

ISAAC ASIMOV’S SUPER QUIZ

Take this Super Quiz to a Ph.D. Score 1 point for each correct answer on the Freshman Level, 2 points on the Graduate Level and 3 points on the Ph.D. Level.

Subject: ITALY
(Example: The capital city. Answer: Rome.)

FRESHMAN LEVEL

1. Italy extends into what large sea?
Answer _____
2. Italy is not an island, it is a _____.
Answer _____
3. What Italian island is near the “toe” of Italy?
Answer _____
4. What city is built on a group of about 120 islands linked by bridges?
Answer _____
5. What is the most popular sport in Italy?
Answer _____

GRADUATE LEVEL

6. What sea is on Italy’s east coast?
Answer _____
7. What mountain range is on Italy’s northern land border?
Answer _____
8. What are the three colors on the national flag?
Answer _____
9. It is the third largest city and the largest in southern Italy.
Answer _____
10. Name either of the two enclaves within Italy.
Answer _____

PH.D. LEVEL

11. What is the largest metropolitan area in Italy?
Answer _____
12. What fascist dictator titled himself “Duce”?
Answer _____
13. What active volcano is on the east coast of Sicily?
Answer _____
14. What large Italian island is located about 125 miles west of mainland Italy?
Answer _____
15. Italy is nicknamed “Lo Stivale,” which translates to _____.
Answer _____

ANSWERS: 1. Mediterranean Sea. 2. Peninsula. 3. Sicily. 4. Venice. 5. Soccer. 6. Adriatic Sea. 7. Alps. 8. Red, white and green. 9. Naples. 10. Vatican City or San Marino. 11. Milan. 12. Benito Mussolini. 13. Mount Etna. 14. Sardinia. 15. The Boot.

SCORING:

24 to 30 points — congratulations, doctor; 18 to 23 points — honors graduate; 13 to 17 points — you’re plenty smart, but no grind; 5 to 12 points — you really should hit the books harder; 1 point to 4 points — enroll in remedial courses immediately; 0 points — who reads the questions to you?

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King Classic Sudoku

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Difficulty: ★★★★★ 10/17

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Difficulty: ★★★★★ 10/16

