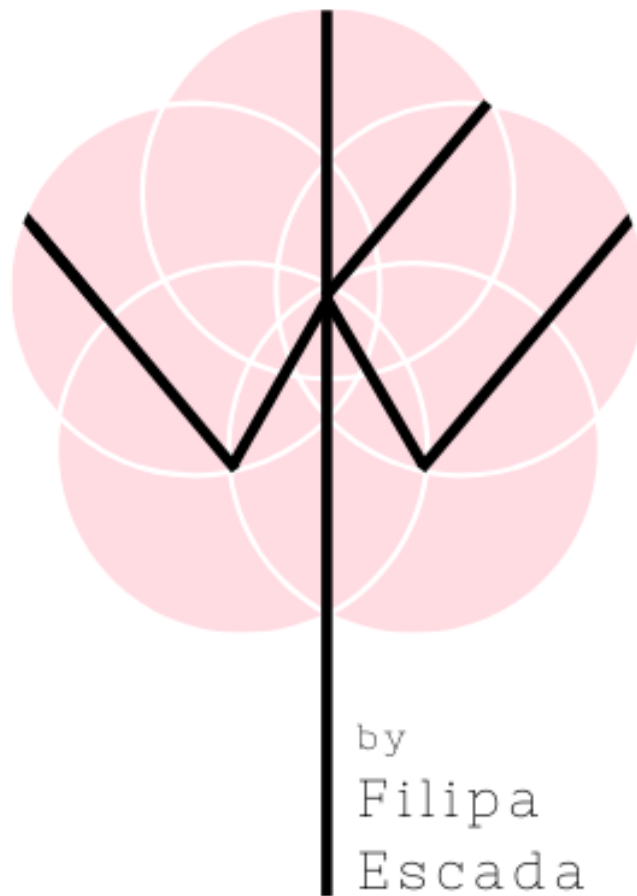


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WHO WANTS TO BE A MILLIONAIRE?

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Introduction

Welcome to the second season of "Who Wants to Be a Millionairee"!! [APPLAUSE]
Wow, I see you're all excited. I can't wait for this to start. But rules first. Here's how's it gonna be: there is one spokesperson who will tell us the final answer. Agreed with the rest of the group. Answer 15 multiple choice questions in a row correctly to win. You can use up to 3 lifelines to help you select an answer: Fifty Fifty, Ask the Audience and Phone a Friend. If you use *Fifty Fifty*, 2 wrong answers will be removed. If you use *Ask the Audience*, it will be shown a real time audience poll. And if you use *Phone a Friend*, you'll have the opportunity to call a friend for 30 seconds (and we are your friends as well, don't forget that). The final prize is the best it can be! 1 MILLION DOLLARSSS [APPLAUSE]. It's all for one and one for all. Either you all win, or you all loose...

Q1 - What holiday was celebrated just yesterday? (100)

A - International Worker's day

International worker's day, simply worker's day or labour day is an international holiday dedicated to workers that is celebrated annually on the first of May. This tribute goes back to the first of May 1886 when a strike began in Chicago with the goal of conquering better working conditions, especially the reduction of a working day's length from seventeen to eight hours.

It's true option D does exist, it happens on the 4th of January and it has the mission of removing the myths and misconceptions about hypnotism while promoting its truth and benefits to the people of the world.

Q2 - What's the five-letter word to describe the 2nd of May of 2019? (200)

D - Today

This question was what can be described as a brain teaser, which is a short kind of logical puzzle. To arrive at the correct answer, you must use lateral thinking skills, or, in other words, you must think outside the box. Lateral thinking is a form of problem-solving that utilizes a more creative, less direct approach to the problem. Analytical, logical problem-solving encourages vertical thinking, which is an approach we're often taught when dealing, for example with math equations. Lateral thinking is the indirect approach. It helps us view problems in an entirely new light. It helps us find unique, creative solutions we might never have before imagined.

Q3 - Which of these won song of the year 2018? (300)

D - Post Malone ft. 21 savage – Rockstar

For decades now, the term "rock star" has been used to characterize a certain type of celebrity behaviour, one where you can party with impunity and your excesses are not only celebrated but emulated across the world. It only makes sense, then, that a song called "Rockstar" by megastars Post Malone and 21 Savage would take one of the night's top honours at the 2018 MTV VMAs by winning Song of the Year. The ethereal "rockstar" dropped a little over a year, ultimately reaching No. 1 on the Billboard Hot 100 and remaining in the top spot for eight weeks — the longest run at No. 1 for any hip-hop song in 2017. In 2018, though, it presaged Post's *Beerbongs & Bentleys* album in April, which also hit No. 1.

Q4 – Heart attacks are more likely to happen on... (500)

A - Monday

According to researchers, an "outpouring" of stress hormones, such as cortisol and adrenaline, occurs within working people on Mondays, enhancing the risk of heart attacks. When the same study was conducted on people that didn't work, the results were the same. A possible explanation for this is that your body remembers and anticipates stressful events. So, even though the participants in the study were not working, the fact that their bodies anticipated going to work on Monday triggered the identical biochemical stress hormones, increasing the heart attack risk factors that led to potentially lethal ventricular arrhythmias.

Q5 – Which of these is one of the directors of the film "A star is born"? (1000)

C - Bradley Cooper

"A Star Is Born" received eight Oscar nominations, including best picture and best actor, actress and supporting actor for Cooper's Jackson Maine, Lady Gaga's breakout role as Ally and Sam Elliott as Jackson's brother, Bobby. Cooper gave himself four years to write and direct "A Star Is Born," explaining that things need time to take shape in his head. "It's also about risking putting yourself out there. It's quite different from being an actor. I was serving another story. It really was sharing with you the viewer another part of me. I waited until I was ready to take that leap." The next project, which he feels equally driven to make, will likely require four more years to burrow into and discover the details that make such movies as "A Star Is Born" so indelible.

Q6 - In what country is the thumbs-up gesture an insult? (2,000)

A - Iran

It is in fact in Iran, but also in many other countries in the middle east, it might seem like you're saying "good job!" or "well done mate" but in fact, and as aggressive as it may seem you are actually saying "I'm going to jam my thumb in your bottom"

The thumbs-up sign has been confusing people for thousands of years. Contrary to Hollywood legend, Roman gladiators were not spared by a thumbs-up, but by a hidden thumb, which explains why it isn't an accepted gesture worldwide.

Q7 - The average male gets bored of a shopping trip after how long? (4,000)

A - 26 minutes

Researchers found men are generally ready to head home within half an hour after following their other half round stores. And more than one in four men admitted to getting so fed up with the trip they have abandoned their partner and gone home alone.

The study also revealed that the average woman tires of shopping after around two hours – often because they haven't found anything they like or the item they set out to buy.

Q8- What percentage of the world population has green eyes? (8,000)

A - 2%

But for those of you who have green eyes don't feel special because this is still around 154 million people. Unlike brown or blue, green is actually not a pigmentation of the iris at all. Green eyes are a curious blend of light brown pigmentation, a yellowish lipochrome pigment, and a splash of Rayleigh scattering. In humans, the pigmentation of an iris ranges from very light amber yellow to a very dark brown, bordering on black. The darkness of the iris depends on its concentration of melanin.

Rayleigh Scattering is the dispersion of light as it bounces off of air molecules. This helps determine eye colour as different light waves are captured in your eye pigment. This same scattering of light occurs in the sky which makes it appear blue.

Q9- Which can't seat on the iron throne? (16,000)

B- Queen

Elizabeth

When Queen Elizabeth paid a royal visit to the set of Game of Thrones in Northern Ireland, she refused to sit on the Iron Throne for legal reasons. As David Benioff told Esquire, "Apparently the Queen of England is not allowed to sit on a foreign throne... This is an esoteric rule we didn't know about until that moment."

Q10- To encourage kids to eat healthier McDonald's once tried to sell ... flavoured broccoli. (25,000)

D - bubblegum

It failed, obviously. For the last decade, McDonald's has been incorporating healthier options into their menu. They now offer an entire array of salads and in 2011, they made it possible to swap fries for apples in Happy Meals. Before they decided on apples, though, the fast-food chain experimented with a

bunch of fruits and vegetables, notably, broccoli. But not just any broccoli. Aware that kids traditionally despise the waxy green veggie, they engineered it to taste like bubble-gum.

Q11- the average person walks the equivalent of x laps around the world in a lifetime. (50,000) **A - Five**

The average moderately active person takes around 7,500 step/day. If you maintain that daily average and live until 80 years of age, you'll have walked about 216,262,500 steps in your lifetime. Doing the math, the average person with the average stride living until 80 will walk a distance of around 180,000 km. Which is the equivalent of walking about 5 times around the Earth, right on the equator.

Q12- Which of these is a synonym for snow? (100,000)

A - Flindrinkin

Scotland has more than 400 words for "snow". Few people would call the Scottish poetic, but they sure are creative. When linguists from the University of Glasgow compiled the first Historical Glossary of Scots, one of Scotland's three official languages, they were blown away at the bountiful ways to express the concept of snow. Some of those words include "snaw" (snow), "seefle" (swirls of snow), and "flindrinkin" (a light snow shower). And that giant snowflake that fell in Montana—that would be called a "skelf."

Tabby – This word has many meanings, such as a fabric with a watered pattern, and a grey or brownish cat mottled or streaked with dark stripes.

Q13- When was the last time it snowed on the Sahara desert? (250,000)

B - 2018

Snow in the Sahara is unusual but not unheard of, this was the third time it snowed in 40 years. It's unusual because even though it can be cold at night, there's rarely enough water around for any kind of precipitation. However, the cold weather in Europe on the first weekend of the year, pushed cold moist air into the desert region, making it possible for the snow to form. And on the matter of snow, two-thirds of the world population have never seen snow.

Q14 – What is an irrational aversion to being happy called? (500,000)

C - Cherophobia

Happophobia doesn't exist

No, it's not the fear of Cher, as the name might lead you to believe. It comes from the Greek word "chero," which means "to rejoice." People who suffer from cherophobia are often afraid, cripplingly so, of doing anything that might lead to happiness. This includes doing fun activities and rejecting opportunities that may lead to positive outcomes. This form of anxiety disorder should be treated with medicine much stronger than laughter: love (and therapy).

Q15- what is the more wildly printed book in history? (1,000,000)

A - The Ikea Catalog

With more than 200 million copies in circulation every year, the IKEA catalog surpasses the Bible, the Quran, and the Harry Potter series to earn the title of the world's most printed book. The annual catalogs are usually around 350 pages and vary in each of the 72 regions in which it's distributed. For example, catalogs in Saudi Arabia only feature men in their photos.

Conclusion

You all won 1 MILLION DOLLARSS! Congratulations! You are all winners!!