

## **General Knowledge**

1. How many words are there in the complete works of Shakespeare?
2. How many countries use dollars? (NB: US Dollars only counts as one even though many countries use USD)
3. When was the first bicycle invented? A: 1817, B: 1837, C: 1889 or D: 1901?
4. What is the largest distance - London to Beijing as the crow flies or the length of the Great Wall of China?
5. How many floors in the Empire State Building?
6. How many granddaughters do the Queen and Prince Phillip have?
7. Which Italian university is the oldest in the world?
8. Which city was the first capital city of England?
9. What colours are the Welsh poppy and the Himalayan poppy?
10. Butterflies taste with which part of their bodies?
11. Which London underground line has the most stations?
12. Where is the smallest bone in the human body?

## **Food conundrums**

13. Which pasta translates literally into 'Little Tongues'?
14. Which cookery book made Nigella Lawson famous?
15. Which fruit does grenadine come from?
16. From which flower does a vanilla pod come from?
17. How many bottles make up a nebuchadnezzar?
18. Which continent do tomatoes originate from?
19. How many kernels on a corn on the cob? Is the answer 400, 600 or 800?
20. Where is Corona beer manufactured?

### Wordplay

21. Which words change their meaning and pronunciation if you make the first letter a capital?
22. What is a librocubicutarist?
23. Name the 4 words in the English language which end in -dous.
24. What is the name for a fox's tail?
25. Name the 10 body parts with 3 letters.
26. What is pogonophobia the fear of?
27. What are a pontoon, clapper, Bailey and bascule a type of?