c) The Lady of the Lamp. **Florence Nightingale**  
**They all appear on UK banknotes**
8. a) In golf this is when you strike the ball with the heel of the club. **Shank**  
b) Part of the body where you would find the tibia and femur. **Leg**  
c) Garment famously worn by Ghandi, a '-cloth'. **Loin**  
d) what you do to vegetables before you put them into a stew. **Chop**  
**They are all cuts of lamb**
9. a) City hosting the official seats of the European Commission. **Brussels**  
b) Middle Eastern city considered holy to Christianity, Judaism and Islam. **Jerusalem**  
c) Famous five star hotel on The Strand. **Savoy**  
**They all relate to vegetables (named after places)**
10. a) A program which is broadcast as it is made, not as a recording. **Live**  
b) A country which refuses to engage in war. **Neutral**  
c) The planet we inhabit. **Earth**  
**The three wires in a common household plug**
11. a) 'The Strange Case of Dr Jekyll and Mr - ' novel by Robert Louis Stevenson. **Hyde**  
b) One of the apostles who is the patron saint of Spain. **St James**  
c) What George IV was known as when his father was still alive, but mad. **Regent**  
**They are all London parks**
12. a) Where did Lady Thatcher's funeral take place? **St Paul's**  
b) Who defeated Napoleon? **Wellington**  
c) The pudding made from strawberries, cream and meringue all broken up is - mess? **Eton**  
**All the names of British public schools**
13. a) Deceased. **Dead**  
b) 2010 American movie starring Morgan Freeman, Bruce Willis and Helen Mirren. **Red**  
c) The Prince in the second (to be published) of CS Lewis' Narnia novels. **Caspian**  
**All the names of Seas**
14. a) Complete the classic advertising slogan 'For -, get smash' **Mash**  
b) Complete the title of Toby Young's book 'How to Lose - and Alienate People'. **Friends**  
c) Complete the phrase 'Three -, hip hip hooray' **Cheers**  
**All the names of US sitcoms**
15. a) London, Tower, Forth are all types of what? **Bridge**  
b) The capacity to accept delay, suffering or problems without becoming annoyed. **Patience**  
c) The Spanish for one. **Uno**  
**All types of card game**
16. a) In the Warner Brothers' cartoons, what type of creature was Woody? **Woodpecker**  
b) The profession of those roofers who use straw or rushes. **Thatchers**  
c) Sloes grow on which small spikey tree beginning with a B? **Blackthorn**

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## All brands of cider

17. a) A window which projects outwards from the wall of a building, often allowing for a window seat. **Bay**
- b) 'Fifty Shades of –' Novel by E L James. **Grey**
- c) Type of nut traditionally cooked with Brussel sprouts at Christmas. **Chestnut**

## All colours of horses

18. a) Dickens' novel 'Hard – '. **Times**
- b) Recent Netflix series about technology 'Black – ' **Mirror**
- c) Superhero film based on Marvel comics '--s of the Galaxy'. **Guardian**

## All Newspapers

19. a) Like a rat, but smaller. **Mouse**
- b) Like a shower, but you sit in the water. **Bath**
- c) Bikram, Vinyasa, Hatha and Ashtanga are all types of this. **Yoga**

## They all have mats associated with them

20. a) kind of blower are you if you reveal secret damaging information about a government or company? **Whistle**
- b) The group of mythological women who lured sailors to their deaths by singing. **Sirens**
- c) What is the last name of the English actor starred in the film, Billy Elliot? **(Jamie) Bell**

## They all make warning noises

## Day 24 - Literature

1. In Harry Potter, what are the deathly hallows? **The Resurrection Stone, the Elder Wand, the cloak of invisibility.**
2. Name any of the three musketeers? **Athos, Porthos, Aramis**
3. In the Oxford Reading Tree (Biff and Chip) books was Biff a girl or a boy? **Girl**
4. Which Dickens novel has Ebenezer Scrooge as the main character? **A Christmas Carol**
5. In the Iliad who did Paris take which sparked the Trojan war? **Helen**
6. Who wrote the Bond books? **Ian Fleming**
7. In Charlotte's Web what kind of creature was Charlotte? **Spider**
8. Which famous American woman brought out her biography in 2018, entitled 'Becoming'? **Michelle Obama**
9. Who wrote 'A Brief History of Time'? **Stephen Hawking**
10. In 'The Lord of the Rings' by what name is Smeagol more commonly known? **Gollum**
11. What is the name of the village where Agatha Christie's Miss Marple lives? **St Mary Mead**
12. In 'Alice in Wonderland' who keeps muttering 'Oh dear! I shall be late' and looking at his pocket watch? **The white rabbit**
13. In which allegorical novella does it say 'all animals are equal, but some animals are more equal than others'? **Animal Farm**
14. Harper Lee wrote a novel containing the character Atticus Finch. What was it called? **To Kill a Mocking Bird**
15. About whom was Hilary Mantel's Wolf Hall and Bring Up the Bodies? **Thomas Cromwell**
16. Where do Winnie-the-Pooh and friends live? **The hundred acre wood**
17. In Oscar Wilde's novel, of whom is the picture which grows old while the subject remains forever beautiful and youthful? **Dorian Gray**
18. In Bill Bryson's book 'Notes from a Lost Continent', which continent does he refer to? **North America**

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19. In which play might you meet Oberon, Titania and Puck? **A Midsummer Night's Dream**
20. Mary Ann Evans wrote 'Silas Marner' and 'Middlemarch', but under a male pen name. What was her pen name? **George Eliot**
21. In Roald Dahl's 'Fantastic Mr Fox' name the three farmers? **Boggis, Bunce and Bean**

## Day 25 - Food and drink in films and TV

1. In 'Dirty Dancing' what did Baby carry? **A watermelon**
2. In the Harry Potter films, what is the beverage that Harry and his friends like to drink at The Three Broomsticks? **Butterbeer**
3. What kind of cheese does Wallace (in 'Wallace and Gromit') like? **Wensleydale**
4. What is the final thing that Mr Creosote eats before he explodes in 'Monty Python's the Meaning of Life'? **A wafer-thin mint**
5. Name one of the three main characters who work at the fast food restaurant 'the Krusty Krab'? **SpongeBob SquarePants, Squidward and Mr Krabs**
6. In 'Pretty Woman', what are 'slippery little suckers'? **Snails**
7. Who were the two judges on the original 'Great British Bake Off'? **Paul Hollywood and Mary Berry**
8. In 'Paddington', what snack does Paddington always keep under his hat? **A marmalade sandwich**
9. In 'Friends', who makes the turkey sandwich with the 'moistmaker'? **Monica**
10. In the 'Fast and Furious' series what beer does Dominic Toretto (Vin Diesel) always drink? **Corona**
11. How does Bond like his vodka martinis? **Shaken not stirred**
12. In 'The Matrix' Neo is offered something to swallow by Morpheus. What is it? **A red pill (to show him the truth) or a blue pill (to return him to his former life)**
13. In 'Game of Thrones' what does Daenerys Targaryen have to eat at her wedding to Khal Drogo? **A horse's heart**
14. In 'Fawlty Towers', what does Basil serve to the health inspector in a tin of biscuits? **A live rat**
15. At the end of 'The Silence of the Lambs' Lecter hangs up the telephone to Starling, what does he say he is going to have for dinner? **An old friend**
16. In 'The Lady and the Tramp' what do Lady and Tramp eat during their romantic dinner at Tony's? **Spaghetti with meatballs**
17. Which chef is the star of 'Hell's Kitchen'? **Gordon Ramsay**
18. In 'Chitty Chitty Bang Bang' Caractacus Potts invents a sweet you can play like a flute which he attempts to sell to Lord Scrumptious. What is the name of the sweet? **Toot Sweet**
19. In 'A Fish Called Wanda' Otto (Kevin Kline) tortures Ken (Michael Palin) by eating Ken's pets. What are they? **Fish**
20. In which TV show might you find the contestants eating grubs in 'Bushtucker trials'? **I'm a Celebrity Get Me Out of Here!**

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## Day 26 – Myths and legends

1. Who was the Roman messenger of the Gods who has lent his name to one of the planets in the solar system? **Mercury**
2. What was the name of King Arthur's sword? **Excalibur**
3. What star sign are you if you are born in between 20 January and 18 February? **Aquarius**
4. Who slew the Minotaur? **Theseus**
5. What 17<sup>th</sup> century ghost ship is said to haunt the high seas (and appeared in Disney's Pirates of the Caribbean franchise)? **The Flying Dutchman**
6. Who descended into hell to try to bring back his beloved Euridice, who had died after being bitten by a snake? **Orpheus**
7. Jason sailed to the mythical land of Colchis in search of the Golden Fleece. What was the name of his ship? **Argo**
8. In Egyptian mythology, who was God of the sun? **Ra**
9. Which mythical white stallion with wings was born from the blood of the Gorgon Medusa? **Pegasus**
10. Who uttered "Open Sesame" to gain access to a cave of stolen treasure? **Ali Baba**
11. In the Trojan war, who was killed by Paris when shot by an arrow into his heel? **Achilles**
12. How many Labours of Heracles were there? **12**
13. Which Norse God had a hammer called Mjolnir? **Thor**
14. Dionysus (Greek) or Bacchus (Roman) was the ancient God of what? **Wine**
15. In Welsh legend, Vortigern's castle Dinas Emrys could only be built after two sleeping dragons under the mountain had battled it out. What were the colours of the 2 dragons? **Red and white**
16. Who encountered the land of the Lotus Eaters, the cyclops Polyphemos and the sorceress Circe on his way back home from the Trojan War? **Odysseus**
17. Who tragically fell to his death by flying too close to the sun? **Icarus**
18. In American Indian folklore, who was Hiawatha's wife? **Minnehaha**
19. What legendary island situated beyond the Pillars of Hercules was beset by earthquakes and tidal waves and sank beneath the sea? **Atlantis**
20. Which twins were suckled by a she-wolf and were said to have founded Rome? **Romulus and Remus**