

Welcome to our fifth 'DBF at home' Festival Quiz!

The Festival Book Quiz has become an established and hard fought contest each year! So as not to disappoint our supporters, our Festival team have been busy devising another 'DBF at home' Festival Quiz.

We've put together 10 rounds of quiz questions with 10 questions per round, plus a bonus question/tie-breaker for those close-run contests. Just print off and get started in the comfort of your own home. How you do it is up to you:

- Individual - test yourself against yourself or other individuals
- Household - individuals or teams in a single household
- Teams - teams from a number of different households

Set up your 'online' quiz with friends and family using platforms such as Zoom, Teams, Whereby, Skype or WhatsApp video, over the phone or with members of your household. For teams, ask each team to read out a round of questions or set yourselves a timer to complete each round. If you're feeling teccy, turn the Questions into a PowerPoint presentation to share on-screen. Make sure you've got the snacks and drinks in!

Once you've completed the Quiz, download the Answers sheet and mark your scores - you can mark them yourselves (no cheating) or scan/photograph them and send them to someone else to mark - and how about organising a prize for the winner of your contest?

Let's get social: share your quiz experiences with Derby Book Festival at Facebook /DerbyBookFestival and on Twitter @DerbyBookFest

Good luck!

From the 'DBF at home' team

Team/Name: _____

Round One: General One

	Question	Answer	Pts
1.	Name the titles in the Stieg Larsson trilogy featuring the character Lisbeth Salander.	The Girl with the Dragon Tattoo The Girl Who Played with Fire The Girl who Kicked the Hornet's Nest	3
2.	Who played George Smiley in the 2011 film adaptation of Tinker, Taylor, Soldier, Spy based on the book AND who was the author of the book?	Gary Oldman John Le Carre	2
3.	What were the names of the two sisters in Ian McEwan's Atonement?	Cecelia Tallis Briony Tallis	2
4.	In which part of London are Zadie Smith's White Teeth and NW set?	Willesden	1
5.	In the Hunger Games, what are the names of the two young men in Katniss Everdene's life?	Peter Mellark Gale Hawthorne	2
6.	What are the fictional names of the 3 states in George Orwell's 1984?	Oceania, Eurasia and Eastasia	3
7.	Which of these is NOT an Agatha Christie detective? a. Harley Quinn b. Tuppence Beresford c. Roger Ackroyd d. Parker Pyne	Roger Ackroyd (he was a murder victim not a detective)	1
8.	What type of bird is the title of Donna Tartt's 2013 novel, featuring a character named Theo Decker?	The Goldfinch	1
9.	Who wrote the Kite Runner?	Khaled Hosseini	1
10.	In which Polish city was the 'chip shop' in Ben Aitken's 2019 book set?	Poznan	1
TOTAL			17

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Round Two: Initials - name the author from their initials

	Question	Answer	Pts
1.	Shuggie Bain (DS)	Douglas Stuart	1
2.	The Testaments (MA)	Margaret Atwood	1
3.	Educated (TW)	Tara Westover	1
4.	Normal People (SR)	Sally Rooney	1
5.	Everything I Never Told You (CN)	Celeste Ng	1
6.	The Remains of The Day (KI)	Kazuo Ishiguro	1
7.	Girl, Woman, Other (EB)	Bernardine Evaristo	1
8.	Barnaby Rudge (CD)	Charles Dickens	1
9.	A Sense of an Ending (JB)	Julian Barnes	1
10.	On the Road (JK)	Jack Kerouac	1
		TOTAL	10

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Round Three: Animals - each of the animals below features in a well-known book. Can you name the book and the author?

	Question	Answer	Pts
1.	An unlikely animal hero outwits three mean farmers, Boggis, Bunce and Bean in this children's favourite.	Fantastic Mr Fox, Roald Dahl	2
2.	This allegorical novel features the pigs Napoleon and Snowball who stage a revolution and rule over the other animals.	Animal Farm, George Orwell	2
3.	A cat who was rescued by a drug addict, later helping his new owner to a better life, and becoming famous himself, with a film of the book made in 2016.	A Street Cat Named Bob, James Bowen	2
4.	A group of rabbits escape the destruction of their warren and seek a new home.	Watership Down, Richard Adams	2
5.	A real life story of how the relationship between the author and a young hawk helped them grieve after the death of a parent.	H is for Hawk, Helen Macdonald	2
6.	A faithful bull-terrier called Bull's-eye, whose master is a thief and murderer.	Oliver Twist, Charles Dickens	2
7.	Roger the dog and Quasimodo the pigeon, among much other wildlife, feature in this idyllic and funny portrayal of an English family living on a Greek island.	My Family and Other Animals, Gerald Durrell	2
8.	A panther and bear help this young boy find his way to civilisation.	The Jungle Book, Rudyard Kipling	2
9.	A masterpiece of Japanese magical realism, the cats in this book are in danger from a character named after a famous brand of Scotch Whisky.	Kafka on the Shore, Haruki Murakami	2
10.	A real life account of living on a remote Scottish Island where the otters, Mijbal and Edal, become the author's much-loved companions.	Ring of Bright Water, Gavin Maxwell	2
TOTAL			20

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Round Four: Months - The following books, poems and plays have a month in the title. Fill the blanks with the correct month.

	Question	Answer	Pts	
1.	The Darling Buds of _____ by HE Bates	May	1	
2.	Henry and _____ by Anaïs Nin	June	1	
3.	_____ Rise by Laurie Lee	April	1	
4.	Born on the Fourth of _____ by Ron Kovic	July	1	
5.	_____ by Rosamunde Pilcher	September	1	
6.	The Hunt for Red _____ by Tom Clancy	October	1	
7.	Poppies in _____ OR Poppies in _____ (she wrote both poems) by Sylvia Plath	July OR October	1	
8.	Answer _____ by Emily Dickinson	July	1	
9.	Poem in _____ by Dylan Thomas	October	1	
10.	Middle _____ by George Eliot	March	1	
			TOTAL	10

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Round Five: Classic Children's books - the books below are all well known and classic children's literature. Can you name the book and the author?

	Question	Answer	Pts
1.	A young boy finds himself unexpectedly in the Land of Wisdom and sets out to rescue the local princesses, Rhyme and Reason, from the Castle in the Air. During his adventures he learns many valuable things, including a love of learning.	The Phantom Tollbooth Norman Juster	2
2.	Four siblings set out to camp on an island in the Lake District and meet up with two local sisters. Together they storm the houseboat of 'Captain Flint', the sisters' piratical uncle.	Swallows and Amazons Arthur Ransome	2
3.	A young boy finds a strange, emaciated creature in the garage, who may or may not be an angel. He looks after the creature who eventually helps to save his very ill baby sister.	Skellig David Almond	2
4.	A book about the adventures and misadventures of a young boy growing up in St Petersburg, Missouri. He and a friend accidentally see a murder, find out about a robbery and are pursued by the villain responsible for both.	Tom Sawyer Mark Twain	2
5.	A young girl is sent home from India to live on the Yorkshire moors with her reclusive uncle. She starts finding health and happiness working outside and is eventually able to help her invalid cousin overcome his problems.	The Secret Garden Frances Hodgson Burnett	2
6.	A book about the friendship between a pig and a spider. When the farmer wants to send the pig to slaughter, the spider comes up with a plan to save him.	Charlotte's Web E B White	2
7.	Three adopted sisters need to help support their impoverished family. One learns to act, one to dance, and the third only does both things because she has to for the income, and secretly yearns to fly.	Ballet Shoes Noel Streatfield	2
8.	A bored young boy staying with his grandparents meets a caveman in the chalk downs of Southern England. Together they collect firewood, go hunting - and stop a burglary.	Stig of the Dump Clive King	2
9.	A nine year old girl with red hair and freckles who leads an independent life with her monkey and horse. She befriends her next-door neighbours, Tommy and Annika and has many adventures.	Pippi Longstocking Atstrid Lindgren	2
10.	Four children discover a secret world held in thrall by a wicked witch, who ensures that it is always winter. Helped by a number of speaking magical creatures, the children battle the witch and free the land from her spell.	The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe CS Lewis	2
TOTAL			20

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Round Six: General Two

	Question	Answer	Pts
1.	At night I would lie in bed and watch the show, how bees squeezed through the cracks of my bedroom wall and flew circles around the room, making that propeller sound, a high-pitched zzzzz that hummed along my skin. Name the book and the author of these opening lines.	The Secret Life of Bees Sue Monk Kidd	2
2.	Name the author of the following books: Love in the Time of Cholera, Of Love and Other Demons, One Hundred Years of Solitude.	Gabriel Garcia Marquez	1
3.	Which classic Roald Dahl book features the characters Mr and Mrs Wormwood?	Matilda	1
4.	Which Agatha Christie detective had a personal assistant called Miss Felicity Lemon?	Hercule Poirot	1
5.	In which novel and by which author do we find the character Catherine Morland?	Northanger Abbey Jane Austen	2
6.	Who wrote the following books: Captain Corelli's Mandolin, Birds Without Wings?	Louis de Bernieres	1
7.	Name the fictional island setting of Jonathan Swift's Gulliver's Travels.	Lilliput	1
8.	Who wrote the 2019 novel, Queenie?	Candice Carty-Williams	1
9.	By what other name does J K Rowling write as?	Robert Galbraith	1
10.	Name the poet who wrote The Tyger.	William Blake	1
		TOTAL	12

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Round Seven: Poetry - name the missing colour in the title of each poem

	Question	Answer	Pts
1.	_____ Roses (Rudyard Kipling)	Blue	1
2.	The _____ Wheelbarrow (Williams Carlos Williams)	Red	1
3.	Nothing _____ Can Stay (Robert Frost)	Gold	1
4.	The _____ Bowl (Amy Lowell)	Green	1
5.	_____ Evening (Rupert Brooke)	Blue	1
6.	Nature Rarely Uses _____ (Emily Dickinson)	Yellow	1
7.	Child in _____ (Rainer Maria Rilke)	Red	1
8.	In Time of _____ Rain (Langston Hughes)	Silver	1
9.	_____ Comedy (Benjamin Zephaniah)	White	1
10.	The _____ (Wendy Cope)	Orange	1
TOTAL			10

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Round Eight: Opening Lines - Name the book and the author

	Question	Answer	Pts
1.	It was 7 minutes after midnight. The dog was lying on the grass in the middle of the lawn in front of Mrs Shears' house. Its eyes were closed.	The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night Time Mark Haddon	2
2.	When he was nearly thirteen my brother Jem got his arm badly broken at the elbow.	To Kill a Mockingbird Harper Lee	2
3.	That Sam-I-am! That Sam-I-am! I do not like that Sam-I-am!	Green Eggs and Ham Dr Seuss	2
4.	If you are interested in stories with happy endings, you would be better off reading some other book. In this book, not only is there no happy ending, there is no happy beginning and few happy things in the middle.	A Series of Unfortunate Events Lemony Snicket	2
5.	Hale knew, before he had been in Brighton three hours, that they meant to murder him	Brighton Rock Graham Greene	2
6.	Life changes fast. Life changes in the instant. You sit down to dinner and life as you know it ends. The question of self-pity.	The Year Of Magical Thinking Joan Didion	2
7.	I write this sitting in the kitchen sink.	I Capture The Castle Dodie Smith	2
8.	Like most people I lived for a long time with my mother and father. My father liked to watch the wrestling, my mother liked to wrestle: it didn't matter what. She was in the white corner and that was that.	Oranges Are Not the Only Fruit Jeanette Winterson	2
9.	It was the best of times, it was the worst of times, it was the age of wisdom, it was the age of foolishness, it was the epoch of belief, it was the epoch of incredulity, it was the season of Light, it was the season of Darkness, it was the spring of hope, it was the winter of despair, we had everything before us, we had nothing before us, we were all going direct to Heaven, we were all going direct the other way.	A Tale of Two Cities Charles Dickens	2
10.	All happy families are alike; each unhappy family is unhappy in its own way.	Anna Karenina Leo Tolstoy	2
TOTAL			20

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Round Nine: Medical

	Question	Answer	Pts
1.	Set in a mental institution, who is the author of the 1962 novel, <i>One Flew over the Cuckoo's Nest</i> ?	Ken Kesey	1
2.	<i>Do No Harm</i> is the 2014 memoir of which neurosurgeon?	Henry Marsh	1
3.	Name A J Cronin's novel, regarded as one of the inspirations for the founding of the NHS.	The Citadel	1
4.	What is the title of Jennifer Worth's first book about her experiences in the East End in the 1950s, now immortalised as a TV series?	Call the Midwife	1
5.	What is the title of Adam Kay's best-selling book in 2017 about his time as a junior doctor?	This is Going to Hurt	1
6.	What is the title of Jean-Dominique Bauby's best-selling book, later made into a film, about his experience of locked-in syndrome.	The Diving Bell and the Butterfly	1
7.	Who wrote <i>The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-time</i> , whose protagonist had Asperger's Syndrome?	Mark Haddon	1
8.	<i>Still Alice</i> by Lisa Genova dealt with which condition?	Alzheimer's	1
9.	Christie Watson wrote <i>The Language of Kindness</i> about her former profession. What was it?	Nursing	1
10.	Name the author of the 2012 novel, <i>The Fault in our Stars</i> , which features two young characters with cancer.	John Green	1
TOTAL			10

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Round Ten: Numbers

	Question	Answer	Pts
1.	Slaughterhouse ____ by Kurt Vonnegut Jr	5	
2.	Catch ____ by Joseph Heller	22	1
3.	____ Leagues under The Sea by Jules Verne	20,000	1
4.	A ____ Splendid Suns by Khalid Hosseini	1000	1
5.	The ____th Tale by Diane Setterfield	13	1
6.	____ Years a Slave by Solomon Northup	12	1
7.	____ Charing Cross Road by Helen Hanff	84	1
8.	____ of a Yellow Sun by Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie	½	1
9.	____ Minutes by Jody Picoult	19	1
10.	The ____rd Man by Graham Greene	3	1
TOTAL			10

Bonus Question/Tie-Breaker

Just in case you are playing against other individuals, households or teams and it's a close run contest, here's a bonus question/tie-breaker to decide the outcome!

Question

Who wrote these opening lines and from which novel? "You will rejoice to hear that no disaster has accompanied the commencement of an enterprise which you have regarded with such evil forebodings."

Answer	
Mary Shelley Frankenstein	
TOTAL:	
BONUS POINTS	1

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Score Sheet

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TOTAL (139 maximum points)	
Bonus Points (1 maximum point)	
GRAND TOTAL (140 maximum points)	

Thank you for taking part in our Festival Quiz!