

Chris Kane's Quiz of the Year 2010 – The Answer Sheet

- A correct answer to any question is worth one point, unless indicated at the start of the question. There are 100 questions in total, with 123 points possible for a perfect score.
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Round	Question	Answers
Rd 1: 2010 – January to March	The tallest man made structure in the world, the Burj Khalifa, opened in which country	Dubai
	In which country did a devastating earthquake kill over 200,000 people	Haiti
2pts	Which two BBC radio stations did Director General Mark Thomson announce would close as part of a cost cutting drive?	6 Music & Asian Network
	British iconic British firm was taken over by the American company Kraft Foods in February?	Cadburys
	Which car manufacturer recalled nearly eight million cars worldwide due to an accelerator problem?	Toyota
Rd 2: In Memorandum (1)	A legendary Scottish Rugby Commentator	Bill McLaren
	4 time winner of "British Fashion Designer of the Year"	Alexander McQueen
	A novelist and former jockey	Dick Francis
	Leader of the labour Party from 1980 – 1983	Michael Foot
	The manager of the "Sex Pistols"	Malcolm McLaren
Rd 3: Film	Which war film won "Best Film" at this year's Oscars?	The Hurt Locker
	Which animated film was the highest grossing movie of 2010?	Toy Story 3
	Who played the title role in the summer movie "Robin Hood"?	Russell Crowe
	Which 1980s Saturday tea time favourite TV show was given a big screen makeover in 2010?	The A Team
	What was the name of the Harry Potter movie released in December 2010?	Deathly Hallows (Pt1)
Rd 4: Sporting Events	2pts Who won Britain's only medal of the Winter Olympics and in what sport?	Amy Williams, Skeleton
	3pts Which two teams contested the World Cup final and what was the winning score?	Spain 1-0 Netherlands
	What was the name of the musical instrument that caused quite a stir at the World Cup?	Vuvuzela
	3pts Where was the Ryder Cup held in 2010 and who were the team captains?	Celtic Manor, Wales. Colin Montgomerie Cory Pavin
	In which city were this year's Commonwealth Games held?	New Delhi, India
Rd 5: Celebrities	Singer Jamie Cullum married which model on 9 th January 2010?	Sophie Dahl
	Who won this year's "I'm A Celebrity, Get Me Out of Here"?	Stacey Solomon
	What tropical ailment causes Cheryl Cole to miss much of the X Factor audition process	Malaria
	Which singer was jailed for two months for crashing his car after taking cannabis?	George Michael
	Who won this year's "Britain's Got Talent"?	Spellbound
Rd 6: 2010 – April to June	The eruption of Eyjafjallajokull in Iceland shut down the skies above Europe for how many days in April	six days
	What was the name of the BP oil rig that exploded and sank in the Gulf of Mexico?	Deepwater Horizon
2pts	The President of which country was killed when his plane crashed in what country?	Poland, Russia
	In June, the Saville Inquiry reported its findings into what incident?	Bloody Sunday
	The IMF announced a 110 billion Euro bailout package for which European country?	Greece

Rd 7: Music	<p>What nationality is X-Factor contestant Wagner?</p> <p>Which X-Factor contestant had the first number one single of 2010?</p> <p>Which band broke records by selling 1.34 million tickets for their 2011 tour in less than twenty four hours?</p> <p>Which singer amassed over 24 million Facebook fans in 2010?</p> <p>2pts Two female artists each had five top ten hits in 2010. Name both artists.</p>	<p>Brazilian</p> <p>Joe MacEldry "The Climb"</p> <p>Take That</p> <p>Lady Gaga</p> <p>Katy Perry, Rhianna</p>
Rd 8: General Election	<p>The General Election was held on which date?</p> <p>For which party did Caroline Lucas become the first elected MP ?</p> <p>What was the name of the first member of the coalition to resign, after less than two weeks in office?</p> <p>Which candidate was involved in a plane crash on Election Day?</p> <p>What's the name of the former Labour party deputy leader who retired from the Commons on election day?</p>	<p>6th May</p> <p>Green</p> <p>David Laws</p> <p>Nigel Farage</p> <p>John Prescott</p>
Rd 9: Technology	<p>What one word, relatively new to the English language, was the most searched term on Google this year?</p> <p>The prototype of which device was found in a bar in California, months before its official release date?</p> <p>Microsoft started selling a revolutionary controller for it's Xbox console in December. What's it called?</p> <p>On 3rd April, Manchester United v Chelsea became the first UK television show broadcast using what technology?</p> <p>Following in the footsteps of the first Space Shuttle, what's the name of Virgin Galactic's first passenger carrying spaceship?</p>	<p>Facebook</p> <p>Iphone 4</p> <p>Kinnect</p> <p>3D TV</p> <p>Enterprise</p>
Rd 10: In Memorandum (2)	<p>Legendary Scottish Trade Union leader</p> <p>Charlie Chaplin's "favourite clown"</p> <p>Actor best known for "City Lights"</p> <p>A television and newspaper Agony Aunt</p> <p>1980s Soap "Dynasty's" Ben Carrington</p>	<p>Jimmy Reid</p> <p>Sir Norman Wisdom</p> <p>Gerald Kelly</p> <p>Claire Rayner</p> <p>Christopher Cazanove</p>
Rd 11: 2010 – July to Sep	<p>2pts The "News of the World" ran a story about match fixing that caused a scandal in which sport?</p> <p>How many men were eventually rescued from the Copiapo Mine and how many days did they spend underground?</p> <p>4pts Who donated £ 4.6 million pounds to the British Legion in August?</p> <p>Which four cities did the Pope visit during his State Visit to the UK in September?</p> <p>5pts Which five MPs contested the Labour Party Leadership election in September?</p>	<p>Cricket</p> <p>33 men, 69 days</p> <p>Tony Blair</p> <p>Edinburgh, Glasgow, London, Birmingham</p> <p>Ed Miliband, David Miliband, Ed Balls, Andy Burnham, Diane Abbott</p>
Rd 12: Television	<p>Four Coronation Street characters died in a live episode to mark the show's 50th anniversary in December.</p> <p>However, which Eastenders character died in a live episode in February to mark that show's twenty fifth anniversary?</p> <p>Who won the final series of "Celebrity Big Brother" back in January</p> <p>Which BBC series finished after thirty seven years in August</p> <p>How many actors have played Dr Who on screen prior to Matt Smith stepping into the role on 1st January?</p> <p>2pts Which two presenters swapped the "One Show" for "Daybreak"?</p>	<p>Bradly Branning</p> <p>Alex Reid</p> <p>Last of the Summer Wine</p> <p>Ten</p> <p>Adrian Chiles, Christine Bleakley</p>
Rd 13: We are the Champions (1)	<p>Who won the following competitions:</p>	<p>Wimbledon Men's Singles</p> <p>British Open Golf</p> <p>British Grand Prix</p> <p>Grand National (horse, not jockey)</p> <p>Snooker World Championship</p>
		<p>Rafael Nadal</p> <p>Louis Oosthuizen</p> <p>Mark Webber</p> <p>Don't Push It</p> <p>Neil Robertson</p>

Rd 14: Royal Family		Who became the first member of the Royal family to complete the London Marathon? Prince William and Kate Middleton announced their engagement in November. What's the date of their wedding? Which international body did QE2 address in 2010 for the first time in 53 years? Wikileaks revealed in November that US Ambassador Tatiana Gfoeller found which Royal "rude" and "cocky" Which member of the Royal Family flew to Afghanistan to mark Remembrance Day with British troops?	Princess Beatrice 29 th April 2011 The United Nations Prince Andrew Prince William
Rd 15: Books	2pts	Which television chef became the fastest selling non fiction author in the UK, selling nearly 750,000 books in a week? Jamie Oliver Politicians Tony Blair and George W Bush both published their memoirs in 2010. Name both books. Which children's book, according to a BBC survey in 2010, is currently the most popular in the UK? Which Swedish author had three books in Amazon's top ten bestseller list of 2010 Howard Jacobson won which major literary prize for his book "The Finkler Question"	Decision Points A Journey The Gruffalo Stieg Larsson Booker Prize
Rd 16: 2010 – Oct to Dec	2pts	Which famous Nobel Peace Prize winner was released from house arrest after seven years Which European Country declared a state of emergency after a chemical sludge reservoir burst its banks? In December, which two nations did FIFA announce would host the 2018 and 2022 World Cups? What's the name of the founder of whistleblower website Wikileaks, who was arrested in the UK in December The Duke and Duchess of Cornwall were attacked in their car on the way to which event in December?	Aung San Suu Kyi Hungry Russia and Qatar Julian Assange Royal Variety Show
Rd 17: We are the champions (2)	2pts	Which football teams won the SPL and Premiership titles? Which English golfer ended Tiger Wood's reign as World Number One? Who won the Formula One Drivers Championship of 2010? Who won this year's Six Nations Rugby Championship? Which country won the most medals at this year's Winter Olympics?	Rangers, Chelsea Lee Westwood Sebastian Vettel France Canada
Rd 18: Crime Doesn't Pay		Which notorious killer was recalled to prison after breaching his parole conditions in March? What was the name of the gunman who went on a killing rampage in Cumbria in June? The High Court ruled in July that the Yorkshire Ripper should never be paroled. What's his name? Which Hollywood Actor was jailed in December for not paying his taxes? Police found a bomb inside what piece of equipment at East Midlands Airport in November?	Jon Venables Derek Bird Peter Sutcliffe Wesley Snipes Printer cartridge
Rd 19: Politics		Lord Pearson of Rannoch stepped down as leader of his party on 17 th August. Which party? What did Lord Young say on 19 Nov that caused him to resign as an Enterprise Adviser to the government? Who was re-elected Speaker of the Commons after this year's General Election Prime Minister David Cameron became a dad again in 2010. What's his daughter's name Former US President Bill Clinton's daughter got married in 2010. What's her name?	UKIP That People had never had it so good in the recession John Bercow Florence Chelsea Clinton
Rd 20: How Bizarre	4pts	What type of sea creature became a celebrity by correctly predicting Germany's results in the World Cup? What four items did former footballer Paul Gascoigne try to give to Raul Moat during the police siege? Which famous football nation won this year's Blind World Cup? After a successful reintroduction, what animals were found to be breeding in Scotland for the first time in nearly 400 years? Which city was named British Curry Capital for the 4 th time in 10 years in December	Paul the Octopus chicken and chips, Lager a mobile phone "something to keep warm" Brazil Beavers Glasgow