

Conversation and quiz



Reminiscence Radio Show

Programme Four

1930s-1950s

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This quiz is based on the stars featured in the Reminiscence Radio Show, events and life around the periods that the programme covers.

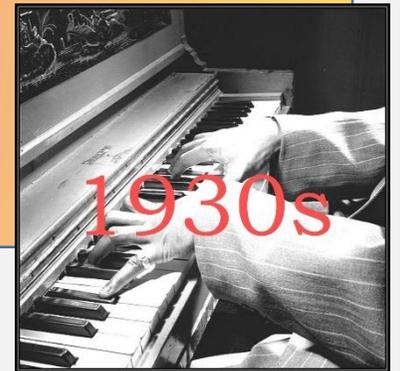
The quiz can spark conversation, helping family and carers understand what life was like '*back in the day.*' The questions range in difficulty.

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Louis Armstrong

What was Louis Armstrong's **nickname**?

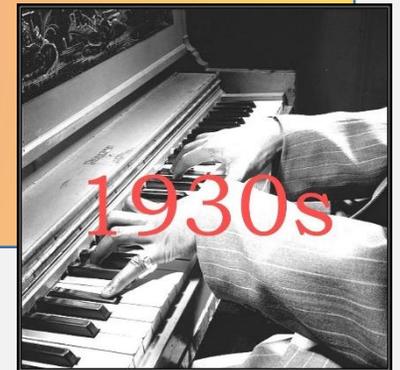
Satchmo, a shortening of the **nickname** 'satchel mouth'. As some people thought he had a large mouth.



Ella Fitzgerald

What **nursey-rhyme** did Ela become famous for?

Ela recorded the rhyme **A-ticket, a tasket.**



Nat King Cole

Can you name some of **songs** Nat sang with the **Nat King Cole Trio**?

Some of the most popular songs included; **That Ain't Right, Straighten Up and Fly Right, The Christmas Song and I Love You For Sentimental Reasons.**



Ovaltineys

Which **radio station** could you hear the Ovaltineys on?

They were on **Radio Luxemburg**.



Glen Miller

What **Pennsylvanian telephone number** did
Glen Miller make famous?

Pennsylvania 6500.



Gracie Fields

Gracie Fields signed up to join **ENSA** during WWII, and to perform for the troops.

What did ENSA **stand for**? Both official and unofficial versions accepted!

Official ENSA stands for the **Entertainment National Service Association**, also known as **Each Night Something Awful**.



Buddy Holly

Buddy Holly died in a **plane crash**. Can you name the two famous singers from the 1950s who were **also on board**?

The Big Bopper, real name Jiles Perry (JP) Richardson, and **Richie Valance** were also on the plane.



Everly Brothers

Can you **name** the two Everly Brothers?

Isaac Donald '**Don**' Everly and Phillip '**Phil**' Everly



Films

Can you **name the English film studio** that made the **classic comedies**: Titfield Thunderbolt, The Lavender Hill Mob and the Lady Killers?

They were made by **Ealing Studios** and became known as **Ealing Comedies**.

