


Weekly Quiz

1. Why has a newly-opened Legoland Discovery Centre in Melbourne caused controversy?
 - a. the cost of admittance is very high
 - b. adults are banned unless accompanied by a child
 - c. there is a lack of cultural diversity amongst the figurines
2. The world's oldest person died last week aged 117. Where was she from?
 - a. Italy
 - b. China
 - c. Britain
3. Prime Minister Turnbull has announced the 457 visa category for skilled foreign workers is being abolished and replaced with a new program. How many years is a worker currently entitled to stay in Australia if they have a 457 visa?
 - a. two years
 - b. 4 years
 - c. 8 years
4. What are the top baby names in NSW for 2016?
 - a. Olivia for a girl and Oliver for a boy
 - b. Charlotte for a girl and Charlie for a boy
 - c. Jessie for a girl and James for a boy
5. The United Kingdom is to have an early election to decide the next government. On which date will the election be held?
 - a. 30th April 2017
 - b. 8th June 2017
 - c. 15th September 2017
6. What is being blamed for the recent discovery of dead fish near the Brisbane Airport?
 - a. the vibrations from planes landing
 - b. firefighting foam
 - c. a leak in the airport's sewer pipes
7. Researchers have developed a trap which uses cane toad poison to control ...?
 - a. wasps
 - b. cockroaches
 - c. cane toads
8. Against which country did the US launch a missile attack recently?
 - a. North Korea
 - b. Iran
 - c. Syria
9. Which ocean separates the United States and Europe and is sometimes referred to as 'The Pond'?
 - a. Atlantic
 - b. Pacific
 - c. Indian
10. Why has Serena Williams been in the news?
 - a. she has become the second highest paid sportsperson in the world
 - b. she has confirmed she is having a baby
 - c. she has published an autobiography
11. Why was the town of Esperance in the news last week?
 - a. it was the scene of a fatal shark attack
 - b. bushfire destroyed eight homes
 - c. it has been confirmed that the new Men in Black film will be shot there
12. NSW's health minister has criticised parents who refuse to vaccinate their children as the state deals with a worsening outbreak of ...?
 - a. mumps
 - b. chicken pox
 - c. measles
13. Which drink company has pulled a television advertisement featuring Kendall Jenner because of intense criticism?
 - a. Coca Cola
 - b. Pepsi
 - c. Heineken
14. Which country has Helsinki as its capital city?
 - a. Norway
 - b. Finland
 - c. Switzerland
15. How many houses do the 226 elected members of Australia's federal parliament own between them?
 - a. 380
 - b. 524
 - c. 1008

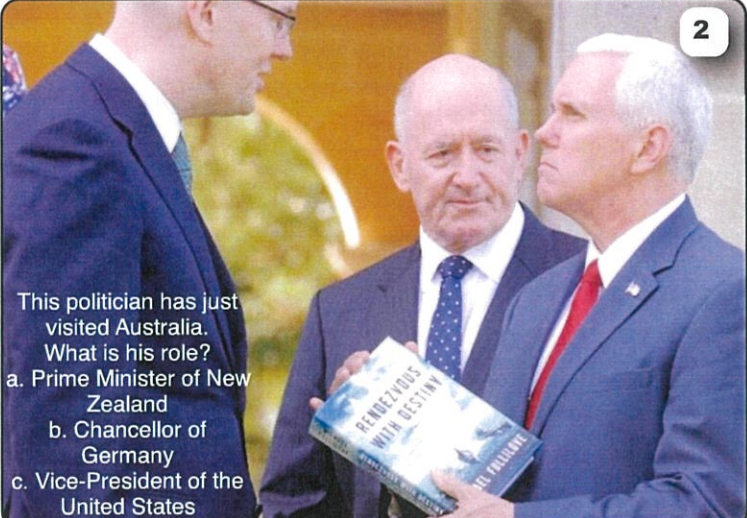
Weekly Quiz - Visual

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This original sketch, along with several others has gone on display at the Tasmanian Museum and Art Gallery. What is the first name of the boy on the left?

2



This politician has just visited Australia. What is his role?

- a. Prime Minister of New Zealand
- b. Chancellor of Germany
- c. Vice-President of the United States

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What title does the woman in the centre of the photo have? The Duchess of _____

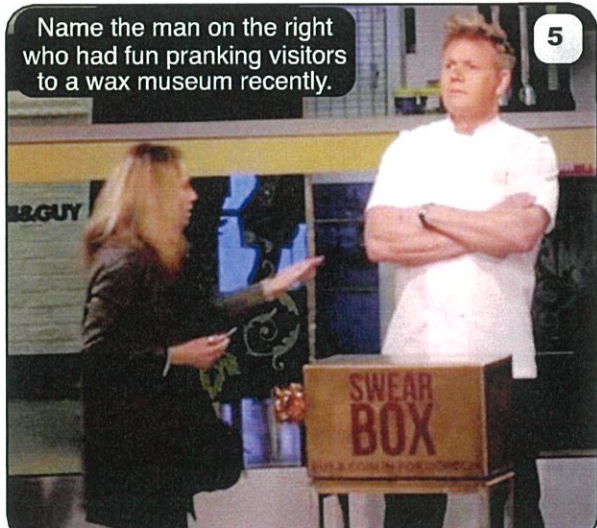
- a. Cornwall
- b. Cambridge
- c. Cardiff

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Which country has this flag?

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Name the man on the right who had fun pranking visitors to a wax museum recently.