1. **On one song, an artist with this surname sings “all my designs simplified, and all of my plans compromised, all of my dreams sacrificed”. That artist fronts the band that recorded the songs “Blackest Eyes”, “The Sound of Muzak”, and “Trains” on their 2002 album *In Absentia*. A song about a person with this surname includes the allusion-filled lyrics “Dr. Landy tell me you’re not just a pedagogue” and describes how “I’ll be out in my sandbox”. An artist with this surname never released an album that would have featured the song (\*)** “Heroes and Villains”, *Smile*, because of mental health issues that led him to retreat from a band he had founded with his brothers Dennis and Carl. That band also recorded a song with the lyrics “you know it's gonna make it that much better, when we can say goodnight and stay together”. For ten points, identify this surname of the writer of the song “Wouldn’t It Be Nice”, Brian, and three members of the Beach Boys.

ANSWER: **Wilson**

2. **In their video “The Existential Horror of” this YouTuber, Big Joel describes how their early videos lack structure that is “too boring to fake” and involve eating lots of gains bowls. A video by this YouTuber begins with them discussing their great-aunt’s death, which is followed by a nerf gun montage. This YouTuber sells socks with his pet bird on them and hoodies that have the phrase “dent the universe” on the back under his clothing brand (\*)** Maverick. During one part of an infamous series of videos, this Youtuber and friends ran around a city in Pokémon outfits. That video was followed by an incredibly controversial and exploitative vlog in which they wore a *Toy Story*-alien hat and disregarded local advice and went off trail. For ten points, identify this Youtuber who reached millions of views on a video shot in the “suicide forest” of Aokigahara before it was removed.

ANSWER: **L**ogan **Paul**

3. **The protagonist of this movie lies about having knowledge about Operation Grand Slam to escape the fate of Tilly Masterson. After Felix meets with the protagonist poolside in Miami, he delivers the classically sexist line “man talk” and turns away a girl who was giving him a backrub. While the protagonist of this movie infiltrates a drug lab somewhere in Latin America, he throws a henchman into a bathtub and throws a camera that kills him, and quips (\*)** “shocking”. After that first scene of this movie, a sequence that probably wouldn’t be made now shows clips from the movie projected onto women in body paint. In the finale of this movie, the title villain, who set up the protagonist under a laser and expects him to die, places a dirty bomb during a showdown in Fort Knox. For ten points, identify this third James Bond movie starring Sean Connery about a villain obsessed with a precious metal.

ANSWER: ***Goldfinger***

4. **In September 2017, this player came off the bench to throw a touchdown pass in a 41-10 win over Fresno State. This quarterback has played with a knee brace since spraining his right knee in an October 2018 game, and has re-aggravated it in multiple games since. In the second half of one game, this quarterback threw a 6-yard touchdown pass to (\*)** Henry Ruggs III and a 7-yard touchdown to Calvin Ridley. After Davin Bellamy sacked him for a 16-yard loss, this player threw a 41-yard touchdown pass to DeVonta Smith on 2nd and 26. This left-hander starts ahead of Jalen Hurts, whom he replaced at halftime of the National Championship game in January 2018 to lead a comeback win. For ten points, name this frontrunner for the 2018 Heisman Trophy, a Hawai’ian quarterback for Alabama.

ANSWER: Tua **Tagovailoa** (pronounced “Tungovailoa”)

5. **The Lunch Rush cafeteria serves people attending one of this kind of institution. Warren Peace is an unpopular attendee of this kind of institution because of his imprisoned father. It’s not from House, but one employee of this kind of institution named Thirteen wears a space suit and big yellow sneakers at all times. A ridiculously dangerous test given to new recruits by a coach played by (\*)** Bruce Campbell at this kind of institution sorts them by dropping a car from the ceiling and testing their reaction. One protagonist attends one of these institutions after being mentored by future employee All Might, while Will Stronghold takes a flying bus to one of these institutions that’s floating in the air because of expectations from his dad played by Kurt Russell. For ten points, identify this kind of institution, featured in a popular anime about Izuku “Deku” Midoriya associated with the motto Plus Ultra and in the Disney movie *Sky High*.

ANSWER: a high **school** for super**heroes** (prompt and ask “who goes there” on just “school” or “high school”)

6. *Year or location required*. **These were the second Olympics for gymnast Vĕra Čáslavská, who won four gold medals. Ed Caruthers and Klaus Beer each won a silver medal at these Games. Australian Peter Norman wore a notable badge at these Olympics and was alleged to have been ostracised upon returning home. A world record established at these Games was not broken until 1991 by Mike Powell. These were the Olympics at which the (\*)** long jump world record was demolished by Bob Beamon, and at which Dick Fosbury won high jump gold by debuting his namesake flop. These Olympics were held the same year as the Grenoble Winter Games and four years after the first Tokyo Games. For ten points, identify these Olympics, at which American medalists Tommie Smith and John Carlos raised black-gloved fists on the podium in a black power salute, and which were held four years before the Munich Games.

ANSWER: **1968 Summer** Olympics (accept “**Mexico** [City] Olympics”, prompt on “1968 Olympics”, accept “Games” in place of “Olympics”)

7. **Fans of this band have developed an elaborate theory that all their music videos, that include literary references to a short story by Ursula K. Le Guin, are connected in a grand narrative. In 2016, this band released a concept album inspired by Herman Hesse’s novel *Demian*. A song by this band uses the Latin phrase a priori while describing a desert and before asking “take my hands now” and describing “I’m in my utopia”. That album is part of the (\*)** Love Yourself series by this band and includes the song “Mic Drop” featuring Steve Aoki. A song by this band opens with the line “you can call me an artist (artist)” and affirms “I’m proud of it (proud of it), no more irony (irony)”. This group’s biggest hit in North America includes the lyrics “I wanna be a good man (just for you)”, repeats “love me so bad”, and repeats “I’m so sick of this” title feeling. For ten points, identify this uber popular K-pop boy band behind the songs “Idol” and “Fake Love”.

ANSWER: **BTS** or **Beyond the Scene** or **Bangtan Boys** or **Bangtan Sonyeondan**

8. **A scene from this series explains how love triangles work in a parody of “Diamonds are a Girl’s Best Friend”. This show’s protagonist has a fear of throwing parties because her failed boy-band viewing party led to her father abandoning her family when she was 12 years old. A recurring motif in this show describes the main character as “just a girl in love” who “can’t be held responsible for her (\*)** actions”**.** She works as a lawyer for Darryl Whitefeather, who sings the song “Gettin' Bi” when he comes out as bisexual. The title character Rebecca hits rock bottom after being left at the altar, culminating in a diagnosis of borderline personality disorder in the third season of this show. This series begins when Rebecca runs into her former lover Josh Chan on the streets of New York, and moves to the town of West Covina, California to obsessively pursue him. For ten points, name this CW musical comedy series starring Rachel Bloom.  
ANSWER: ***Crazy Ex-Girlfriend***

9. **Surprising possibly everyone, a movie centered around two players of this game was the newest movie on a list of Stanley Kubrick’s favourite films according to his daughter. A long documentary about players of this game depicted the youth of William Gates and Arthur Agee, who attended a prestigious high school in Westchester, Illinois. A movie titled after this game depicts a high school student played by Leo DiCaprio get hooked on** **(\*)** heroin. In *American History X*, a black and white scene depicts a racially charged match that decides which group will have access to an area to play this game. In one movie, characters played by Woody Harrelson and Wesley Snipes bet large sums of money on several matches of this game before teaming up in a tournament. In the climax of another movie, this game is played between the Monstars and the Tune Squad. For ten points, identify this game played in *White Men Can’t Jump* and *Space Jam*.

ANSWER: **basketball**

10. **A bizarre level of a 2014 RPG, the only set in this country, is reached through the Lost Forest and switches to a top-down perspective and to 8-bit graphics. In that version of this country, a ruler will tell the player where to get abortion records translated if Dire Bears are slain. A series made by a company from this country initially used a modified version of the rules of Advanced Dungeons and Dragons and is split between the Bhaalspawn Saga and the Dark Alliance storyline. Another series created in this country begins with the protagonist joining the (\*)** Grey Wardens to fight darkspawn. A fourth game in a series made by that company follows the Ryder twins in the Andromeda Galaxy. That series began with a game that pitted Reapers led by antagonist Saren Arterius against the protagonist Commander Shepard. For ten points, identify this home country of the company behind *Baldur’s Gate* and *Mass Effect*, Bioware.

ANSWER: **Canada**

11. **In a 2005 movie, this actress starred as a virtually illiterate character opposite Toni Collette as a pair of quarreling sisters who move in with her grandmother in Florida. A character played by this actress is adamant that one of her daughters receive a kidney transplant from the other, opposed by a lawyer played by Alec Baldwin. A character played by this actress talks about a convicted murderer while her hair is spiked up from using a** **(\*)** bodily fluid she believes is hair gel. A character played by this actress chases a boy obsessed with his crush through a pioneer village and gives him her bra to improve his reputation, which fails. After being dumped by her wealthy fiancé, that character returns to the title profession to raise money for breast enlargement surgery, and pursues a teacher played by her ex-boyfriend Justin Timberlake. For ten points, identify this actress who starred in *There’s Something About Mary* and *Bad Teacher*.

ANSWER: Cameron Michelle **Diaz**

12. **This show had an ill-fated spinoff set in San Diego and starring a young Glenn Howerton. In one episode of this show, four characters cross the border into Canada to buy beer but are stopped by Mounties when one of them forgets his green card. That character later daydreams about his friends singing musical numbers such as “Space Cowboy”, leading up to his performance in the school pageant. This series featured many celebrity guest stars like Alice Cooper and Isaac Hayes who were famous during the (\*)** decade the show was set in**.** The opening sequence of this series depicts the main characters driving in a car and lip synching to “In The Street”, and ends with someone yelling “Hello Wisconsin!” A recurring element on this show is “The Circle”, where the main characters smoke marijuana in Eric Foreman’s basement. For ten points, name this sitcom following a group of teens who live in Point Place, Wisconsin during the titular decade.  
ANSWER: ***That ‘70s Show***

13. **In one song, this rapper asks “what if God was a her? Would I treat her the same? Would I still be runnin' game on her?”. A similar song by this artist on his 1994 album *Resurrection* includes the lyrics “I met this girl when I was 10 years old, and what I loved most she had so much soul”, which are revealed to actually be talking about hip-hop. On a short intro track, this artist raps “I want to be as free as the spirits of those who left, I'm talking Malcolm, Coltrane, my man Yusef”. That is the title track of an album that also includes the songs (\*)** “The Corner”, “The Food”, and “Go!”, which was almost entirely produced by fellow Chicago artist Kanye West. This artist also played civil rights leader James Bevel in a film for which he would win an Oscar for Best Original Song. For ten points, identify this rapper and actor recorded the album *Be* and wrote the song “Glory” for *Selma*.

ANSWER: **Common** or Lonnie Rashid Lynn Jr.

14. **Along with the Bug-type move U-Turn, a move of this type often used by Rotom-Wash deals damage before allowing the user to switch out. The trial challenge in Hokulani Observatory is led by a trainer who uses this type of Pokémon. A powerful move of this type that normally has 70% accuracy is boosted to 100% in rain. Geodude’s Alolan form gives him this type. A Pokémon line of this type evolves from** **(\*)** Tynamo and has no weaknesses because of the Levitate ability. Paralysis is most often caused by moves of this type. Pok**é**mon #26, which is of this type, is only evolvable with a yellow stone and is used by Lt. Surge, a gym leader who specializes in this type. For ten points, identify this type that Ground-types are completely immune to, that includes the series mascot Pikachu.

ANSWER: **Electric**

15. *Two answers required.* **In a game 7 between these teams, one player suffered from migraines and double vision and went 1-for-10 in shooting. A game 3 between these two teams was won 99-97 on a jumper with 3 seconds left, but that series turned in game 5 when Vinnie Johnson scored 22 points off the bench. One series between these two teams ended with the losers walking off the court 7.9 seconds before the last game ended to avoid shaking the winners’ hands. These teams met in the playoffs four straight years from (\*)** 1988 to ‘91; one team won the first three of those series, but the other team won the last one in a four-game sweep, and the former team used a namesake set of “Rules” to defend their opponents’ star player. This rivalry saw the Triangle Offence introduced to the N.B.A. to counter the “Bad Boys”. For ten points, name theses teams, led at the height of their rivalry by Michael Jordan and Isaiah Thomas.

ANSWER: **Chicago** **Bulls** and **Detroit** **Pistons** (both answers required)

16. **On this show, Dr. Roger Knowlton is a psychiatrist working for the antagonist organization, and tries to persuade the protagonist to join them. A picture of the protagonist of this show reveals a hidden word, Ogygia, that is the name of a place in Yemen. Rockmond Dunbar played a character on this show who was honourably discharged from the military after refusing to keep quiet over illegal torture; that character refuses to associate with another after seeing him with white supremacists and is part of the (\*)** Fox River Eight. William Fichtner played the FBI agent Mahone, charged with pursuing that group on three seasons of this show after their success in escaping in season 1. The beginning of this show sees the protagonist, Michael Scofield, purposefully arrested so he can help his brother, who did not commit the murder he is convicted for. For ten points, identify this Fox show that depicts elaborate plans to escape from increasingly exotic and dangerous jails.

ANSWER: ***Prison Break***

17. **A song titled for a place in this province repeats “they have a large barge with radio antenna on it” and comes after “Dead Flag Blues” on a 1998 album. A YouTube video made by a popular channel from this province explains why its biggest city never actually plays itself in movies. A dessert named for a town in this province is made from a layer of chocolate ganache, a wafer and coconut crumb base, and a layer of custard in the middle; those treats are named for this province’s city of (\*)** Nanaimo.The biggest city in this province was the site of two riots after its hockey team lost, the second after losing the Stanley Cup Finals in 2011. A year prior, this city was the site of the “Golden Goal”, in which Sydney Crosby scored an overtime goal to win the 2010 Gold Medal in hockey for Team Canada. For ten points, identify this Canadian province that is home to an NHL team called the Canucks.

ANSWER: **British Columbia**

18. **Along with the Dirty Projectors, this artist recorded the vocal-centric EP *Mount Wittenberg Orca*. This artist released the album *Gling-Gló* and was a member of the band the Sugarcubes before their better-known solo work. A song by this artist repeatedly asks “where is the line with you” over a choir and beatboxing; that song is on this artist’s album *Medúlla*, which is almost entirely a cappella. On a song on her dubiously titled 1993 album, this artist sings (\*)** “there’s definitely, definitely, definitely no logic” to the title thing and repeats the line “and there is no map”. On another song, this artist sings “stand up, you’ve got to manage, I won’t sympathize anymore” before repeating the line “and if you complain once more” along with the title phrase. For ten points, identify this musician behind the albums *Post* and *Homogenic* and the song “Army of Me”, a native of Iceland.

ANSWER: **Björk** or Björk **Guðmundsdóttir**

19. **This player broke his forearm in a friendly before the 2010 World Cup and played his first in a cast. This player scored in the 116th minute to give his team a 1-0 win in the 2007 F.A. Cup Final against Manchester United. This player scored his country’s first ever World Cup goal in a group stage loss to Argentina in 2006, in a Group of Death also featuring Holland and Serbia. This player’s hat-trick in the last game of the 2009-’10 season won him the Premier League Golden Boot and helped his team (\*)** win the league. In the 2012Champions League final, this player headed home an equaliser in the 88th minute and then scored the game-winning penalty to defeat Bayern. This player won Premier League Golden Boots in 2006-’07 and 2009-’10, under managers José Mourinho and Carlo Ancelotti. This African is the fourth-highest scorer in Chelsea’s history. For ten points, name this great striker from the Ivory Coast.

ANSWER: Didier **Drogba**

20. **One character in this series is consistently infuriated by the insurance salesman Jolyon Wagg. A fictional travel brochure depicts the countries of Syldavia and Borduria in this series. A character in this series buys back a friend’s ancestral home because he had tested out a submersible. That former practitioner of savate in this series detests being called a goat and has three (\*)** PhDs. Thomson and Thompson are two lookalike comic relief characters in this series. An offensive entry in this series follows the protagonist’s uncovering of a diamond smuggling ring and depicts racist caricatures of black Congolese people. The protagonist of this series goes on adventures with his dog Snowy and the sarcastic Captain Haddock. For ten points, identify this Belgian comic series written by George Remi as Hergé that follows a young detective.

ANSWER: *The Adventures of* ***Tintin***

BONUSES

1. For reasons beyond my comprehension, this game series was adapted into a movie starring Aaron Paul in 2014. FTPE:

[10] Name this series, whose third entry called “Hot Pursuit” introduced police chases for speeding or the ability to play as the cop, while “Carbon” introduced crew races. This series, which started in 1994, has also included entries titled “Most Wanted” and “Nitro”.

ANSWER: ***Need for Speed***

[10] This word titles an entry in the *Need for Speed* series centered around Olympic City, which introduced drag and drift racing and took the races to the street.

ANSWER: “**Underground”**

[10] In contrast with *Need for Speed*, this series of racing games with a vaguely Italian name aims for a high degree of realism with a wide variety of vehicles. This series has sold over 80 million copies, the biggest for a PlayStation exclusive.

ANSWER: ***Gran Turismo***

2. This show’s first season centered on the investigation of the murder of an 11-year old boy in a small town in the southwestern coast of England. FTPE:

[10] Name this show, a BAFTA-favourite mystery series with David Tennant and Olivia Colman playing detectives. The boy’s body is found by the fictional Wessex police near one of the huge cliffs on the coast.

ANSWER: ***Broadchurch***

[10] David Tennant is perhaps best known for playing the tenth iteration of this character, the title star of a long-running BBC sci-fi show, also played by Matt Smith and Peter Capaldi in recent seasons.

ANSWER: the **Doctor** Who

[10] The announcement of this actress, who played the deceased boy’s mom on *Broadchurch,* as the thirteenth Doctor pissed a few insecure men on the internet off, even though it's a completely possible way for the Doctor to be reborn. *Broadchurch* creator Chris Chibnall will be the showrunner for the upcoming season featuring this actress.

ANSWER: Jodie **Whittaker**

3. The album named for this song, which includes tracks like “Side to Side” ft Nicki Minaj and “Let Me Love You” ft. Lil Wayne, was a follow-up to *My Everything*. FTPE:

[10] Name this song, which begins with the lyrics “don't need permission, made my decision to test my limits” describing the title kind of person and also repeats the words “somethin’ bout somethin’ bout”.

ANSWER: “**Dangerous Woman”**

[10] “Dangerous Woman” is a song by this artist, also behind songs like “Into You”, “Break Free”, “Best Mistake”, and “Bang Bang” with Jessie J and Nicki Minaj.

ANSWER: Ariana **Grande**-Butera

[10] Grande’s latest album, *Sweetener*, includes this track that features Missy Elliott rapping “I'm tryna find cute words just to say, dang, you fine, and look at that face” and the lyrics “you know I'm the wifey type, babe”. Grande asks for the subject to “just meet me at the” title place of this song.

ANSWER: “**borderline”**

4. Getting around in California has become an increasingly difficult thing to do - identify some of the ways you can, or could in the future, travel in radical and non-radical ways. FTPE:

[10] If I had any real faith in this proposed Tesla and SpaceX method to transport people in small tubes at incredibly high speeds in the immediate future, I wouldn’t be including it in a trash bonus. This system was originally imagined for blasting people from LA to San Francisco.

ANSWER: **hyperloop**

[10] A massive hubbub has been raised in San Francisco over electrified versions of these things, previously monopolized by young children, being left on sidewalks. In October 2018, these were reintroduced after businesses like Lime and Bird were slapped with a ban.

ANSWER: **scooters**

[10] Some riders of longboards, which are exactly what they sound like, use a land variety of one of these things. Another board sport that uses one of these things is done standing up in Hawaii.

ANSWER: **paddle**

5. As time ran out, this team’s kicker, Damon Duval, missed a 33-yard field goal, but the opposing team was penalised for having too many men on the field. FTPE:

[10] Name this team, which won a championship in 2009 when Duval made his second attempt at the kick for a 28-27 win. This team defended its title in 2010 behind a great performance from Jamel Richardson.

ANSWER: **Montreal** **Alouettes** [accept either]

[10] The Alouettes were led to both Grey Cups by this quarterback, who holds the C.F.L.’s career records for passing yards and touchdowns and won three Most Outstanding Player awards before retiring in 2014.

ANSWER: Anthony **Calvillo**

[10] Calvillo began his C.F.L. career with the Las Vegas Posse, but after they folded, moved to this Hamilton-based team in 1995.

ANSWER: **Tiger-Cats** (accept “TiCats”)

6. FTPE, answer some questions about major television firsts involving the portrayal of women:

[10] Name this show, a classic that had the first real-time pregnancy portrayed on television, where the lead actress gave birth to her real son only 12 hours before the episode where her character’s son “Little Ricky” was born aired.

ANSWER: ***I Love Lucy***

[10] The first interracial kiss on TV occurred between James T. Kirk and Nyota Uhura in a 1968 episode of this sci-fi show.

ANSWER: ***Star Trek***

[10] The first legal abortion on prime-time TV occurred on this show, where the title character makes the decision after unexpectedly becoming pregnant when she’s already a grandmother at the age of 47.

ANSWER: ***Maude***

7. This movie’s makeover scene is set to the song “Kiss Me” and mostly just involves taking off the glasses that Rachael Leigh Cook wears as Laney Boggs. FTPE:

[10] Name this 1999 movie that also stars Freddie Prinze Jr. as a popular guy in high school challenged to make a nerdy girl into a prom queen in just six weeks.

ANSWER: ***She’s All That***

[10] Another classic makeover from 2 years later is of Mia Thermopolis, a character played by this actress who finds out she is the heir apparent of Genovia in *The Princess Diaries*. This actress later received an equally quality makeover as an intern in *The Devil Wears Prada*.

ANSWER: Anne **Hathaway**

[10] A consistent favourite of online lists of best makeover scenes is from *Clueless*, in which this protagonist gives the edgy Tai a makeover - which involves washing out dark red hair dye, ditching plaid shirts, and a perm. This protagonist is the popular daughter of a wealthy lawyer, and is played by Alicia Silverstone.

ANSWER: **Cher** **Horowitz** (accept either individually)

8. On the song “23”, this artist raps “I got lots of flavors, my kick game is major” and describes “tongue out like I’m Jordan”. FTPE:

[10] Name this artist that also sings “how can we not talk about family when family’s all that we got” on his collaboration with Charlie Puth, “See You Again”, and first made waves with the song “Black and Yellow”.

ANSWER: **Wiz Khalifa** or Cameron Jibril **Thomaz**

[10] On this song, Wiz punctuates every line in the verses with “uh-huh”, and sings he will “never come down”. The hook of this song repeats “night until the morning, we're rolling, rolling, rolling”.

ANSWER: “**So High”**

[10] Wiz’s song “Rooftops” features this rapper from New Orleans who was one of the original members of Young Money Entertainment founded by Lil Wayne. This rapper has released three entries in the *Pilot Talk* series of albums and is the principal artist on the song “Bottom of the Bottle”.

ANSWER: **Curren$y** or Shante Scott **Franklin**

9. This team was on the losing side of the “Monday Night Miracle”, in which it blew a 5-2 lead in the third period of game 6 and lost 6-5 in overtime. FTPE:

[10] Name this team, which beat the St. Louis Blues in an intense 7-game series in the 1986 Campbell Conference Finals. Mike Vernon and Lanny McDonald led this team to that victory before it lost the Stanley Cup Finals to the Canadiens.

ANSWER: **Calgary** **Flames**

[10] After several close calls in the playoffs, the Flames won their first Stanley Cup in 1989, when this player won the Conn Smythe Trophy. This Hall of Fame Canadian defenceman was famous for his hard right-handed shot.

ANSWER: Al **MacInnis**

[10] Before moving to Calgary, the Flames had begun life in this city. Decades later, another team from this city, the Thrashers, would move to Winnipeg and become the second incarnation of the Jets.

ANSWER: **Atlanta**

10. In one scene, a character played by this actor receives hickory nuts as payment for work in lieu of money. FTPE:

[10] Name this actor, who also starred opposite Robert Mitchum in *Cape Fear*, with David Niven and Anthony Quinn in *The Guns of Navarone*, and as Joe in *Roman Holiday*.

ANSWER: Eldred Gregory **Peck**

[10] Gregory Peck is perhaps best known for starring as Atticus Finch in this 1962 movie, based on a novel by Harper Lee.

ANSWER: ***To Kill a Mockingbird***

[10] Peck played a gambler named Cleve van Valen in the second part of this 1962 epic. This movie, split into five sections called “The Rivers”, “The Plains”, “The Civil War”, “The Railroads”, and “The Outlaws”, includes an ensemble cast with Jimmy Stewart, Henry Fonda, and Debbie Reynolds.

ANSWER: ***How the West Was Won***

11. Followers of a movement advocating for the rights of these people have started a petition to have one character say “we live in a society” in a new movie, preferably directly into the camera. FTPE:

[10] Name these people, who are told to “rise up” because they are the most oppressed people in society, when in reality they often say incredibly ignorant things that the movement lampoons.

ANSWER: **gamers**

[10] The Gamers Rise Up movement has adopted this character as its symbol. This character made waves on the internet a decade earlier with lines like “everyone loses their minds” and “why so serious”.

ANSWER: the **Joker**

[10] A top rated post on r/GamersRiseUp claims that this person was assassinated because of his gamer status, shown by his middle name. A 13-year old boy was supposedly kicked out of class for insisting this person’s middle name was Fortnite.

ANSWER: John Fortnite **Kennedy**

12. What’s better than robots in movies? Robots on children’s TV shows. FTPE:

[10] Name this franchise, which before becoming a series of massive blockbusters was an animated series about the conflict between Decepticons led by Megatron and Autobots led by Optimus Prime.

ANSWER: ***Transformers***

[10] Robots featured on this show’s first run include Mechadrones, Galvanic Mechamorphs, Slix Vigma, and S.A.M the weather controller. This show, whose protagonist uses the Omnitrix watch to fight aliens, was revived for another season in 2016.

ANSWER: ***Ben 10***

[10] This protagonist of *My Life as a Teenage Robot* was created by her mother figure Nora, a grey-haired scientist, and is friends with the pointy-haired Brad Carbunkle and his small younger brother Tuck. This character’s animation and the world around her are reminiscent of 50s sci-fi.

ANSWER: **Jenny** Wakeman or **XJ-9**

13. This organisation evolved out of the Virginia Slims Circuit, which was founded in 1970 by the Original 9. FTPE:

[10] Name this organisation, which was founded in response to a widening gap in prize money at the start of the Open Era, and which exists to this day.

ANSWER: **W**omen’s **T**ennis **A**ssociation

[10] The founding of the W.T.A. was led by this American player, who won 11 major singles titles in the 1960s and ‘70s. She is also remembered for defeating Bobby Riggs in the Battle of the Sexes.

ANSWER: Billie Jean **King**

[10] Late in her prime, King won four major finals against this player. This Australian Aboriginal won 7 singles majors of her own as well as making another 11 finals.

ANSWER: Evonne **Goolagong** **Cawley** (accept either or both underlined parts)

14. In a scene in this movie, a character hits on a man she correctly guesses is an air marshal on a flight; those characters are played by Melissa McCarthy and Ben Falcone, who are married in real life. FTPE:

[10] Name this movie, credited with popularizing woman-led comedies, that follows Kristen Wiig’s character as she prepares for her best friend’s wedding along with the rest of the title group. A crass scene in this movie features the title group all getting food poisoning.

ANSWER: ***Bridesmaids***  
[10] Two Bridesmaids, Rose Byrne and Melissa McCarthy, also had roles in this movie that begins with the death of Bradley Fine. The protagonist follows Sergio de Luca, a man connected to terrorists, into an illicit casino in Rome.

ANSWER: ***Spy***

[10] This actress played a minor role as Judy in *Bridesmaids*. This actress received Oscar nominations back to back for starring roles in *An Unmarried Woman* and *Starting Over*, and also starred in *First Monday in October*.

ANSWER: Jill **Clayburgh**

15. This adult swim show is the source of memes including “pretzels is the same”, “why would [blank] do this?”, and “how could you say something so controversial, yet so brave”. FTPE:

[10] Name this surrealist talk show hosted by the title comedian alongside his sidekick Hannibal Buress.

ANSWER: *The* ***Eric Andre Show***

[10] The pilot of this adult swim show originated the expression “what has science done?”, which became a meme in the mid-2000s. The main antagonist of this show, Dr. Weird, said that phrase when Rabbot escaped from his laboratory.

ANSWER: ***Aqua Teen Hunger Force***

[10] The deep fried “Hey Beter” memes reference the main character of this animated show, which was revived in part due to the high ratings of its reruns on adult swim.

ANSWER: ***Family Guy***

16. Alongside the rise of K-pop’s international success, Korean cinema has also gained significant recognition recently. FTPE:

[10] Name this movie, about a man kidnapped and imprisoned for 15 years and his revenge when he escapes. This movie, features an iconic scene where Oh-Dae-su wields a hammer in a narrow corridor.

ANSWER: ***Oldboy*** or ***Oldeuboi***

[10] The plot of the 2017 Netflix movie *Okja*, directed by Bong Joon-ho, revolves around a large example of one of these animals. In *Spirited Away*, Chihiro Ogino’s parents are turned into these animals by a witch.

ANSWER: **pig**

[10] This other film by Bong depicts the hunt for a serial killer in rural South Korea, who kills during rainy nights after hearing an old song on the radio. Korean cinematic legend Song Kang-ho and Kim Sang-kyung co-star in this movie.

ANSWER: ***Memories of Murder***

17. This pitcher had five seasons with at least 200 strikeouts and fewer than 40 walks; no other player in baseball history has had more than three such seasons. FTPE:

[10] Name this pitcher, who made 6 All-Star teams and won the 2003 Cy Young award while a member of the Toronto Blue Jays from 1998 to 2009. According to FanGraphs, he is the all-time leader in WAR for the Blue Jays.

ANSWER: Roy “the **Doc**” **Halladay** (accept either individually)

[10] In his 2003 Cy Young season, Halladay finished second among American League pitchers in this statistic. Halladay’s rate of 58.4% for this stat was well above the American League average of 42.2%.

ANSWER: **Ground ball** percentage (accept “grounder” for “ground ball”, accept “rate” for “percentage”)

[10] Later in his career, Halladay made increasingly effective use of this pitch, a fastball which, when thrown by a righthander, breaks inside towards a left-handed hitter.

ANSWER: **Cut fastball** (accept “**cutter**”)

18. A song recorded by this artist describes “when I was young, younger than before, I never saw the truth hanging from the door” and another describes “a day once dawned, and it was beautiful”. FTPE:

[10] Name this artist, whose songs “Place to Be” and “From the Morning” are on his last album *Pink Moon*. The title track of that album was used in a Volkswagen commercial that popularized his work over two decades after his death.

ANSWER: Nicholas Rodney or Nick **Drake**

[10] “Moondance” is a song and album by this songwriter from Northern Ireland, also behind the songs “Brown Eyed Girl” and “Into the Mystic”. His 1968 album *Astral Weeks* initially sold little, but this still-alive artist shouted out on “Shape of You” achieved financial success long before old age.

ANSWER: Sir George Ivan or Van “the Man” **Morrison**

[10] Van Morrison also wrote a song about a Moonshine variety of this alcoholic drink. The song “American Pie” describes how the good old boys were having this drink and rye.

ANSWER: **whiskey**

19. On one song, this character sings “I got chills, they're multiplying, and I'm losing control” and “nothing left, nothing left for me to do”. FTPE:

[10] Name this character, played by Barry Bostwick on Broadway and John Travolta on film, that also sings on the song “Summer Nights”.

ANSWER: **Danny** **Zuko** (accept either part individually)

[10] Zuko is the male protagonist and love interest of Sandy, played by Olivia Newton-John in the 1978 movie adaptation of this high school musical.

ANSWER: ***Grease***

[10] Grease’s record for longest running show was broken by this show that opened in 1975 Off Broadway. This musical opens in the middle of an audition for a Broadway musical and includes the songs “I Hope I Get It” and “I Can Do That”.

ANSWER: *A* ***Chorus Line***

20. Come on feel the noise while answering some questions about the excess of hair metal, FTPE:

[10] Name this band, whose album *Metal Health* was the first hair or glam metal album to reach number one on Billboard’s charts and included a cover of Slade’s song “Cum On Feel the Noize”. This band added a verse to their song “Thunderbird” as a tribute to deceased member Randy Rhoads.

ANSWER: **Quiet Riot**

[10] This band’s song “Jump”, the lead single on the album *1984*, unusually leans heavily on a synthesizer, and its video was a foundational performance video. This band, founded by brothers Eddie and Alex, featured David Lee Roth’s singing on songs like “Panama” and “Hot for Teacher”.

ANSWER: **Van Halen**

[10] An important location for the development of hair metal was the strip on this street, known for its rowdy nightlife and colourful billboards. The important venue Whiskey A Go Go is on this street, where hair metal bands partied in ludicrous fashion during the 80s.

ANSWER: **Sunset** Boulevard