

Kids vs Adults Weekly News S'Quiz

Hello Squiz Kids Quizzers -

And welcome to the Kids v Adults Weekly News S'Quiz ... your chance to prove who's been paying the most attention to the week that just was.

I'm Bryce Corbett -

You know the drill five questions for kids about the wonderful world's happenings of the past seven days, then five questions for adults ... whoever answers the most correct questions takes a victory lap.

Easy as.

Plus - of course - because it's a Friday - we've got all today's birthday shoutouts and all the shoutouts for the weekend coming ... including the birthday reggae tune – because it wouldn't be a Friday without it.

You ready, y'all? Let's do this ...

Alright kids - here are your five questions ...

1. Were you one of the people up early around Australia on Wednesday morning to watch the Socceroos beat Saudi Arabia? With their win, they qualify for which major international sporting event?
 - a. The FIFA World Cup
 - b. The Olympics
 - c. The Sporting Club World Sausage Sizzle Championships

2. Christie told us in the podcast this week that scientists in the UK have made a teeny-tiny violin smaller than a human hair, and it can actually play music, just like a real one. Is this statement True or False?

3. In a quirky carving competition in London this week, creative sculptors turned famous people into sculpted lookalikes. What kind of material were all the celebrity sculptures made from? And I'll give you a hint, my personal favourite was called *Cauli-Parton*.

4. We heard in the podcast yesterday about zebra named Ed who caused chaos in Tennessee after escaping and running wild for over a week. How did rescuers finally get him home? Did they:

- a) Put him in a horse float
- b) Airlift him with a helicopter
- c) Give him snacks and play his favourite songs to lure him home?

5. Two members of a famous K-pop group finished their year of military service in South Korea this week and hinted at a reunion. What's the name of their band? Is it:

- a) ABC
- b) OMG
- c) BTS

Answers:

- 1. a) The FIFA World Cup
- 2. False
- 3. Veggies
- 4. b) Airlift him with a helicopter
- 5. c) BTS

Alrighty ... how did you go kids? Did you show those adults how it's done..Do they looking scared?

I'll bet they are.

Ok, well, Let's see how the big people go ...

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Alright adults - now it's your turn ... time to show those kids how it's done...

1. The kids told us that the Socceroos qualified for the FIFA World Cup this week. The 2026 FIFA Men's World Cup will be jointly hosted by three countries. Which trio of nations will share hosting duties for this historic tournament?
 - a) United States, Canada, and Mexico
 - b) Spain, Portugal, and Morocco
 - c) Australia, New Zealand, and Papua New Guinea
2. Tensions flared in Los Angeles this week after immigration raids sparked protests, and the situation escalated further when US President Donald Trump took matters into federal hands. What controversial action did he take, angering California's Governor?
 - a) He called a lockdown
 - b) He closed the airports
 - c) He deployed the National Guard
3. A ship carrying aid for Gaza was blocked by the Israeli military this week, and all 12 people onboard were detained, sparking headlines around the world. Among those detained was which prominent climate activist?
4. Carlos Alcaraz and Coco Gauff were crowned champions this week at the French Open, held at Roland Garros. But here's a tennis trivia test: What kind of surface is the French Open famously played on?
 - a) real grass
 - b) synthetic grass
 - c) clay
5. Another embryo mix-up at Monash IVF has renewed calls for tighter regulation in the fertility industry. As the Health Minister adds IVF safety to the national agenda, it's a

good time to ask...

What does in vitro literally mean?

Answers:

1. a) United States, Canada, and Mexico
2. c) He deployed the National Guard
3. Greta Thunberg
4. c) Clay
5. In Glass

How did you go adults? How many did you get right?

Who's the winner this week? All bow down to your braniac superiority.

If you've missed any of those cool news stories throughout the week and you want to refresh your memory - all of this week's Squiz Kids episodes are available for a re-listen wherever you get your podcasts ...

That's the end of the quiz - which means now it's time for ...

SHOUTOUTS!

It's Friday, June 13 - Ooooh... spooky! Friday the 13th is a day some people think is unlucky. That's because of superstition... a belief that something can bring good or bad luck, even without proof. There's nothing to worry about... although maybe avoid walking under ladders, just in case

Today is also a special day for these Squiz Kids celebrating a birthday today, and over the coming weekend... and because it's a Friday

let's crack out the 'ol birthday reggae tune... hit it!

It's a happy birthday to... Elizabeth from Erskineville, Annabel from Herberton, Gwen from Davidson, Jordan from Viewbank, Matilda from Monbulk, Lucas from Springvale, Hannah from Upper Mount Gravatt, Teodora from Queanbeyan, Joel from Vermont South, Fraser from Townsville and Thea listening over in Auckland, New Zealand.

And a belated shoutout goes to Webster from Narrabundah.

We don't usually do classroom shouts on a Friday but it's a special shout out to the students at Ivanhoe Primary School and happy birthday to their teacher Mr O'Callaghan!

I hope you're enjoying these quizzes.

Don't forget there will be a new one dropping first thing every Friday morning .. and the best bit? They're absolutely free. Just as our other excellent content is free too ...

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For now - this is Bryce Corbett signing off - and reminding you to get out there and have a most excellent day ... over and out.