

Quiz sheet 2023

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Answer: Lark

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Answer: b. Ivy

3. Name the novel, written by Benjamin Zephaniah, which tells the story of Leonard, who travelled with his mother from Jamaica as a child to join his father and make a new life in Manchester.

Answer: Windrush Child

4. True or False? M. G. Leonard's hero Twitch, in the book by the same name, is an entomologist.

Answer: False

5. In *When the Sky Falls* by Phil Earle, what kind of animal is Adonis?

Answer: Gorilla

6. Complete the book title: *The Girl Who Became a **** by Joseph Coelho

Answer: Tree

7. What is the novel written by Katya Balen, named after the main character, who has been raised happily in the forest by her dad? Clue: Her name is the month of the year in which she was born.

Answer: October, October

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Bradley Chalker, the main character in *There's a Boy in the Girls' Bathroom* by Louis Sachar secretly collects and treasures coins.

Answer: False

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- a. Jane
- b. Mary
- c. Ella

Answer: c. Ella

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Answer: Caramel wafers

11. Which author wrote *The Great Food Bank Heist* to raise awareness of food poverty. She is a human rights campaigner and she also wrote the award winning *The Boy at the Back of the Class*.

Answer: Onjali Q Rauf

12. In this wartime book about evacuees, *The Valley of Lost Secrets*, Ronnie and Jim move from London to a small village in which country?

Answer: Wales

13. Which one of these is NOT a Midnight Guardian?

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- b. A fox in a waistcoat
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Answer: b. A fox in a waistcoat (should be a badger)



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Answer: b. 1850s

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Answer: Ithaca

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Answer: David Almond

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Answer: Bronze Age

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Answer: California

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Answer: Street Child

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Answer: b. Check Mates

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Answer: *This Is Not My Hat*

23. Name the poet who celebrated *Four O'clock Friday* with a poem of the same name.

Answer: John Foster

24. Name the novel, written by Kelly Yang which is based on her own childhood experiences and tells the story of Mia, who lives with her parents in a motel and one day dreams of being a writer.

Answer: *Front Desk*

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Answer: Haddock



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Answer: *The Shark Caller*

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Answer: *True*

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- a. Munich
- b. Berlin
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Answer: *b. Berlin*

Copyright knowledge

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- b. The Weird Sisters
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Answer: *b. The Weird Sisters*

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- a. 2033
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Answer: *No, copyright applies to any literary, dramatic, design, musical or artistic work*

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Answer: *Yes*



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