Batman

The origin of Batman depicts the events that cause a young Bruce Wayne to become Batman. The core event (the murder of Thomas and Martha Wayne by Joe Chill) has remained fairly unchanged, but the aftermath and Bruce's journey to become Batman were not detailed until later years. The story first appeared in Detective comics (November, 1939), and was retold in graphic novels such as *Batman: Year One*.

- Name batman villains? Joker, Penguin, Riddler, Catwoman, Poison Ivy, Two Face, Bane, Mr Freeze, Ra’s al Ghul
- Name places associated with Batman? Gotham City, Wayne Manor, The batcave, Arkham Asylum
- Name actors who have played Batman? Adam West, Lewis Wilson, Robert Lowery, Michael Keaton, Val Kilmer, George Clooney, Christian Bale, Ben Affleck, David Jason (in Only Fools and Horses!)
- What was the name of the car? Bat Mobile
Robin

Robin is the name of several fictional superheroes appearing in American comic books published by DC Comics. The character was originally created by Bob Kane, Bill Finger, and Jerry Robinson, to serve as a junior counterpart to the superhero Batman. The character's first incarnation, Dick Grayson, debuted in *Detective Comics* (April 1940). Known as the Dynamic Duo

- Name actors who have played robin? Douglas Croft, Johnny Duncan, Burt Ward, Chris O’Donnell
- Name Batman’s supporters? Alfred Pennyworth (Butler) Commissioner Gordon, Batgirl, Catwoman (TV series) Wonder woman, Superman, Green Arrow
John Lennon

John Winston Ono Lennon MBE (born John Winston Lennon, 9 October 1940 – 8 December 1980) was an English singer, songwriter and peace activist who gained worldwide fame as the founder, co-lead vocalist, and rhythm guitarist of the Beatles. His songwriting partnership with Paul McCartney remains the most successful in history. In 1969, he started the Plastic Ono Band with his second wife, Yoko Ono. After the Beatles disbanded in 1970, Lennon continued as a solo artist and as Ono's collaborator.

Born in Liverpool, Lennon became involved in the skiffle craze as a teenager. In 1956, he formed his first band, the Quarrymen, which evolved into the Beatles in 1960. He was initially the group's de facto leader, a role gradually ceded to McCartney. Lennon was characterised for the rebellious nature and acerbic wit in his music, writing, drawings, on film and in interviews.

- Name the Beatles and people associated with them? Ringo Starr, Pete Best, Stuart Sutcliffe, Brian Epstein, George Harrison, Paul McCartney, Cilla Black, George Martin, Phil Spector, Yoko Ono, Jane Asher, Pattie Boyd
- Places associated with the Beatles? Liverpool, Abbey Road, Penny Lane, Strawberry Fields, Cavern Club
- Name John Lennon songs? Imagine, Mother, Give peace a chance, Jealous Guy, Happy Xmas (War is over) Instant Karma (We all shine on)
Paul McCartney

Sir James Paul McCartney CH MBE (born 18 June 1942) is an English singer, songwriter, musician, composer, and record and film producer who gained worldwide fame as co-lead vocalist and bassist for the Beatles. His songwriting partnership with John Lennon remains the most successful in history. After the group disbanded in 1970, he pursued a solo career and formed the band Wings with his first wife, Linda, and Denny Laine.

A self-taught musician, McCartney is proficient on bass, guitar, keyboards, and drums. He is known for his melodic approach to bass-playing (mainly playing with a plectrum), his versatile and wide tenor vocal range (spanning over four octaves), and his eclecticism (exploring styles ranging from pre-rock and roll pop to classical and electronica). McCartney began his career as a member of the Quarrymen in 1957, which evolved into the Beatles in 1960.

- Name some songs by the Beatles? Hey Jude, Eleanor Rigby, Penny Lane, Yellow Submarine, Strawberry fields, Lucy in the Sky with Diamonds, Ticket to ride, I want to to hold your hand, Lady Madonna, Ob-La-De-Ob-La-Da, Love me do, Twist and Shout, While my guitar gently weeps, Octopus’s Garden, I am the Walrus, Come Together, Can’t buy me love, All you need love, Drive my Car, I saw her standing there, Yesterday, Sgt Peppers lonely Heat club band, A little help from my friends, Revolution, Tax man, Helter Skelter, Get back
- Name Albums by the Beatles? Abbey Road, Rubber Soul, White Album, Revolver, Sgt Peppers lonely heart club band, Let it Be, Help, Please Please me, A hard days night, Yellow Submarine, Magical Mystery Tour
Sherlock Holmes

Sherlock Holmes is a fictional private detective created by British author Sir Arthur Conan Doyle. Referring to himself as a "consulting detective" in the stories, Holmes is known for his proficiency with observation, deduction, forensic science, and logical reasoning that borders on the fantastic, which he employs when investigating cases for a wide variety of clients, including Scotland Yard.

First appearing in print in 1887's A Study in Scarlet, the character's popularity became widespread with the first series of short stories in The Strand Magazine, beginning with "A Scandal in Bohemia" in 1891; additional tales appeared from then until 1927, eventually totaling four novels and 56 short stories. All but one are set in the Victorian or Edwardian eras, between about 1880 and 1914. Most are narrated by the character of Holmes's friend and biographer Dr. John H. Watson, who usually accompanies Holmes during his investigations and often shares quarters with him at the address of 221B Baker Street, London, where many of the stories begin.

- Name actors who have played Sherlock Holmes? Tom Baker, Peter O'Toole, Peter Cushing, Basil Rathbone, Benedict Cumberbatch, Roger Moore, Michael Caine
- Things associated with Sherlock Holmes? Pipe, Deer Stalker hat, Baker Street, Irene Adler, Cloak, Violin Dr Watson, Magnifying Glass
Dr Watson

John H. Watson, known as Dr. Watson, is a fictional character in the Sherlock Holmes stories by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle. Watson is Sherlock Holmes' friend, assistant and sometime flatmate, and the first person narrator of all but four of these stories. He is described as a typical Victorian-era gentleman, unlike the more eccentric Holmes. He is astute, although he fails to match his friend's deductive skills. Whilst retaining his role as Holmes's friend and confidant, Watson has been adapted in various films, television series, video games, comics and radio programmes.

- Books/Adaptations in the Sherlock Holmes series?
  A study in Scarlet, The sign of the Four, The Hound of the Baskervilles, The Valley of Fear
- Characters associated with Sherlock Holmes? Jim Moriarty, Irene Adler, Mycroft Holmes, Mrs Hudson, Mary Watson,
- Actors who have played Dr Watson? James Mason, Martin Freeman, John Mills, Jude Law, Edward Hardwicke, Dudley Moore, Ben Kingsley
Bonnie Parker

Bonnie Elizabeth Parker (October 1, 1910 – May 23, 1934) and Clyde Champion Barrow (March 24, 1909 – May 23, 1934) were an American criminal couple who traveled the Central United States with their gang during the Great Depression, known for their bank robberies, although they preferred to rob small stores or rural gas stations. Their exploits captured the attention of the American press and its readership during what is occasionally referred to as the "public enemy era" between 1931 and 1934. They are believed to have murdered at least nine police officers and four civilians. They were killed in May 1934 during an ambush by police near Gibsland, Louisiana.

She was present at 100 or more felonies during the two years that she was Barrow's companion although she was not the cigar-smoking, machine gun-wielding killer depicted in newspapers, newsreels, and pulp detective magazines of the day. Nonetheless, numerous police accounts detail her attempts to murder police officers (although gang member W.D. Jones contradicted them at trial). The picture of Parker smoking a cigar came from an undeveloped roll of negatives that police found at an abandoned hideout, and the snapshot was published nationwide. Parker did chain smoke Camel cigarettes, although she never smoked cigars.

- Actors and Actresses that have played Bonnie and Clyde? William Witney, Dorothy Provine, Warren Beatty and Faye
Clyde Barrow

Clyde Champion Barrow was born in 1909 into a poor farming family in Ellis County, Texas, southeast of Dallas. He was the fifth of seven children of Henry Basil Barrow (1874–1957) and Cumie Talitha Walker (1874–1942). The family moved to Dallas in the early 1920s, part of a migration pattern from rural areas to the city where many settled in the urban slum of West Dallas. The Barrows spent their first months in West Dallas living under their wagon until they got enough money to buy a tent.

Barrow was first arrested in late 1926, at age 17, after running when police confronted him over a rental car that he had failed to return on time. His second arrest was with brother Buck Barrow soon after for possession of stolen turkeys. Barrow had some legitimate jobs during 1927 through 1929, but he also cracked safes, robbed stores, and stole cars. He met 19 year-old Parker through a mutual friend in January 1930, and they spent much time together during the following weeks. Their romance was interrupted when Barrow was arrested and convicted of auto theft.

In order to avoid hard labor in the fields, Barrow purposely had his two toes chopped off by either him or another inmate in late January 1932. Because of this, he walked with a limp for the rest of his life.

- Name other notorious villains? Al Capone, Billy the Kid, John Dillinger, The Kray Twins, Reggie Yates, Jesse James
Stan Laurel

Stan Laurel (born Arthur Stanley Jefferson; 16 June 1890 – 23 February 1965) was an English comic actor, writer, and film director who was part of the comedy duo Laurel and Hardy. He appeared with his comedy partner Oliver Hardy in 107 short films, feature films, and cameo roles.

Laurel began his career in music hall, where he developed a number of his standard comic devices, including the bowler hat, the deep comic gravity, and the nonsensical understatement. His performances polished his skills at pantomime and music hall sketches. He was a member of "Fred Karno's Army", where he was Charlie Chaplin's understudy. He and Chaplin arrived in the United States on the same ship from the United Kingdom with the Karno troupe. Laurel began his film career in 1917 and made his final appearance in 1951. He appeared with his comic partner Oliver Hardy in the film short *The Lucky Dog* in 1921, although they did not become an official team until late 1927. He then appeared exclusively with Hardy until retiring following his comedy partner's death in 1957.

- Name British comedy duos? French and Saunders, Two Ronnies, Baddiel and Skinner, Morcombe and Wise, Vic and Bob, Cannon and Ball, Fry and Laurie, Chuckle brothers, Little and Large, Flanders and Swann, Arthur Lowe and John Le Mesurier, The Likely Lads (Rodney Bewes and James Bolam) Rik Mayall and Ade Edmundson, Steptoe and Son, Peter Cook and Dudley Moore, Smith and Jones, Hale and Pace, Harry Enfield and Paul Whitehouse, Flannagan and Alan, The Crankies, Ant and Dec.
Oliver Hardy

Oliver Norvell Hardy (born Norvell Hardy, January 18, 1892 – August 7, 1957) was an American comic actor and one half of Laurel and Hardy, the double act that began in the era of silent films and lasted from 1927 to 1955. He appeared with his comedy partner Stan Laurel in 107 short films, feature films, and cameo roles. He was credited with his first film *Outwitting Dad* in 1914. In most of his silent films before joining producer Hal Roach, he was billed on screen as "Babe Hardy”

- Name American double acts? Bob Hope and Bing Crosby, Abbott and Costello, Dean Martin and Jerry Lewis, John Belushi and Dan Aykroyd, Jack Lemmon and Walter Mathu, Woody Allen and Diane Keaton, Gene Wilder and Richard Prior, Lucille Ball and Ethel Mertz, Sonny and Cher, Bert And Ernie
“Tom”

*Tom and Jerry* is an American animated franchise and series of comedy short films created in 1940 by William Hanna and Joseph Barbera. Best known for its 161 theatrical short films by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, the series centers on a friendship/rivalry (a love-hate relationship) between the title characters Tom, a cat, and Jerry, a mouse. Many shorts also feature several recurring characters.


- Name Hanna Barbera cartoon characters? Fred Flintstone, Wilma Flintsone, Barney Rubble, Betty Rubble, Dino, Bam Bam, Pebbles, Dastardly and Mutley, The ant hill mob, Penelope Pit Stop, Top Cat, Yogi Bear, Boo Boo, Scooby Doo, Scrappy Doo, Fred, Velma, Huckleberry Hound, The Jetsons, popeye, Olive oil, Bluto
- Name children’s TV shows? Blue Peter, The Klangers, Thomas the tank engine, Watch with mother, bill and ben, Andy Pandy, Muffin the Mule, Bagpuss, Teletubbies, Postman Pat, Biker Grove, Grange Hill, Fireman Sam, Crackerjack, Peppa pig, Pingu, Button moon, Wind in the willows, dangermouse, Stingray, Thunderbirds, Captain Scarlett, Playschool, Newsround, magic Roundabout, Tiswas, Jackanory, Rentaghost, Camberwick Green,
Jerry Mouse

Jerry Mouse is a fictional character and one of the two titular main protagonists (the other being Tom Cat) in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's series of *Tom and Jerry* theatrical animated short films. Created by William Hanna and Joseph Barbera, Jerry is a brown mute anthropomorphic house mouse, who first appeared as a mouse named Jinx in the 1940 MGM animated short *Puss Gets the Boot*. Hanna gave the mouse's original name as "Jinx", while Barbera claimed the mouse went unnamed in his first appearance.

- **Name Disney films?** *The lion king*, *Snow white and the seven dwarves*, *101 Dalmatians*, *Peter Pan*, *Frozen*, *The Little Mermaid*, *Lady and the Tramp*, *The Princess and the frog*, *Fantasia*, *The Jungle book*, *Aladdin*, *Dumbo*, *Cinderella*, *Pinocchio*, *Pocohontas*, *Aristocats*, *Sleeping Beauty*, *The Sword in the Stone*, *Robin Hood*, *Alice in wonderland*, *Bambi*

- **Name Disney Characters?** *Mickey Mouse*, *Donald Duck*, *Daisy Duck*, *Minnie Mouse*, *Pluto*, *Goofy*, *Baloo*, *King Louis*, *Mogli*, *Bambi*, *Thumpa*, *Snow White*, *The Evil Queen*, *Malificent*, *happy*, *Grumpy*, *Sleepy*, *Dopey*, *Bashful*, *Sneezy* and *Doc*, *Cruella de Vil*, *ongo and perdita*, *Captain Hook*, *Smee*, *The lost Boys*, *Wendy*, *Nana*, *The mad hatter*, *The march hair*, *Cheshire cat*, *White Rabbit*, *Queen of hearts*, *Tweedle dum and Tweedle Dee*, *Simba*,
Richard Burton

Richard Burton, CBE born Richard Walter Jenkins Jr.; 10 November 1925 – 5 August 1984) was a Welsh actor.[1] Noted for his mellifluous baritone voice, Burton established himself as a formidable Shakespearean actor in the 1950s, and he gave a memorable performance of Hamlet in 1964. He was called "the natural successor to Olivier" by critic and dramaturge Kenneth Tynan.

Burton was nominated for an Academy Award seven times, but never won an Oscar. He was a recipient of BAFTAs, Golden Globes, and Tony Awards for Best Actor. In the mid-1960s, Burton ascended into the ranks of the top box office stars. By the late 1960s, Burton was one of the highest-paid actors in the world, receiving fees of $1 million or more plus a share of the gross receipts. Burton remained closely associated in the public consciousness with his second wife, actress Elizabeth Taylor. The couple's turbulent relationship was rarely out of the news.

- Name Shakespeare plays? Hamlet, Merchant of Venice, Taming of the Shrew, King Lear, Macbeth, Richard the third, henry 5th, the merry wives of Windsor, Midsummer night’s dream, Othello, Romeo and Juliet, Much ado about nothing, Anthony and Cleopatra, Comedy of errors, measure for measure, the tempest, As you like it, The Tempest
Elizabeth Taylor

Dame Elizabeth Rosemond Taylor DBE (February 27, 1932 – March 23, 2011) was a British-American actress, businesswoman, and humanitarian. She began her career as a child actress in the early 1940s, and was one of the most popular stars of classical Hollywood cinema in the 1950s. She continued her career successfully into the 1960s, and remained a well-known public figure for the rest of her life. In 1999, the American Film Institute named her the seventh-greatest female screen legend.

Born in London to socially prominent American parents, Taylor moved with her family to Los Angeles in 1939. She was signed by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer.

- Name Elizabeth Taylor Films? National Velvet, Cleopatra, Cat on a hot tin roof, Who’s afraid of Virginia Woolf?, Giant, Butterfield 8, A place in the sun,