

MELNEA CASS'S GLASSES—POLITICIANS META



You'll need to pass this **true-false** test—a **touchy** subject—to solve this Meta. After answering the questions, try using the First Lady of Roxbury's glasses to **swap** your perspective—and remember that **true** answers are **full** of facts, while **false** ones ring **hollow**!

QUESTION ONE: Geography

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| As of 2025, South Sudan is the oldest country in the world. | _____ | _____ | The lowest point in North America is in Death Valley. |
| Lake Superior is the biggest of the Great Lakes. | _____ | _____ | There are an odd number of continents on Earth. |
| Antarctica is the world's coldest continent. | _____ | _____ | The shortest distance between capital cities is Ottawa, Canada and Rome, Italy. |

QUESTION TWO: Tabletop Games

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| The lowest point value tiles in <i>Scrabble</i> are blanks. | _____ | _____ | The shortest possible chess game ends in ten moves. |
| The biggest number on the spinner in <i>The Game of Life</i> is 10. | _____ | _____ | <i>Dungeons and Dragons</i> features an odd number of main attributes. |
| The oldest board game in the National Toy Hall of Fame is <i>Candyland</i> . | _____ | _____ | There is a <i>Magic: The Gathering</i> card called the Cold -Water Snapper. |

QUESTION THREE: Singers and Their Songs

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| " Cold to Go,"
Chappell Roan | _____ | _____ | "Against All Odds ,"
Bonnie Tyler |
| "Friends in Low Places,"
Garth Brooks | _____ | _____ | " Big Girl You Are Beautiful,"
MIKA |
| "Die Old ,"
Kesha | _____ | _____ | " Short Cool Woman in a Black Dress,"
The Hollies |

QUESTION FOUR: The Animal Kingdom

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| When measured by mass, the Etruscan shrew is the world's biggest mammal. | _____ | _____ | The dromedary is a type of camel with an odd number of humps on its back. |
| The oldest land animal in the world (with a verified age) is Jonathan the Seychelles Giant Tortoise. | _____ | _____ | Toucans, parrots, and birds of paradise thrive in the coldest climates. |
| Mariana Trench-dwelling snailfish are the lowest lived animals on Earth. | _____ | _____ | The shortest known gestation period among mammals belongs to the elephant. |

QUESTION FIVE:
Disney Animated Movies

Donald Duck is infamous for his notoriously short temper.	_____	_____	In "Let It Go," Elsa famously sings "The cold never bothered me anyway."
Dumbo has the lowest number of lines of any Disney title protagonist.	_____	_____	The oldest Disney animated feature is <i>Moana 2</i> .
<i>The Black Cauldron</i> is Disney's biggest box office success.	_____	_____	Snow White has an odd number of dwarf friends in her movie.

QUESTION SEVEN:
Video Games

<i>The Adventure of Link</i> is an odd -numbered entry in the <i>Zelda</i> series.	_____	_____	At 1,014.1 pounds, Snorlax is the biggest Gen. 1 Pokemon.
The titular character in the <i>Sly Cooper</i> games is a cold -blooded animal.	_____	_____	<i>Donkey Kong</i> is the oldest game to feature Mario.
"Speedrunning" refers to completing a game in the shortest possible time.	_____	_____	The lowest potential ESRB rating for a game is AO.

QUESTION NINE:
Movie Titles

Cold Fuzz , Simon Pegg, Nick Frost	_____	_____	Big Soldiers , Kirsten Dunst, Frank Langella
Low Fidelity , John Cusack, Jack Black	_____	_____	Odd Cowgirls Get the Blues , Uma Thurman, Lorraine Bracco
Get Shorty , John Travolta, Rene Russo	_____	_____	Arsenic and Old Lace , Jean Adair, Priscilla Lane

QUESTION SIX:
TV Shows

Old Sheldon , Iain Armitage, Zoe Perry	_____	_____	Lowlander , Adrian Paul, Alexandra Vandernoot
Cold in Cleveland , Jane Leeves, Betty White	_____	_____	Short Island Medium , Theresa Caputo, Larry Caputo Jr.
Big Love , Chloë Sevigny, Bill Paxton	_____	_____	The Odd Couple , Jack Klugman, Tony Randall

QUESTION EIGHT:
Boston Bits

The legendary " Big Dig " permanently changed I-93 and I-90.	_____	_____	During Paul Revere's ride, an odd number of lanterns meant "by sea."
On average, July is the coldest month in Boston.	_____	_____	The Green Line is the shortest of the major MBTA subways.
Fenway's Green Monster is the lowest wall in all current MLB fields.	_____	_____	Founded in 1634, the Boston Common is the oldest city park in the U.S.A.

QUESTION TEN:
Puzzlin' Fun!

The crossword is the oldest puzzle type in the world.	_____	_____	In Morse code, cold is spelled -- . / . - / - . / - . -
In the A1-Z26 cipher, "M" has an odd numeric value.	_____	_____	The world's biggest jigsaw puzzle measures two feet by one foot.
The lowest amount of starter numbers needed to solve a Sudoku is three.	_____	_____	The shortest MIT Mystery Hunt ever was twenty-seven minutes long.