

The challenge

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We'd like you and your family to write your own quiz. Quizzes are a really fun way to share the knowledge you have and to learn new things.

We recommend that you make the quiz multiple-choice: that is, for each question give three possible answers, labelled **a)**, **b)** and **c)**, only one of which is correct. Make sure the questions are not too difficult, not too easy, and try to make one of the (wrong) answers funny. Some of the best learning comes with laughter!

About the challenge

This challenge is supported by the National Literacy Trust and top football authors Alex Bellos and Ben Lyttleton, who have written the Football School series – a huge range of books packed with fun facts, quizzes and stories all about... football!

Don't miss out...

You can get a FREE copy of the first book in Alex and Ben's Football School series from the **National Literacy Trust Words For Life website**.

You can also take part in a special **World Book Day Facebook Live event** on Thursday 4 March at 9:15am with TV presenter Kenzie Benali and Alex and Ben themselves. At the event they will run a live quiz, featuring footballers from the Premier League! Why not join in, ask Alex and Ben questions and ask for shout outs?

Sign up for free here, or go to the **Facebook page** on the day.



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Quizzes are really fun! Here we're going to show you how to write a great quiz. It will have **five questions only**, and **each question will have three multiple choice answers**. To write each question, you need to think up, or find, a fact. The more interesting and curious the fact, the better. It could be about football, or about animals, or food, or anything else!

Here's a football fact:

Everton are known as the Toffees. The obvious way to turn this into a quiz question would be to ask: 'What are Everton known as?' Your three suggested answers could be **a) the Toffees**, **b) the Cupcakes** and **c) the Chewing Gums**.

Have fun with the answers, try to make at least one of the (wrong) suggestions as silly as possible.

Make sure
you have fun!



For example, here's an animal fact:

Lemurs come from Madagascar. The question would be: 'Where do lemurs come from?'; and the answers could be: **a) Manchester**, **b) Madagascar** and **c) the Moon**.

Try to be as creative as you can. Don't make the questions too difficult, or too easy. And mix up whether the answers are **a)**, **b)**, or **c)**.



Top tips:

- When you are looking for your facts, make sure you **use reliable sources** or you might be getting the answer wrong!
- **Write questions about subjects that interest you** – that way, your passion for the subject will come across.
- When you've written your quiz, try it out on your family or a friend!