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CULTURE

10/ Who wrote the Divine Comedy? **Dante Alighieri**

11/ To what distant country did the Venetian Marco Polo travel? **China**

12/ What is the name of the cathedral in Paris where the literary character "The Hunchback", created by Victor Hugo, lived? **Notre Dame (Our Lady)**

13/ What is the name of the French author of adventures such as "Journey to the Centre of the Earth", "Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea" and "Around the World in 80 Days"? **Jules Verne**

14/ Astro that in northern Finland does not set for 73 days in summer and does not rise for 51 days in winter. **Sun**

15/ In which city is one of the most famous Roman coliseums in Spain located? **In Mérida, Segóbriga, Itálica**

16/ Which German composer went deaf, yet still composed the "Ninth Symphony", one of whose passages is today the anthem of the European Union? **Beethoven**

17/ The Cantar del Mío Cid recounts the adventures of Rodrigo Díaz de Vivar, a knight of the Reconquest in 11th century Spain. Did the Cid Campeador really exist? **Yes**

18/ In the 15th century lived an illustrious painter, artist, scientist, engineer, inventor, anatomist, sculptor, architect, town planner, botanist, musician, poet, philosopher and writer. Who was he? **Leonardo da Vinci**

19/ What is the title of the tale by Hans Christian Andersen (author also of "The Emperor's New Clothes", "The Tin Soldier" and "The Little Mermaid") in which a little animal is born ugly and different from its siblings and when it grows up it becomes an adorable creature? **"The Ugly Duckling"**



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20/ Famous portrait of a woman by Leonardo da Vinci whose smile is highly controversial.
"The Mona Lisa"

21/ What is the French national anthem? **"The Marseillaise"**

22/ What did the German Gutenberg invent in the 15th century that made it possible to move from handwritten books to printed books? **The printing press**

23/ In which Austrian city does the Philharmonic Orchestra give the New Year's concert every January 1st? **In Vienna**

24/ What is the name of Romeo's beloved in William Shakespeare's most famous play?
Juliet

25/ Which cartoon girl lived in the Swiss Alps with her grandfather and a dog called Fog?
Heidi

26/ Which little girl is the protagonist of an adventure in Wonderland, written by Lewis Carroll? **Alice**

27/ What is the name of the most famous English detective novelist, to whom the famous phrase "Elementary, my dear Watson" is attributed? **Sherlock Holmes**

28/ What is the name of the comic book reporter created by the Belgian cartoonist Hergé who travels the world with his dog Snowy? **Tintin**

29/ What is the name of Don Quixote's squire in the literary work of the Spanish writer Miguel de Cervantes? **Sancho Panza**

30/ What is the name of the French swordsman who served the King alongside the three musketeers? **D'Artagnan**

31/ What is the name of the boy, the protagonist of a fictional story that became a famous animated series, who travels from Italy to Argentina with his monkey Amedeo, in search of his emigrant mother? **Marco**



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32/ With which word do Italians use to greet and say goodbye, a word that is widely used in other languages? **Ciao**

33/ What is the pink-coloured fish typical of Norway and Finland, which is usually consumed smoked? **Salmon**

34/ From which alphabet are the letters alpha, beta, gamma and omega? **From the Greek alphabet**

35/ Which novel by the Englishman Jonathan Swift leads his character to the land of Lilliput and then to the land of giants? **"Gulliver's Travels"**

36/ What currency was used in Spain before the adoption of the euro? **The peseta**

37/ What is the name of a country that is so small that it fits inside the city of Rome (and it is not in the European Union)? **The Vatican**

38/ Which team has won the European Football Cup the most times? **Real Madrid**

39/ Apart from Venice, in which other European city is there a Guggenheim Museum? **In Bilbao**

40/ Which Spanish city hosted the 1992 Olympic Games? **Barcelona**

41/ An Athenian soldier ran 42 kilometres after a battle to announce victory and then died. What was the name of the battle that today gives the race its name? **Marathon**

42/ The most famous and brilliant Austrian musician, composer of works such as "The Magic Flute" and 41 symphonies, among his more than 600 creations...**Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart**

43/ What is the name of the building where Muslims perform their religious ceremonies? **Mosque**

44/ A rounded tuber that can be prepared fried, boiled or baked, and was first introduced to Europe in the 16th century from America: **Potato**



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45/ A typical instrument of Asturias and Galicia, but also found in countries such as Scotland, where the musicians who play it wear kilts: **Bagpipes**

46/ Giant of Greek mythology who possessed only one eye. A) Centaur. B) Hero. C) Cyclops

The correct answer is: C) Cyclops

47/ What is the name of the plant of the grass family, similar to wheat, which is used in the production of beer? **Barley**

48/ What three European tennis players have won more awards? **Nadal, Federer and Djokovic**

49/ When is Europe Day celebrated? **Europe Day is celebrated on 9th May**

50/ Which country is known for its windmills and tulips? **The Netherlands (Holland)**

51/ In which country does the Cannes Film Festival take place? A) Spain B) Portugal C) France D) None of these

The correct answer is: C) France

52/ What is the famous clock in London? **The famous clock in London is Big Ben, which is part of the Palace of Westminster**

53/ Which country is the boot-shaped country on the map? **The boot-shaped country on the map is Italy**

54/ What is the city known as "The City of Love"? **Paris, the capital of France**

55/ Which country is famous for its fairytale castles? **Germany**

56/ What is the famous museum that houses the "Mona Lisa" painting? **The Louvre Museum, which is located in Paris**

57/ What is the country known for its delicious chocolates and waffles? **Belgium**



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58/ Which country is famous for its incredible Northern Lights? **Iceland**

59/ What is the famous music festival in Barcelona, Spain, which attracts artists from all over the world? **The Primavera Sound Festival**



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