

D.J. Edmiston

Pop Quiz Biography

1. D.J. Edmiston was born in:
  - a. Twin Peaks, Washington
  - b. Mayberry, North Carolina
  - c. A hospital
  - d. Mos Eisley, Tatooine
  
2. He currently resides in:
  - a. A Volkswagen Beetle
  - b. Area 51
  - c. Post Falls, Idaho
  - d. Uranus
  
3. His artistic experience includes:
  - a. Scratching items off grocery store lists
  - b. Spray-painting graffiti on train cars
  - c. Playwriting, Acting, Directing theatre productions, Indie novelist
  - d. Blacking out teeth in newspaper photos
  
4. His present day job is:
  - a. Shoelace salesman
  - b. Porcupine masseuse
  - c. An x-ray technologist
  - d. Fully satisfying. Who would want to be a writer?
  
5. He is currently working on:
  - a. A roast beef sandwich
  - b. His biceps
  - c. A funtastic-o kids book series
  - d. The railroad, all the live long day

6. When not writing, he enjoys:
  - a. Creating biography quizzes
  - b. Screeching babies
  - c. Playing guitar, botching karaoke, and conquering all things PlayStation
  - d. Not writing
  
7. He hates:
  - a. Mowing
  - b. Mowing
  - c. Mowing
  - d. Mowing
  
8. His family life consists of:
  - a. Ma, Pa, Mary, Carrie, and Albert (adopted)
  - b. Minions
  - c. A beautiful wife, two wonderful daughters, and several needy pets
  - d. A stick family on the car window
  
9. His literary aspirations include:
  - a. The Pulitzer Prize
  - b. The Newbery Award
  - c. Finishing the next darn book
  - d. A misunderstanding of the word “aspiration,” leading to a trip to the Emergency Room after inhaling “The Catcher in the Rye.”
  
10. His favorite inspirational advice for aspiring writers is:
  - a. No matter how many positive comments you hear, focus on the one that isn’t. They’re right that you stink.
  - b. The first draft is garbage. So are the rest.
  - c. Keep writing. It’s about the journey, not the destination.
  - d. Don’t.

Now grade yourself! All answers are C, except for the ones that aren’t.