



# How Welsh are you anyway?

## Round 1: General Knowledge



1. After Cardiff, which city is the second most populous in Wales?

2. How long is the Wales Coast Path – 870 miles, 970 miles, or 1,070 miles?



3. What country in South America has a large Welsh population?



4. Wales has more “what” per square mile than any other place in the world?

5. Which yellow Spring bloom is then national flower of Wales?

6. What is the connection between Wales and Mount Everest?



7. What is the biggest lake in Wales?

8. The former county of Caernarvonshire formed part of which new county in 1974?



9. What nationally important institution would you find at Llantrisant in Wales?

10. St David was born in which Welsh county?



## Round 2: Entertainment

1. Name 5 Welsh contestants to compete in the BBC's 'Strictly Come Dancing'?
2. Which Dylan Thomas work describes a day in the life of a small Welsh fishing village?
3. Which actor from Port Talbot won an Oscar for his portrayal of serial killer Hannibal Lecter in 'Silence of the Lambs'?
4. Which Welsh group had hits with the songs 'The Bartender and the Thief' and 'I wouldn't believe your radio'?
5. Who drove Ivor the Engine?
6. A statue of Lewis Carroll's white rabbit stands on the promontory of which north Wales resort?
7. For the first time in its history 'I'm a Celebrity' was filmed in the UK rather than Australia due to the coronavirus pandemic. What was the name of the castle used as the location?
8. When was S4C the Welsh language TV channel first broadcast?
9. What is the striking bilingual inscription on the front of the Millennium Centre?
10. In Gavin and Stacey, what is Uncle Bryn's codename 'on the airwaves'?

## Round 3: Sport






1. Which Cardiff school was attended by Gareth Bale, Sam Warburton and Geraint Thomas?
2. Which Welsh sprint and hurdling athlete won silver in the 1988 summer Olympics in Seoul, South Korea, before setting a World Record in 1993 at the World Championships?
3. What year did Wales last win the grand slam in the Six Nations competition?
4. In which decade was rugby player Gareth Edwards first capped for Wales?
5. In which year was The Ryder Cup first staged in Wales?
6. Which two Welshmen have competed for the title of World Snooker Champion?
7. At which racecourse is the Welsh Grand National run?
8. In what year did Geraint Thomas become the first Welsh man to win the Tour De France?
9. Name the 2 Hollywood stars who bought National League Club, Wrexham AFC in November 2020?
10. The Snowdon Race is a ten-mile endurance running competition in Gwynedd, from Llanberis to the peak of Snowdon. What is the current men's course record for this?

## Round 4: Who said this?

1. 'If you're going to be a star you should look like one'
2. 'The NHS will last as long as there is folk left with faith to fight for it'
3. 'Richard Burton came from the same town as me, so thought I'd follow my nose, and follow my luck. I think I've been lucky'
4. 'Right, either speak English or learn Welsh, cos that, "where to she" .... Do you mean where is she now?'
5. 'Diamonds never leave you ... men do!'
6. 'If you want to succeed in politics you must keep your conscience firmly under control'
7. 'I didn't even think about movies where I came from. I wanted to be on the stage'
8. 'When I was at drama school, I wanted to change the world, and thought I had some great wisdom to impart to people about humanity. Now that I'm older, I know enough to realise that I know nothing at all.'
9. 'Somebody's boring me! I think it's me!'
10. 'I'll have a pint – of wine!'



## Round 5: History and Culture

1. In which year was Prince Charles invested as The Prince of Wales?
  2. What was the name of the rural riots in the 1800s that saw protestors revolt against injustices and tear down toll gates?
  3. Which Tudor monarch joined the legal systems of England and Wales with The Act of Union?
  4. In the 18th Century, Swansea was known as the world capital of which metal?
  5. At the start of the 15th century, a Welsh nobleman led a revolt against English rule which, due to its guerrilla tactics, almost succeeded. What was his name?
  6. Which traditional Welsh gathering lasting up to a week is dedicated to the encouragement of music, poetry, and literature?
  7. Which Welsh designer founded a highly successful international chain of shops selling a Neo-Victorian country style in clothes and furnishings?
  8. In English you'd often hear the phrase "it's raining cats and dogs", however in Welsh we say "Mae hi'n bwrw hen wragedd o ffyn" – this isn't a direct translation of the English idiom, what does it mean?
  9. Which Welsh market town is known as 'the town of books'?
  10. It is pronounced Dydd Gŵyl Dewi Hapus! in Welsh. How would you say it in English?
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