

## **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 Christie Kijurina-

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. Let's start this Friday off with a Sport question. It was reported this week that Oscar Piastri is on track to win which racing title?

- A) Formula 1 Drivers' Championship
- B) Hot Wheels World Cup
- C) Mario Kart Masters

2. The world's biggest what was recently unveiled in the Philippines? It stands as tall as a two-storey house, and you might have had a go on one at your local shopping centre.
3. True or False: Australia's newly launched rocket, Eris, successfully made it all the way into orbit this week.
4. The Aussie government has been laying down the law this week. What popular video platform will you need to be 16 or older to sign into from December 10? And I'll give you a hint... it's the place with more videos than a library has books
5. Squiz-E's nose was twitching this week, sniffing out a suspicious story about what kind of animals supposedly being sold at a market in Bangladesh? Was it:
  - A. Vultures
  - B. Unicorns
  - C. Tigers

Answers:

1. A) Formula 1 Drivers' Championship
2. Claw Machine
3. False. It lifted off but came crashing back down before reaching space.
4. YouTube
5. C) Tigers

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 Tour de France wrapped up early Monday morning. Which cycling superstar claimed the yellow jersey for 2025?

A) Michael Storer

B) Wout van Aert

C) Tadej Pogacar

2. They're two favourite overseas holiday spots for Australians, but this week, they've been in the headlines for all the wrong reasons. Which two Southeast Asian neighbours are in a border dispute near an ancient temple?

3. To celebrate the broadcaster's 50th Anniversary... Triple J counted down the Hottest 100 of Australian Songs last weekend. Which legendary band took out number one, and what was the track? Half a point each for band and song title.

4. Another music question. It was announced this week that this artist has officially pulled off the highest-grossing country music tour of all time, with over \$400 million in ticket sales. Who are they?

5. Sport to bring us home... Australia will play host to a major international football tournament next March—and the draw for the group stage was held in Sydney this week. Matildas now know who they're up against. What's the name of the tournament they'll compete in on home soil?

Answers:

1. C) Tadej Pogacar
2. Thailand and Cambodia
3. INXS Never Tear Us Apart
4. Beyoncé's Cowboy Carter Tour made over \$400 million after just 32 shows
5. AFC Women's Asian Cup

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 ...

Before we dive into shoutouts ... here's a question for you...

What exactly is a harmful algal bloom—and why is the one happening off South Australia right now so bad? That's the question Miss Beckman and the Years 3 and 4 Classes from Redeemer Lutheran School in the Barossa Valley sent in to Squiz Kids Science Shorts this week.

If you're keen to find out... I answer those questions exclusively in the week's Squiz Kids

Science Short on the Squiz Kids Channel on YouTube. It dropped today, and you'll find it under **Shorts**.

And while you're there, check out our other episodes like **Why Do We Fart?** and **Can a snake bite itself to death?**

Got a burning science question of your own? Send it to us at **squizkids@thesquiz.com.au** and we might just answer it next!

Alright, time for some birthday fun—because now it's time for...

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

### **SHOUTOUTS!**

It's Friday, Aug 1 - The Horse's Birthday in the Southern Hemisphere... And no, horses don't all have their foals on the same day... but every horse that has been born in the previous 12 months (usually from the last August to December) will have their first birthday on August 1.

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... Felix from Ivanhoe, Sophie and Maeve from Exeter, Shristi (pron Shur-is-Tee) from Hammond Park, Bungus from Wheelers Hill, Alfie from Moree, Charlie from Central Mangrove, Ava and Clara from Davidson, Annabel from Kalannie (I think you might be our first ever shoutout from Kalannie), Willow from Singleton, Asher from Hamilton Hill, Christy from Gun gah lin and Archer from Paddington.

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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.

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