

Can You Believe It? Book 3 Quizzes

Can You Believe It? Book 3
QUIZ: Unit 1 pp. 2-7

Name _____

A. STORY QUESTIONS: Circle the answer that best completes the sentence.
(3 points)

1. Campbell _____.

- a. follows the crowd
- b. took out the seats from his plane
- c. has met his soul mate

2. Campbell's bathrooms are tiny. _____, the cabin is huge.

- a. Instead of
- b. On the other hand
- c. At present

3. Campbell is a bachelor _____.

- a. on the other hand
- b. at present
- c. soul mate

B. Fill in each blank with one or two words. (4 points)

Yesterday, Jose decided to clean his bedroom. He took all his clothes and shoes _____ the closet. He found a gold ring on the floor. "Who does this _____ to?" he wondered. He showed the ring to his wife, who pointed _____ that her uncle had stayed in the room a few months ago. "_____ if he lost it while he was here?" she asked. She called her uncle right away. "I've been looking for that ring for months!" he cried. "Thank you!"

C. Complete the sentences so they are true for you. (3 points)

1. Last week I paid _____ for _____.

2. Tonight I plan on _____.

3. I'm very enthusiastic _____.

Can You Believe It? Book 3
QUIZ: Unit 2 pp. 8–13

Name _____

A. STORY QUESTIONS: Circle the answer that best completes the sentence.
(3 points)

1. When Henry Snowden _____ Burger King, he got a big surprise.

- a. went back
- b. pulled into
- c. looked at

2. Henry didn't know what to do with the bag of money, so he went home _____.

- a. to sleep on it
- b. by mistake
- c. and gave it back

3. Henry now has _____.

- a. a clear conscience
- b. the wrong paper bag
- c. got to

B. Fill in each blank with one or two words. (5 points)

Monica, now a New Yorker, lived in Mexico City ten years ago. Last month, she went _____ her old neighborhood in Mexico City for a visit. She visited her best friend, Lupe, _____ the bat. "I'm as hungry as _____," she told Lupe. "Let's eat _____." They decided to eat at La Cantina, a restaurant near Monica's old house. The owner remembered Monica, and gave her dinner on _____ house.

C. Complete the sentences so they are true for you. (2 points)

1. I've got to _____ as soon as possible.

2. I enjoy eating _____ as well _____.

Can You Believe It? Book 3
QUIZ: Unit 3 pp. 14–19

Name _____

A. STORY QUESTIONS: Circle the answer that best completes the sentence.
(3 points)

1. Julia Butterfly has spent two years _____.

- a. trying to save a tree
- b. live in a tree
- c. save a redwood tree in California

2. Butterfly is _____ redwood forests.

- a. going head to head with
- b. taking a stand for
- c. putting up with

3. Butterfly is looking forward _____ a shower.

- a. to take
- b. to taking
- c. take

B. Fill in each blank with one or two words. (4 points)

Bill went camping for a week in the middle of winter. It was cold and snowy. He

_____ down a few small trees to make a fire and kept it going _____

clock. He _____ in touch _____ his family with his cell phone.

C. Complete the sentences so they are true for you. (3 points)

1. I would _____ out on a limb for _____.

2. According _____, I am _____.

3. It's hard for me to put up _____ because _____

_____.

Can You Believe It? Book 3
QUIZ: Unit 4 pp. 20–25

Name _____

A. STORY QUESTIONS: Circle the answer that best completes the sentence.
(2 points)

1. When Tom Whittaker first tried to climb Mount Everest, bad weather _____.

- a. forced him back
- b. broke new ground
- c. backed him up

2. Whittaker arrived on top of the mountain just as the sun came _____.

- a. up
- b. back
- c. over

B. Fill in each blank with one or two words. (5 points)

Texas-born Lance Armstrong had already won many bicycle races when he received the terrible news, in 1996, that he had testicular cancer. The cancer had spread to his lung and brain. It was _____ pill to swallow. "At first I was angry, but I refused to give _____. I felt motivated to get better," said Armstrong. He _____ sights on beating his cancer and getting back on his bicycle. In 1999, Armstrong _____ history by winning the Tour de France, Europe's most important bicycle race. He was _____ of the world! Armstrong's experience has made him "a better man, just like all survivors."

C. Complete the sentences so they are true for you. (3 points)

1. I have my heart set _____.

2. I am going to make an attempt _____.

3. I admire _____ because he/she broke new ground _____.

_____.

Can You Believe It? Book 3
QUIZ: Unit 5 pp. 26–31

Name _____

A. STORY QUESTIONS: Circle the answer that best completes the sentence.
(3 points)

1. When Aaron Hall heard the scream, he turned around and _____.

- a. had a close call
- b. backed off
- c. got the shock of his life

2. When Hall saw the lion, he reacted _____.

- a. in a flash
- b. at first glance
- c. a close call

3. Hall fought _____.

- a. nail and tooth
- b. tooth and nail
- c. teeth and nails

B. Fill in each blank with one or two words. (5 points)

Julie and her husband Peter set _____ a car trip to the Grand Canyon. Julie was driving; Peter _____ charge of the map. When they entered the park, Julie stopped on the side of the road to rest. As they were eating their lunch at a picnic table, they looked up and saw a brown bear standing in front _____ them. The bear put its paw on Peter's sandwich. Peter let _____ of the sandwich and screamed. The bear backed _____.

C. Complete the sentences so they are true for you. (2 points)

1. People tell me I look like _____.

2. I _____ scared of _____.

Can You Believe It? Book 3
QUIZ: Unit 6 pp. 32–37

Name _____

A. STORY QUESTIONS: Circle the answer that best completes the sentence.
(3 points)

1. The Nazis burned _____.

- a. Anna's house down
- b. down Anna and her baby
- c. down in 1941

2. Anna lived _____.

- a. for the war
- b. the war through
- c. through the war

3. In 1989, Ann and Ludmilla began to make plans _____.

- a. to a reunion in Boston
- b. for a reunion
- c. face-to-face

B. Fill in each blank with one or two words. (5 points)

Sandra and Jim got married ten years ago. Both of them love children. Year _____ year, they tried unsuccessfully to have a baby. But Sandra has just found _____ that she _____ pregnant. It's a dream _____ true. She'll _____ birth this summer.

C. Complete the sentences so they are true for you. (2 points)

1. Last week I got together _____ for

_____.

2. I'm always searching _____.

Can You Believe It? Book 3
QUIZ: Unit 7 pp. 38–43

Name _____

A. STORY QUESTIONS: Circle the answer that best completes the sentence.
(2 points)

1. When Gertrude and John Knight saw their cement frog was gone, they thought some kids had ripped _____.

- a. them off
- b. off them
- c. off it

2. The Knights _____ from the frog as he traveled around the world.

- a. dropped a line
- b. heard
- c. got a kick

B. Fill in each blank with one or two words. (4 points)

Barbara is a globe-_____ businesswoman. She often travels to Asia, South America, and Africa. She's _____ sport wherever she goes. She laughs at herself when she makes mistakes in different cultures. "I love seeing the world and getting _____ from the office," she says. "But I'm really sick _____ spending so much time in airports."

C. Complete the sentences so they are true for you. (4 points)

1. I always _____ a kick out _____.

2. _____ sometimes _____ me a line.

3. I used to think _____,

but I have _____ mind.

4. I don't _____ clue how to _____.

Can You Believe It? Book 3
QUIZ: Unit 8 pp. 50–55

Name _____

A. STORY QUESTIONS: Circle the answer that best completes the sentence.
(3 points)

1. When the emu first saw Ed Stuardi, she _____ him.

- A. felt madly in love with
- b. felt madly in love for
- c. fell madly in love with

2. When Ed Stuardi began to feed the emu, he didn't know he was _____.

- a. asking for trouble
- b. driving him crazy
- c. getting involved

3. The police told Ed that they couldn't _____.

- a. get involved
- b. ask for trouble
- c. drive him crazy

B. Fill in each blank with one or two words. (5 points)

Ellen's neighbors have a very large dog. Ellen _____ stiff of him. Whenever she goes _____ of her house, the dog runs over to her. Ellen tries to keep him _____, but the dog is strong and jumps up on her. The situation is going from bad _____. Ellen has decided to call the police to see if they can _____ her out.

C. Complete the sentences so they are true for you. (2 points)

1. I usually show _____ at this class at _____.

2. I'd like to get more involved _____.

Can You Believe It? Book 3
QUIZ: Unit 9 pp. 56–61

Name _____

A. STORY QUESTIONS: Circle the answer that best completes the sentence.
(3 points)

1. When David Weinlick decided to marry, he _____.

- a. was going out with someone
- b. handed invitations out
- c. was sick and tired

2. When they heard about the bridal competition, some people thought David was _____.

- a. out of his mind
- b. flying high
- c. sick and tired

3. After the wedding, the bride _____.

- a. flying high
- b. tied the knot
- c. hit it off with her husband

B. Fill in each blank with one or two words. (5 points)

Bob and Sue went _____ for many years. Whenever Bob asked Sue to marry him, Sue laughed, making _____ of his question. Finally, after seven years, Sue agreed to _____ married. She spent a month getting ready _____ the wedding. It _____ place last weekend.

C. Complete the sentences so they are true for you. (2 points)

1. I'm sick and tired _____.

2. When I met _____, I really hit it off _____ because _____.

Can You Believe It? Book 3
QUIZ: Unit 10 pp. 62–67

Name _____

A. STORY QUESTIONS: Circle the answer that best completes the sentence.
(2 points)

1. When Mike Quintana fought with the teenagers, he got _____.

- a. the upper hand
- b. red-handed
- c. rid of them

2. Quintana is paying the price _____.

- a. for spraying the boys with red paint
- b. losing his cool
- c. for being arrested

B. Fill in each blank with one or two words. (5 points)

June shares a room with her sister, Vicky. June is very messy. Vicky is neat and clean.

Yesterday, June couldn't find her new magazine. She looked _____ it all
_____ place. She asked her sister if she had seen the magazine. "It was on the
floor. I _____ rid of it," Vicky said. June _____ the ceiling. "Why do you
throw away all my things? June said. "This is _____ straw!"

C. Complete the sentences so they are true for you. (3 points)

1. I'd like to do away _____ in the world.

2. I see red when _____.

3. I can't stand _____ because _____.

Can You Believe It? Book 3
QUIZ: Unit 11 pp. 68–73

Name _____

A. STORY QUESTIONS: Circle the answer that best completes the sentence.
(3 points)

1. In 1990, the Grants bought a horse and wagon and _____.

- a. hit the road
- b. a pipe dream
- c. drove them away

2. In Slovenia, the family ran _____.

- a. to a good start
- b. into some problems
- c. on the road

3. Kate Grant says she's ready _____.

- a. to go on the road
- b. to settle down
- c. for red tape

B. Fill in each blank with one or two words. (5 points)

Maria saved her money for many years so she could take a trip around the world. Her trip _____ to a very good start in Russia. Maria made many friends there. She went out of her _____ to visit Siberia and continued on to China and Japan. The last _____ of her trip was hard because she lost all her money. But Maria is safely home now. She was _____ road for a total of eight months. "My trip was truly out _____ ordinary," she says.

C. Complete the sentences so they are true for you. (2 points)

1. I dream of _____ in the future.

2. It's not easy for me to keep up with _____ because

_____.

Can You Believe It? Book 3
QUIZ: Unit 12 pp. 74–79

Name _____

A. STORY QUESTIONS: Circle the answer that best completes the sentence.
(3 points)

1. When you arrive at Jules' Undersea Lodge, your clothes are wet, so you need to _____.

- a. keep them out
- b. take off them
- c. dry off

2. In the hotel, you can watch hundreds of fish _____ by.

- a. go
- b. take
- c. keep

3. The hotel gives _____.

- a. guests the carpet treatment
- b. you the red-carpet treatment
- c. red-carpet treatment

B. Fill in each blank with one or two words. (4 points)

The Lee family took a vacation in Miami, Florida. They stayed in a wonderful hotel. When they _____ in, the hotel gave them a box of chocolates. Every morning, when they woke _____, breakfast was delivered to their room. The hotel pool was open _____ all times, and they sometimes swam at midnight. "That hotel," says Mr. Lee, "is a one-of-a-_____ place."

C. Complete the sentences so they are true for you. (3 points)

1. _____ is not my _____ tea.
2. I paid _____ the nose _____ my _____.
3. I have a ball when _____.

Can You Believe It? Book 3
QUIZ: Unit 13 pp. 80–85

Name _____

A. STORY QUESTIONS: Circle the answer that best completes the sentence.
(3 points)

1. When Figen saw Dan's photo for the first time, she wasn't _____.

- a. nervous
- b. nuts
- c. disappointed by it

2. Figen and Dan knew it was the real thing when they first _____ on each other.

- a. set eyes
- b. sat eyes
- c. set an eye

3. Dan went to Turkey and asked for _____.

- a. the marriage
- b. Figen's hand
- c. Figen's parents

B. Fill in each blank with one or two words. (4 points)

Sam is nervous _____ his job. He doesn't have a good relationship with his boss, Mr.

Beck. Because Mr. Beck is not a good communicator, Sam is always trying to read _____

the lines. Sam thinks he may be fired _____ long. When Sam tells a coworker about his

fears, she says, "Then we're in _____ boat! I have the same feeling."

C. Complete the sentences so they are true for you. (3 points)

1. I have a lot in common _____; we both
_____.

2. I am sometimes _____ edge when _____.

3. I'd like to make _____ trip to _____.

Can You Believe It? Book 3
QUIZ: Unit 14 pp. 86–91

Name _____

A. STORY QUESTIONS: Circle the answer that best completes the sentence.
(3 points)

1. Viktor Zazykov had trouble with his elbow when he was on _____.

- a. the first leg of the race
- b. a violent storm
- c. his element

2. Dr. Carlin _____ out the steps of Viktor's surgery in an e-mail.

- a. laid
- b. passed
- c. put

3. When Viktor began the surgery on his arm, he followed the doctor's orders _____.

- a. for the letter
- b. to the letters
- c. to the letter

B. Fill in each blank with one or two words. (5 points)

Barbara began to feel sick _____ middle of her final examinations. She had a bad headache. But she continued the exam, keeping _____ upper lip. After twenty minutes, her eyes were unable to focus on the paper. "Everything is _____ wrong," she thought. Then she passed _____. Barbara was taken to the hospital. She was very sick for a week, but is now _____ the woods.

C. Complete the sentences so they are true for you. (2 points)

1. I'm _____ my element when _____.

2. There are many problems in the world. I'm especially concerned _____

_____.