

# Big Quiz

**BEST LIVES**  
AT 35

**Test your team's knowledge of the past 35 years with this 35-question quiz. There's one question for each year, 1988 – 2022, focussing on our charity's history and pop culture!**

Pick your quiz masters and don't peek – the answers are on page 3.

1. We were founded in 1988 to support people to live independently in their communities, what is the name of our founder?
2. Which Christmas classic was one of the top ten tracks of 1989?
3. What was the highest grossing film of 1990?
4. What three types of support services grew for us during 1991?
5. Who was Prime Minister in 1992?
6. Which area did we expand into in 1993?
7. What was the biggest selling toy in the UK in 1994?
8. In 1995 a new law was introduced, giving people with disabilities more rights in the workplace. What is this called?
9. Which popular football song released in 1996 has become the first song in history to have four separate stints at number one in the UK?
10. In which City was our first service in Scotland opened in 1997?
11. In 1998 which Harry Potter book was released?
12. Which London landmark was formally opened on 31 December 1999?
13. Who released 'It's my Life' in 2000?
14. In 2001 the 'world's largest greenhouse' was opened in Cornwall. What is this called?
15. Who became the first Black actress to win the Academy Award for Best Actress in 2002?
16. Which show made its debut on Broadway in 2003?





17. Which month in 2004 did the Spirit Rover land on Mars?
18. Which online media platform launched in 2005?
19. What animal took a dip in the River Thames in 2006?
20. Which must have gadget first launched in 2007?
21. In 2008 we celebrated our 20th birthday, which UK Grammy-winning female artist also turned 20 then?
22. Which North East football club was our first sporting partnership with?
23. Who won the Wimbledon Women's Singles in 2010?
24. Dubbed by the media as the 'wedding of the century', Prince William and Kate Middleton tied in the knot in 2011. Which month did they wed?
25. In 2012 which Team GB Paralympian won gold in the 400m freestyle and 200m Individual Medley?
26. In 2013 we marked our 25 years with an exciting rebrand. What are our brand colours?
27. In 2014 a viral campaign launched to raise awareness of a motor neuron disease, what was it?
28. In 2015 we launched the golden thread, what did this focus on? A. Person-centred care, B. Recruitment, C. Partnerships
29. Which actor won his first Oscar in 2016 for The Revenant?
30. In 2017 which country announced it would plant 1 million trees per year for the next decade?
31. In 2018 we launched We Dare, what are our five values that this is based on?
32. In 2019 we won Charity Times Charity of the Year, who collected this award?
33. In the midst of the pandemic, which UK artist had the biggest album sales in 2020?
34. What is the name of our EDI report, launched in 2021?
35. How many Regional GB Care Awards were our colleagues and teams shortlisted for in 2022?



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## Answers

1. Dr David Robertson
2. Do they know it's Christmas, Band Aid
3. Ghost
4. Learning disability, mental health and older people's services.
5. John Major
6. North East/Darlington
7. Power Rangers
8. Disability Discrimination Act
9. Three Lions
10. Edinburgh
11. Chamber of Secrets
12. London Eye
13. Bon Jovi
14. The Eden Project
15. Halle Berry
16. Wicked
17. January
18. YouTube
19. A whale
20. iPhone
21. Adele
22. Middlesbrough FC
23. Serena Williams
24. April
25. Ellie Simmonds
26. Pink, blue, orange
27. ALS Ice bucket challenge
28. A. Person-centred care
29. Leonardo Dicaprio
30. New Zealand
31. Include, Deliver, Aspire, Respect, Enable
32. Mark Adams
33. Lewis Capaldi
34. A Place I Belong
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