

SHOUT Quiz: Movies in Quarantino

Your daily life decides which movie you should watch right now

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Locked down and bored? Worry not, take a look at your daily habits in the pandemic and let this quiz tell you what movie you should watch to kill more time. Points in parentheses; accumulate as you go.

1. *What does your morning routine look like?*

- A. Time is an illusion; mornings are a myth. (5)
- B. Straight to work/class, out of bed. I have got to earn that bread. (10)
- C. I'm surprised if I'm up by 2 PM. (5)
- D. I have no routine. Every day is a new adventure. (0)

2. *What have you been doing the most lately?*

- A. Sleeping is the new doing. (0)
- B. Studying... Just, studying. (10)
- C. Working out. Need to lose that pre-lockdown weight. (5)
- D. Busy launching my own business, on my way to taking over the world. (5)

3. *What is your go-to snack these days?*

- A. Potato Crackers and its deshi/international variants. (0)
- B. Healthy and fresh home-cooked food. I love you, Mom. (10)
- C. "FoodPanda dichhe darun shob offers! Aaj e download korun amader mobile app!! AH!!!!" (5)
- D. I don't snack, I feast. (0)

4. *What new skill have you been learning since quarantine began?*

- A. People are acquiring new skills now? (0)
- B. Baking/cooking/doing the dishes with minimal soap. (5)
- C. Is trying to keep my life together a skill? (10)
- D. 50% music, 50% art, 100% talent doing my part. (5)

5. *Pick a skill/talent you'd like to have.*

- A. Be able to know when this pandemic will end. (10)
- B. Be SUPER good at Maths. (0)
- C. Speak every language, *minha amiga*. (5)
- D. Online shopping without having to see



ads for that product in my newsfeed later on. (10)

6. *What do you spend most of your time binging?*

- A. My 94th rerun of Friends. (0)
- B. TikTok, all around the clock. (5)
- C. True crime documentaries/Conspiracy theory shows on Netflix. (0)
- D. MasterChef Australia. (10)

7. *Any silver linings in this pandemic for you?*

- A. Finally getting back to that to-be-read list. (0)
- B. Working on myself and my mental health. (10)
- C. Getting to discover the full extent of my patience. (5)
- D. Absolutely none. (0)

8. *If you could have wings, what would you want them to be made of?*

- A. Feathers? (10)
- B. My hopes and dreams. (0)
- C. Vibranium. (5)
- D. You mean, chicken wings? (0)

9. *Is daydreaming a big part of your quarantine routine?*

- A. I don't need to be in quarantine to

daydream. (5)

- B. Just the right amount, after 2 AM. (0)
- C. I only grind #hustle. (10)
- D. What's daydreaming? (10)

10. *If you could ever be a part of a movie crew, what would you want your work to be?*

- A. The mic guy. (0)
- B. I am nothing if not a thespian. The actor. (10)
- C. Christopher Nolan. (5)
- D. Props manager. (5)

11. *What kind of books have you been reading in quarantine?*

- A. Critically acclaimed novels. (10)
- B. I only read e-books. (0)
- C. Precalculus: Concepts Through Functions, 4th Edition, Michael Sullivan. (0)
- D. Do audiobooks count as reading? (5)

12. *If you had to go anywhere after the pandemic, where would it be?*

- A. Jamuna Future Park. (0)
- B. The mountains or the beach. (10)
- C. Literally anywhere as long as it's a trip with my family and/or friends. (5)
- D. Need to see what vacation package 20 taka in savings will buy me. (0)

13. *How many TV shows have you watched since the lockdown?*

- A. Was too busy watching to be counting. (10)
- B. Between 30 and 40. (10)
- C. Exactly six seasons of a show, and a movie. (5)
- D. Not patient enough to watch TV. (0)

14. *Which film genre do you relate your quarantine experience to?*

- A. Thriller. (10)
- B. Romance. (0)
- C. Drama. (5)
- D. Post-apocalyptic fiction. (10)

15. *Which one of your quarantine habits would you like to carry post-pandemic?*

- A. Working out. (10)
- B. Baking/cooking/helping in household chores. (10)
- C. Reading books/watching stuff more. (5)
- D. You guys picked up habits? (0)

Based on your total score, if you get...

Less than 50

Thriller/Horror: Hopefully unlike the future. Watch *The Lighthouse* (2019) and Jordan Peele's *Get Out* (2017) or *Us* (2019). We also recommend *Rebecca* but the one by Alfred Hitchcock.

Between 50 and 100

Drama: Life's all about the drama. *Kramer vs. Kramer* (1979) is a classic you can't miss. Check out the Japanese drama *Shoplifters* (2018), and this year's Academy Award for Best Picture winner *Nomadland* (2020).

More than 100

Rom com/Feel good: Awesome! You've earned it. Get your snacks ready, Google "feel good movies" and pick any. We do, however, highly recommend Studio Ghibli movies and *Shrek* (2001).

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