

question marks



1 Which leader served as governor of Maharashtra from 1962 to 1964?

ANUBHAV BISWAL, Class VII, Stepping Stone Model School, Alipurduar

2 Which sage blessed Gandhari, saying that she would give birth to a hundred sons?

HEMANSHU R. CHAMATE, Class VII, St Xavier's High School, Nagpur

3 Dust and fannings are grades of which beverage?

SOUMAVO GHOSH, Class IV, Kendriya Vidyalaya, Santragachhi

4 The name of this town in West Bengal means 'place of the thunderbolt'?

KINGSHUK DAS, Class VIII, St Xavier's School, Purulia

QUESTION OF THE WEEK


5. Discovered in 2003, asteroid 128036 was renamed after which tennis player?

JUNED ALAM, Class VIII, E.B. Higher Secondary School, Panjipara

The sky is home to many celestial bodies. Stars, planets, comets and satellites are just some of them. A few of them can be seen often while the others appear after long intervals, Halley's comet being one of the latter. It appears once in every 75-76 years. Did you know that author Mark Twain was born in 1835, the year Halley's comet made an appearance, and died in 1910 when the comet resurfaced?

1 **THE WORD 'comet' comes from the Greek word kometes. What does it mean?**

2 **WHO WAS born in Pisa, Tuscany, on February 15, 1564?**



1. Identify this award

3 **WHICH PLANET has two moons named Phobos and Deimos?**

4 **WHICH PLANET is named after the Roman god of the sea?**

5 **WHICH ASTRONOMER wrote A Synopsis of the Astronomy of Comets in the year 1705?**



2. Name this dance form

KQFACT: Except Mercury and Venus, all the planets in the solar system have natural satellites.

MENTAL B LOCKS

- Anai Mudi, peninsular India's highest peak, is in this state:**
SULAGNA BANERJEE, CLASS VII, ST JOHN'S DIOCESAN SCHOOL, CALCUTTA
- The Seville variety of this fruit is used in marmalade:**
RATUL SEN, CLASS VI, ST MARY'S ENGLISH SCHOOL, GUWAHATI
- Lacrimal glands are located in this part of the body:**
JAYASHRI MOHANTA, CLASS VII, KENDRIYA VIDYALAYA, NAMREEP, ASSAM
- This musical instrument is called 'Klavier' in German:**
ANISHA GUPTA, CLASS V, STEPPING STONE MODEL SCHOOL, ALIPURDUAR
- Green Park cricket stadium is located in this city:**
DEBOPAM MITRA, CLASS VII, BURNPUR RIVERSIDE SCHOOL, WEST BENGAL
- This Ramesh Sippy film was released on August 15, 1975:**
ANINDYO SEN, CLASS VI, TECHNO INDIA PUBLIC SCHOOL, CALCUTTA
- 'Whale horse' is Swedish for this animal's name:**
SAMARJIT SHAH, CLASS VII, DE NOBILI, DHANBAD

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ANSWERS: Question Marks 1. Hairy One 2. Galileo Galilei 3. Mars 4. Neptune 5. Edmond Halley
Mental Blocks 1. Kerala 2. Orange 3. Eyes 4. Piano 5. Kanpur 6. Sholay 7. Walrus
Top Five 1. Vijaya Lakshmi Pandit 2. Vyasa 3. Tea 4. Darjeeling 5. Rafael Nadal
Pic Clues 1. The BAFTA (British Academy of Film and Television Award 2. Bhavai dance