

# Catchphrase Quiz

Catchphrases tend to stick in people's minds like songs and poems. Use an iPad to play sketches from some of these well-known comedians and presenters to add extra interest for those who may struggle with quizzes. This activity can be done in a group setting or as a one-to-one.



## What To Do

Organise a quizmaster – maybe yourself, a resident or a staff member.

Encourage residents to answer the questions, either as a free-for-all or have teams taking turns.

In between each question, play YouTube clips of each of the answers. This may jog memories or just be entertaining to watch.

## Tip

Print off pictures of the answers before the activity starts. Hold up the image for everyone to see when you read out the question. This may help people to get the answers.

## Quiz

Born in 1925 in South London, which red-haired comic of TV, radio and film recorded 18 songs; the most famous of which was 'My Boomerang Won't Come Back'? He made chart appearances all over the world, and had the well-known catchphrase of "Hello, my darlings."  
(Charlie Drake)

This comic actor and entertainer was sent to Italia Conti Academy of Theatre Arts by his mother to lose his natural cockney accent. In the 1950s he was stereotyped into playing amusing English upper-class parts in films, including some 'Carry On' films, and became famous for his catchphrase: "I say, Ding Dong."  
(Leslie Phillips)

This comedian and presenter came to TV late and was a big hit on 'The Generation Game', with catchphrases like "Shut that door!", "What a gay day!" and "Seems like a nice boy!". With friends called 'Everard' and 'Slack Alice', who was this presenter?  
(Larry Grayson)

"Rock on Tommy" was one of the catchphrases of which comedian, who had a habit of wearing bright red braces?  
(Bobby Ball)

This star of 26 'Carry On' films, British TV and radio plays, could not be missed either by his voice or his catchphrase of "Stop messin' about". Who was this once-seen-and-never-to-be-forgotten star?  
(Kenneth Williams)

This comedian, who started out by winning his audition on 'New Faces' and then later coming second in the whole series, went on to do more than forge a career as a stand-up comedian. He also presented the BBC shows 'Big Break' and 'The Generation Game'. When he started out, his catchphrase was "Nick, Nick."  
(Jim Davidson)

No quiz about British comedians/entertainers and catchphrases would be complete without the King of the Catchphrase. Who has the catchphrase, "Nice to see you, to see you nice"?  
(Bruce Forsyth)

This 6 foot 4 inch, fez-wearing Welsh-born giant had an act that revolved around doing very bad magic tricks. His catchphrase was "Just like that."  
(Tommy Cooper)

This comedian was known from the 1930s to the 1980s, and had a career that spanned films, TV and music hall. Who had the catchphrase, "Hello, Playmates"?  
(Arthur Askey)

*Cognitive*

*Social*

*Reminiscence*

*Hobbies*

*Stimulation*