

Unconscious Bias Quiz

Picture 1 - Steve Jobs

According to his eldest daughter – he was a truly terrible person. In front of a court, he said he was infertile leaving his girlfriend (her mother) to go on welfare and juggle several jobs to support his daughter – until 1980 DNA proved her to be his daughter.

Allegedly he was mean and rude to his employees and business partner. His horrible behaviour was enabled by his wife who allowed him to belittle her in front of guests and visitors.

He was alleged to hate charity - one of the first things he did upon returning to Apple in 1997 was close the company's charitable arm.

Allegedly since his death his wife has been trying to give his money away because he did not want his children to have it.

Steve Jobs the visionary co-founder of Apple Incorporated, known inspiration for creative and thoughtful people but how do you feel reading that...?

Shocked... Surprised... or correct in thought?

Picture 2 - Malcolm X

He was born Malcolm Little.

As a child of 4yrs of age Malcom and his family had to flee the family home as it burned to the ground by white extremists.

Throughout his life he was known by many names, 'Detroit Red,' 'New York Red' Malcolm X, El- Hajj were just some.

He was a drug pusher, a pimp and a con artist and the head of a Boston robbery ring responsible for larceny and burglary.

He was rumoured to have been bisexual and had several homosexual/gay encounters.

Malcolm X the public face of the Nation of Islam was not always the man of piety and purity but how do you feel reading that...?

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Picture 3 - Al Capone

He was an altar server at his local Roman Catholic church and showed great promise at school.

Was married at the age of 19 to his only wife Mae and became a father to his only child Albert Francis 'Sonny' Capone in the same year – from all accounts the two had a happy marriage.

He hated the nick name he was given of 'Scar Face' and would shield the scar side of his face in photographs.

He set up and stocked a soup kitchen that served 350 loaves of bread, 100 dozen rolls, 50lbs of sugar and 30lbs of coffee every day in Chicago to lines of jobless people.

While in Alcatraz he was responsible for building the first chapel so that he and fellow prisoners could keep the practice of their faith.

Died of complications of untreated syphilis.

Al Capone, also known as Scarface violent gangster and Public Enemy number 1 in the years of prohibition in America... but how do you feel reading that...?

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Picture 4 - Enid Blyton

Rumoured to be racist, sexist and a homophobe who disliked children, with her own daughter saying she had 'no trace of maternal instinct'.

She adored her father, who left the family home for another woman when Enid was 13 years old – later when she herself married and wanted to start a family she was told her uterus had stopped developing around the age of 13 - having hormone injections she gave birth to two daughters. Allegedly when the girls were reaching their teen years, she divorced their father and tricked him into never being able to see either of his daughters again.

She is rumoured to having thrown herself out of an apple tree when finding out she was pregnant at the age of 46 year in fear of giving birth to a child with disabilities.

Allegedly, she was a Hitler and Nazi sympathiser with her books about a group of children known as the Secret Seven rumoured to be a nod to the SS (Schutzstaffel) the elite guard of the Nazi regime.

The celebrated author of hundreds of books for children whose characters included Noddy and Big Ears but how do you feel reading that...?

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Picture 5 - Oprah Winfrey

She was born into poverty in rural Mississippi to a single teenage mother.

She was molested and raped during her childhood by close members of her family and at the age of 14 became pregnant, her son was born prematurely and died in infancy.

In 1971 at the age of 17 she won the Miss Black Tennessee beauty pageant.

During one of her shows, she shocked the country when she told her audience about her struggle with cocaine addiction when she was an anchor woman on a new show.

She has been nominated for two Oscars - for her role in *The Colour Purple* and again in *Selma*.

Oprah Winfrey, one of the most recognised Black women in the world, dubbed the 'Queen of all media' and a multi millionaires!... but how do you feel reading that?

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Picture 6 - Barbara Windsor

Barbara Windsor was a good friend of the London crime lords The Kray Twins, even having a one-night stand with Reggie Kray.

Was married for 22 years to a known gangster Ronnie Knight who was involved in the biggest cash theft in history.

Had countless affairs with high profile names of the time such as Victor Mature, Anthony Newley, George Best and Maurice Gibb.

Had a 3-year affair with Sid James while both were married to their partners of the time.

Had 5 abortions, the first 3 took place in her twenties her last one at the age of 42 years, as she never wanted children because of her father rejecting her after her parents' divorce.

Star of countless 'Carry On' films or known to most as Peggy Mitchell from Eastenders... but how do you feel reading that?

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