

Bee Round 5

Regulation Questions

(1) The Kuttabul was accidentally torpedoed instead of the USS *Chicago* during a submarine attack on this city's harbor. The Cadigal were native to this city, though they were mostly wiped out by smallpox. This city was named for Thomas Townshend by the explorer Arthur Phillip, who established a colony here after his "First Fleet" landed at Botany Bay. The governor William Bligh was deposed by the Rum Rebellion that occurred in, for the point, what most populous city of Australia and site of a famous opera house?

ANSWER: Sydney

(2) An archaeological site in this country includes the intricately carved stone Lanzón Stela built by the Chavin people. Tokapu tunics with geometric designs were worn by officials of another culture to live in this country; that culture used the ashlar masonry technique to create buildings like the qorikancha, or "Golden House." Large designs of hummingbirds, orcas, and monkeys were carved into rock by the Nazca people of this country. Hiram Bingham explored the "lost city" of Machu Picchu in, for the point, what South American country that is home to numerous Incan ruins?

ANSWER: Peru

(3) The ancient Greeks used a scytale for this practice, while another form of it is misattributed to Vigenère. Implementation of Shor's algorithm on a quantum computer could ruin the use of the RSA algorithm in this discipline. Examples used to teach in this field often refer to Alice and Bob passing public keys to each other. An ancient example of this practice is done by shifting letters by three and is called a Caesar cipher. For the point, name this practice of sending secret messages in encoded form.

ANSWER: cryptography (accept word forms, like encryption or decryption)

(4) This author noted it would be much easier to identify a fascist if someone on the world scene said, "I want to reopen Auschwitz, I want the Black Shirts to parade again in the Italian squares" in his essay "Ur-Fascism". The title character of one of this author's novels saves Niketas Choniates in Constantinople while searching for the legendary kingdom of Prester John and is adopted by Frederick Barbarossa. In another work by this author, a text outlying how the Knights Templar will end the world using the Holy Grail and the computer Abulafia are used in "The Plan". In another novel by this author, William of Baskerville investigates a murder at a monastery. For the point, name this author who passed away in February 2016 and wrote *Baudolino*, *Foucault's Pendulum* and *The Name of the Rose*

ANSWER: Umberto Eco

(5) This event is commemorated by an annual marathon at White Sands Missile Range. Masaharu Homma claimed that he was not aware of this event, which took place on the roads of San Fernando in Pampanga. It began with a massacre at the Pantingan River, and many participants in this event died before they could reach Camp O'Donnell. 60,000 soldiers were forcibly transferred from Mariveles to various islands in this event, which began after the fall of Luzon. For the point, name this World War II-era march in which numerous Philippine and American soldiers died under Japanese captivity.

ANSWER: Bataan Death March

(6) At this location, the Kouretes clashed their spears to drown out the sound of an infant god's screams. Amalthea nursed that god in the Psychro cave in this location's Dikte Mountains. The Horns of Consecration is a religious relic found at this location, where ritual bull leaping was practiced. A mythological offspring of Pasiphae was slain here with the help of a sword and a ball of string provided by Ariadne. For the point, name this island where Theseus killed the Minotaur in the Labyrinth.

ANSWER: Crete

(7) This leader created the *alimenta* welfare system. This leader captured the city of Ctesiphon during a dispute over the Armenian succession with Parthia. This man fought with King Decebalus for control of one region, and had Apollodorus of Damascus build an enormous bridge near the Iron Gates of the Danube. Pliny the Younger, as governor of Bithynia, reported to this man. After conquering Dacia and Mesopotamia, Rome reached its territorial peak under this ruler. For the point, name this Roman Emperor, succeeded by Hadrian, who constructed a namesake column.

ANSWER: Trajan (or Marcus Ulpius Traianus)

(8) The steamer *Sian* was seized in this city. One fort in this city is located on Mount Hill and it overlooks the Ruins of St. Paul's. That Fortaleza do Monte helped defend this city from the Dutch. This city was founded by Jorge Álvares, who had set sail from Malacca. This city declined after the passage of Sakoku law in Japan, as its owners could no longer trade there. This Special Administrative Region derives much of its income from gambling. For the point, name this former Portuguese colony on the Pearl River Delta across from Hong Kong.

ANSWER: Macau

(9) After several monks were beaten in this city, it was bombed in what Barbara Tuchman called "the first terror bombing in history," the 128 Incident. The Green Gang was a major criminal organization in this city, where communists were violently purged in the April 12 Incident. A photograph of this city's bombed-out South Railroad Station is known as "Bloody Saturday." During a battle for this city, Xie Jinyuan led the "Eight Hundred Heroes" in an extended defense of the Sihang Warehouse against Japanese forces. A bomb accidentally dropped by a Chinese bomber killed hundreds on this city's Nanjing Road. For the point, name this major port city at the mouth of the Chang Jiang, the most populous in China.

ANSWER: Shanghai

(10) A composer from this country wrote the *St. Luke's Passion* and a piece for fifty-two strings originally entitled *8'37"*. Another work from this country features texts taken from a prayer written on a Gestapo jail cell and a folk song from the Silesian uprising. *Threnody to the Victims of Hiroshima* and *Symphony of Sorrowful Songs* were written in this country, and another of its natives composed the *Fantaisie-Improvisation* for solo piano. For the point, name this nation whose composers include Krzysztof Penderecki [kris-toff pen-der-etz-kee], Henryk Gorecki [gor-etz-kee], and Frederic Chopin [show-pan].

ANSWER: Poland

(11) One action supporting this policy was ended by Henry Graham after a failed attempt by Nicholas Katzenbach. One case questioning this policy was brought to the Supreme Court by the Committee of Citizens. William Rehnquist wrote a “Random Thought” supporting this policy, which George Wallace promised would continue “today, tomorrow, and forever.” In 1954, the Supreme Court ruled that one form of this policy should be ended with “all deliberate speed.” For the point, name this ideology upheld in *Plessy v. Ferguson* but ended by *Brown v. Board*, the practice of separating races in America.

ANSWER: racial **segregation** (accept descriptions; accept **separate but equal**; accept elaborations, like **segregating** public schools)

(12) The minor provisions of the Treaty of Saint-Clair-sur-Epte mandated that Rollo marry Gisela and also perform this action. Under the Secret Treaty of Dover, Charles II pledged to perform this action in return for 2 million crowns. Muslims and Jews who performed this action were called *moriscos* and *marranos*. The author of “Dream of Gerontius,” John Henry Newman, performed this action and eventually became a cardinal. For the point, name this action that involves affirming belief in the Seven Sacraments and accepting the Pope as the ultimate papal authority.

ANSWER: **converting** to Roman **Catholicism** (prompt on partial answers; prompt on converting to Christianity)

(13) This author co-wrote a pamphlet with Gene Weltfish explaining the scientific basis against racism. This writer examined the value of self-gratification in “The Circle of Feelings” and discussed why certain prisoners of war did not want to try to contact their families in another work. This author of “The Races Of Mankind” was encouraged by the U.S. Office of War Information to conduct research on the differences between Western “guilt culture” and Eastern “shame culture,” which she did by examining wartime Japan from internment camps in America. For the point, name this American anthropologist, the author of *The Chrysanthemum and the Sword*.

ANSWER: Ruth Fulton **Benedict**

(14) Midfielder Zvonimir Boban was said to have started one conflict in this country by karate kicking a security guard. A war in this country began following a battle at the Maksimir Stadium that was instigated by chants of “We’ll kill Tudjman” from rival supporters of Red Star Belgrade. The “Bad Blue Boys” ultra group fought for independence of this country. The bombing of Zadar in this country nearly killed national team star Luka Modric. For the point, name this country that commemorated the Siege of Vukovar with a memorial outside the stadium of football club Dinamo Zagreb.

ANSWER: **Croatia**

(15) The Bauchi prison break was orchestrated by this group. A governmental task force charged with fighting this organization in Borno state, Operation Flush, was found to have carried out mass executions in Maiduguri themselves. This group was founded by Mohammed Yusuf, then was taken over by Abubakar Shekau. Goodluck Jonathan failed to control this group as President, having failed to “bring back our girls” after an abduction in Chibok. For the point, name this terror group based in Nigeria.

ANSWER: **Boko Haram** (or **Jama’at Ahl as-Sunnah lid-Da’wah wa’l-Jihad** or **Wilayat Gharb Ifriqiyyah**)

(16) Early works by this thinker include a search for the eel's reproductive organs and "On Coca" on the medicinal properties of cocaine. This man sought the aid of Princess Marie Bonaparte in order to escape the Anschluss. He argued that Moses was actually a relative of Akhenaten in *Moses and Monotheism* and about the motivation of the "death drive" in another work. For the point, name this author of *Beyond the Pleasure Principle* and developer of the concepts of id, ego, and superego, an Austrian psychoanalyst who wrote *The Interpretation of Dreams*.

ANSWER: Sigmund **Freud** (or Sigismund Schlomo **Freud**)

(17) Description acceptable. One target of this initiative claimed he was too frugal to buy a house and was accused of violating the Eight-Point Regulation. Another target of this initiative died of bladder cancer; that man was a former member of the Central Military Commission and became the highest-ranking officer ever convicted in his country. Xu Caihou [shoo tsai-ho] and Zhou Yongkang were two of the "tigers and flies" targeted by the CCDI in this campaign. For the point, name this initiative begun in 2012 by Xi Jinping to improve government accountability and decrease graft.

ANSWER: **Chinese anti-corruption** campaign (or **Xi Jinping's anti-corruption** campaign or other descriptions)

(18) In this work, Agathon claims that the central concept is the youngest of the gods and an enemy of old age. Eryximachus distinguishes between heavenly and vulgar types of the central concept of this work. At its end, Socrates claims playwrights should be equally adept in comedy and tragedy. In this work, Aristophanes claims that people once had four legs, but they were cut in half by Zeus, and thus we all spend our lives searching for our other half. For the point, name this Platonic dialogue set during a drinking party in which Socrates and others discuss the nature of love.

ANSWER: **Symposium**

(19) The servant who cut off this man's hand was flayed alive by the latter's vengeful mother. This man's killer made the mistake of boasting of his feat to Parysatis and ended up being horrifically killed himself by scaphism; that is, this man's killer, Mithridates, was stripped naked, tied to rowing boats, and consumed by insects. After this man died at Cunaxa, his Greek mercenaries, the Ten Thousand, tried to make their way home in a story documented in Xenophon's *Anabasis*. He died while trying to oust his brother, Artaxerxes II, from the throne. For the point, name this Persian prince, the son of Darius II.

ANSWER: **Cyrus the Younger** (prompt on Cyrus; do not accept Cyrus the Great)

(20) An "all-kill" occurs when a song tops all the charts of this country in one day. The reality show *Produce 101* in this country has produced singles such as "Pick Me." Groups from this country include Spica, Oh My Girl, Red Velvet, and AOA. The star of the this country's group 4Minute has done solo work on songs such as "Red," "Bubble Pop!," and "Ice Cream." CL, Hyuna, and Snoop Dogg have all collaborated with another artist from this country who holds the record for the most viewed YouTube video ever. For the point, name this Asian country, the setting of Psy's "Gangnam Style."

ANSWER: **South Korea**

(21) When this ruler ascended the throne, he executed his cousin, Amyntas IV. This man campaigned in Thrace and Illyria, culminating in the siege of Pelium. He built a causeway to siege the island city of Tyre and encountered war elephants at the Battle of the Hydaspes River. This man defeated the scythed chariots of Darius III at Issus and Gaugamela to conquer the Persian Empire. For the point, name this king, the son of Philip II of Macedon, who conquered much of the known world by his 323 BC death.

ANSWER: Alexander the Great (or Alexander III of Macedon)

(22) After this event, the historian Ata-Malik Juvayni became governor of one city. This event took place after an attack on the Assassins at Alamut. A darugachi was stationed in a city after of this event, and one man was wrapped in a rug and trampled to death after this event. Al-Musta'sim refused to surrender before this event, leading to the destruction of the House of Wisdom and the Tigris flowing red with blood and black with ink. For the point, name this event carried out by Hulagu Khan's Mongols that ended the Abbasid Caliphate by destroying its capital.

ANSWER: Mongol sack of Baghdad (accept synonyms for sack such as fall or siege)

(23) Carl Ditters von Dittersdorf wrote his Symphony in C Major in response to this event. The aftermath of this event led to panic known as the Great Fear and the escape of the Prince of Conde and Prince of Conti to another nation. This event was influenced by the dismissal of finance minister Jacques Necker and saw Bernard-Rene de Launay's head paraded around on a pike. For the point, name this July 14th, 1789 mob overtake of a prison that led to the start of the French Revolution.

ANSWER: storming of the Bastille (prompt on descriptions of the (start of the) French Revolution)

(24) Two answers required. In one play, one of these men forges several letters from concerned citizens to convince the other to join him. These men argue over one of them condemning Lucius Pella for taking bribes. These characters hear from Casca that one man has been offered the crown three times, but each time refused it. In another work, these two characters in the icy realm of Cocytus have their legs chewed on by the left and right mouths of Lucifer with Judas between them. For the point, name these traitors who are punished in Dante's *Inferno* for their role in the assassination of Julius Caesar.

ANSWER: Marcus Junius Brutus and Gaius Cassius Longinus

(25) Abducting children was prevented by article 18 of this document, and article 22 prevented discrimination in universities and hospitals. This document created 150 forts known as *places de refuge*. This document was preceded by one signed at St. Germain, and it created *places de sûreté* such as La Rochelle, and extended protections against the Inquisition. Louis XIV revoked this document with the Edict of Fontainebleau. For the point, name this 1598 edict signed by Henry IV giving rights to Huguenots, Protestants living in France.

ANSWER: Edict of Nantes

(26) In a political cartoon, one man crossing this border says, "I've had about enough of this." One diplomat wrote, "my feeling of shame [...] was far stronger than [theirs] could be," in reference to a treaty affecting this border that he, Nicholas Trist, had negotiated. Abraham Lincoln questioned the relative placement of this border and spilt American blood in his Spot Resolutions. The Wilmot Proviso proposed free soil in all land that changed hands across this border as a result of the Treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo. For the point, name this border, the subject of an 1846 war, which currently runs along the Rio Grande River.

ANSWER: the Mexican-American border (accept any answer including both Mexico and the United States, prompt on an answer containing only one of them)

(27) This artist depicted an obese man in all red standing with a little girl in a pink dress and four other colorful characters in the middle of a desert. A painting of a woman with her chin in her hand looking quizzically at a blue bottle on a table, and a painting of an elderly man hunched around a string instrument were both made during this artist's Blue Period. In one of his paintings, a smoking volcano is seen on the far left as a central screaming horse is illuminated by a lightbulb. For the point, name this co-founder of cubism who depicted a Spanish Civil War bombing in *Guernica*.

ANSWER: Pablo Picasso

(28) Several monuments on this island are dedicated to William S. Clark, who helped establish a university and inspired his students to "be ambitious!" Temporary ice sculptures are constructed during an annual Snow Festival in this island's largest city. Mount Meakan overlooks this island's Akan National Park. It is connected to its southern neighbor by the Seikan Tunnel, which runs under the Tsugaru Strait. The 1972 Winter Olympics were held in this island's capital of Sapporo. For the point, name this second-largest and northernmost of the four main islands of Japan.

ANSWER: Hokkaido

(29) This organization's creator claimed that it gave his nation "the moral leadership of the world." Enoch Powell and Kenneth Robinson were responsible for this organization. It was created by Aneurin Bevan and was originally proposed by the Beveridge Report. Tony Blair accused the Conservatives of trying to privatize this organization, an essential part of the "cradle to grave" system. Clement Attlee's platform for a post-World War II welfare state focused on, for the point, name this single-payer organization that provides medical services to citizens of the United Kingdom.

ANSWER: National Health Service or NHS

(30) A special forces unit in this country drove only Ferret armoured cars. The land of minority populations in this country was targeted in the Fast Track reforms. This country cleared out numerous slum areas during Operation Drive Out Trash. This country's Hwange National Park was the site of a highly public 2015 crime by Walter Palmer, the poaching of Cecil the Lion. This home of Victoria Falls is situated between the Limpopo and Zambezi rivers. For the point, name this African country, the site of an ancient "Great" stone city, whose modern capital is Harare.

ANSWER: Zimbabwe (accept Great Zimbabwe after "ancient" is mentioned)

Extra Question

Only read if moderator botches a question.

(1) This president employed Caleb Cushing to negotiate with Spain in the *Virginius* affair. This man's Secretary of War appointed Caleb Marsh to be a trader at Fort Sill for a bribe; that man was William Belknap. This man's Secretary of the Treasury, Benjamin Bristow, investigated this man's secretary Orville Babcock, while his Vice President received shares of the Union Pacific Railroad. The Whiskey Ring and Crédit Mobilier scandals plagued the administration of, for the point, what 18th US president and prominent Civil War general?

ANSWER: Ulysses S. Grant (or Hiram Ulysses Grant)