BOOK OF MOVIE MADNESS
Trivia, photos, quizzes, and fun!
Based on the smash hit movie
GHOSTBUSTERS
BOOK OF
MOVIE MADNESS

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Welcome to the *Ghostbusters* Book of Movie Madness

If you liked the hit movie, *Ghostbusters*, you’ll love the *Ghostbusters Book of Movie Madness*. It’s jam-packed with photos from the movie, plus all kinds of fun features including tricky trivia tests, a silly spooky story you can create yourself, *Ghostbusters* funny photos, and other comical quizzes that feature plenty of punchlines from the movie’s funniest scenes. You’ll also find out some fascinating facts about the making of the movie and the actors who starred in it. So if you aren’t afraid of some ghostly laughs, turn the page and let those ghostbusting good times roll. And if anyone tells you to get serious about the subject of *Ghostbusters*, just tell them to “Back off, man,” because you’re a *Ghostbusters* Movie Madness fan.
**Ghostbusters Fast Facts**  
**Movie Trivia Test**

If you’re going to get into *Ghostbusters* movie madness you’ve got to warm up slowly. Here’s a good way to do that. Below you’ll find some relatively easy questions about the hit movie, *Ghostbusters*. Pick the best answer to each question. Then if the going gets tough and you’re about to give up the ghost, check the answers in the back of the book.

1. What is the setting for the movie *Ghostbusters*?
   a. Hollywood  
   b. New York City  
   c. a galaxy far, far away  
   d. a haunted house in Tahiti

2. Where did the filming actually take place?
   a. New York  
   b. MacArthur Park and other locations in Los Angeles  
   c. Burbank Studios in California  
   d. all of the above

3. The reviews for *Ghostbusters* were great. In fact, many critics compared actor Bill Murray with such famous screen comedians as
   a. W.C. Fields and Groucho Marx  
   b. Godzilla
c. Robert Redford
d. Clint Eastwood

4. The Ghostbusters, Dr. Venkman, Dr. Stantz, and Dr. Spengler share a philosophy about their work. It is
   a. "I ain’t afraid of no ghosts."
b. "Anything for a paycheck."
c. "Only fools believe in ghosts."
d. "All work and no play makes the Ghostbusters dull boys."

5. The Ghostbusters travel in a car they call
   a. a junk heap on wheels
   b. Fred
   c. the Ectomobile
   d. the Batmobile

6. Fill in the line from the hit song, "Ghostbusters." "There’s something strange in the neighborhood. Who you gonna call?"
   a. the phone company
   b. the police
   c. your mother
   d. Ghostbusters

7. What is the name of the giant marshmallow man the Ghostbusters battled in the closing scenes of the movie?
   a. Mr. Stay-Prest
   b. Frosty
   c. Colonel Blimp
   d. Mr. Stay-Puft
A *Ghostbusters* Who’s Who Quiz

If you’re a real *Ghostbusters* fanatic, you probably know the names of all the big stars who appeared in the movie. But can you remember the names of the characters they played? Try this name game and see. In one column you’ll see the names of the actors who played important roles in *Ghostbusters*. In the other column you’ll find the names of the characters played by those actors. Match the letter next to the actors’ names with the number next to the right character names. To borrow a few words from the theme song to the movie, “Who you gonna call” the following people?

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Star Struck Trivia Test —
Starring Bill Murray
If you guessed that Dr. Peter Venkman was played by Bill Murray, you’re right. If you didn’t guess right, here’s another chance to find out some Bill Murray facts. Pick the best answers to the questions and see just how much you know about this talented and funny man from the movies.

1. Where was Bill Murray born?
   a. England
   b. Murrayville, Ohio
   c. on the set of *Saturday Night Live*
   d. Evanston, Illinois

2. Early in his career, Murray got involved with a radio show and stage show that were produced by a famous humor magazine. What magazine was involved with those productions?
   a. *Time*
   b. *National Review*
   c. *National Lampoon*
   d. *Mad* magazine

3. Long before Murray became involved in nationally televised shows, he appeared with a well-respected comedy troupe. What was the name of the group?
   a. The Ghostbusters
   b. The Bill Murray Players
   c. The Vienna Boys Choir
   d. Second City
4. In 1976, Bill became famous when he started appearing on a highly rated TV show. On which TV show did he appear that year?
   a. *The Tonight Show*
   b. *Late Night with David Letterman*
   c. *The Love Boat*
   d. *Saturday Night Live*

5. Later Bill starred in his first feature film. What was the title?
   a. *Gone with the Wind*
   b. *Ghostbusters*
   c. *Meatballs*
   d. *Stripes*

6. What was Bill Murray’s occupation in the movie *Meatballs*?
   a. plumber
   b. ballet dancer
   c. cook
   d. camp counselor

7. In which film does Bill Murray join the army?
   a. *Caddyshack*
   b. *Meatballs*
   c. *Where the Buffalo Roam*
   d. *Stripes*

8. In 1984, following *Ghostbusters*, Bill appeared in his first serious movie role. What movie was it?
   a. *Ghostbusters II*
   b. The remake of *Gone with the Wind*
   c. *The Razor’s Edge*
   d. *Driller Killers Go to College*
Star Struck Trivia Test —
Starring Dan Aykroyd

Dan Aykroyd played a go-getter of a Ghostbuster, too. He starred as Dr. Ray Stantz. Like his buddy Bill Murray, Dan Aykroyd has become one of the top stars of movie comedy. Here's a quick quiz to see how well you know your Dan data.
1. Dan Aykroyd was born in a country other than the U.S.A. Which country?
   a. Australia
   b. Canada
   c. England
   d. France

2. Long before he dreamed of becoming an actor, he had another career in mind. What field did Dan wish to join someday?
   a. criminology
   b. oceanography
   c. sign painting
   d. beach bum

3. Dan first began working with Bill Murray when both were members of which comedy group?
   a. Abbott and Costello
   b. The Two Stooges
   c. Second City
   d. The Not-Ready-For-Prime-Time Players

4. Dan later graduated to Saturday Night Live, where he appeared in some of the show’s funniest skits. Which of the following characters did he play?
   a. Beldar the Conehead
   b. Richard Nixon
   c. Jimmy Carter
   d. all of the above
5. Dan actually made his movie debut in a Canadian film called Love at First Sight. That was in 1975. Four years later, he appeared in his first American-made picture. What was the title?
   a. Ghostbusters
   b. Meatballs
   c. E.T.
   d. 1941

6. What comedy star co-starred with him in that movie?
   a. Eddie Murphy
   b. John Belushi
   c. Bill Murray
   d. Chevy Chase

7. In which movie did Dan play the role of Elwood Blues?
   a. The Blues Brothers
   b. Dr. Detroit
   c. Lady Sings the Blues
   d. 1941

8. In 1983, Dan starred opposite funny man Eddie Murphy in a hilarious movie hit. Which film was it?
   a. National Lampoon’s Vacation
   b. Animal House Part II
   c. Trading Places
   d. Eddie Murphy Live on the Sunset Strip
Star Struck Trivia Test —
Starring Harold Ramis,
Sigourney Weaver, and
Rick Moranis

Let’s not forget about all the other actors who made *Ghostbusters* so funny. Harold Ramis (Dr. Egon Spengler), Sigourney Weaver (Dana Barrett) and Rick Moranis (Louis Tully) also played important roles in the movie.
1. Harold Ramis recently earned a nickname from the Los Angeles *Times*. The nickname relates not only to his manner, but also his appearance. What was the nickname?
   a. the Clark Kent of Comedy
   b. the King Kong of Comedy
   c. Bozo
   d. Straight Man to the Stars

2. Harold worked at a variety of jobs before becoming a comedy star. Which of the following jobs did he hold?
   a. substitute teacher
   b. an orderly in a psychiatric hospital
   c. jokes editor of a famous magazine
   d. all of the above

3. Later he moved from Chicago to New York, where he wrote and acted in a funny stage show. Which show was it?
   a. *A Chorus Line*
   b. *The National Lampoon Show*
   c. *The Taming of the Shoe*
   d. *The Fantasticks*

4. Did you know that Harold Ramis is also a talented screenwriter and director? In which of the following films did he have a hand in writing or directing duties?
   a. *Caddyshack*
   b. *Animal House*
   c. *Ghostbusters*
   d. all of the above
5. Before *Ghostbusters*, Harold co-starred with Bill Murray in a hit movie. What movie was it?
   a. *National Lampoon's Vacation*
   b. *Stripes*
   c. *1941*
   d. *The Blues Brothers*

6. Sigourney Weaver happens to have been born in one of the cities where *Ghostbusters* was filmed. In which city was she born?
   a. Hollywood
   b. New York
   c. Cleveland
   d. Burbank, California

7. Early in her career, Sigourney changed her first name. What was her original first name?
   a. Susan
   b. Fi-Fi
   c. Dennis
   d. all of the above

8. Later, Sigourney studied acting at a famous acting school. What was the school?
   a. The American Academy of Performing Arts
   b. Harvard University
   c. The Yale University School of Drama
   d. The School of Hard Knocks

9. Following her graduation from acting school, Sigourney had an unusual ambition for a
drama student. What was it?

a. to never become involved with show business at all
b. to enter politics
c. to sell popcorn at movie theaters
d. to star in silent movies

10. In 1978, Sigourney starred in a science fiction thriller that takes place on a spaceship called the Nostromo. What was the name of that movie?

a. Return of the Jedi  
b. 2001  
c. Battle Beyond the Stars  
d. Alien
11. Rick Moranis has something in common with Dan Aykroyd. What is it?
   a. both were born in Canada.
   b. both hold a degree in accounting.
   c. both are known for acting in “serious” roles.
   d. during the filming of *Ghostbusters*, they shared the same pair of socks for six months.

12. Later, Rick made the jump to TV comedy. Which TV show did he star in?
   a. *SCTV* (Second City TV)
   b. *MTV*
   c. *The A-Team*
   d. *60 Minutes*

13. While working on the previously mentioned comedy show, Rick and a partner, Dave Thomas, formed a funny and successful act playing a couple of Canadian broadcasters. What were the names of the characters they played?
   a. Waylon and Willie
   b. Beanie and Cecil
   c. Laurel and Hardy
   d. Bob and Doug McKenzie
Ghostbusters Photo Funnies—Part I

One Picture is Worth a Thousand Laughs!

When there's something scary in our neighborhood, guess who we really call?

MOMMY!
So, what was the hardest part of my course?

Staying awake.
What do you mean, my 24-day anti-aging wonder lotion doesn’t seem to be working?

You’re in big trouble now, ghost. That book is 120 years overdue and you owe a fine of $34,578.
I asked if they served disgusting globs of green slime in this restaurant and they said, "Sure, we serve anybody."
Gee, your hair smells terrific since you've been using that new shampoo with real marshmallow bits in it.
I’m practicing for my next big movie role. It’s a remake of The Birds.
True or False
Facts From the Movie

Some of the statements below are true. Others are not. See if you can guess which film facts are true and which are false. Put a T in the space after each statement you think is true and an F next to those you think are false. Then check your answers with those in the back of the book.

1. The idea for the movie originated with actor Dan Aykroyd who wrote the first draft of the screenplay by himself. ____

2. The model for the backpacks was created by a friend of Aykroyd's who used old radio parts and styrofoam to create a technical-looking backpack. ____

3. One location the moviemakers used in the movie was an old New York City jail. ____

4. Most of the movie was shot in New Jersey locations because it would have been too expensive to film in New York City. ____

5. In the crowd scenes at the movie's end, there were more than 10,000 extras involved. ____

6. When it came time to shoot the final battle scene at the end, the moviemakers decided to film the scene in a Hollywood studio. ____
7. Originally Chevy Chase was supposed to appear as Dr. Stantz. 

8. *Ghostbusters* has become one of the biggest money-making movies in Hollywood history. 

9. Ray Parker, Jr., the musician who composed the title track to the movie, actually makes a brief two-minute appearance in the film. 

10. Several well-known TV newscasters appear during the movie. The most famous newsman to show up in *Ghostbusters* is Dan Rather.
More Movie Trivia

Pick the best answer to each of the following questions about the movie *Ghostbusters*. If you get spooked by these tough questions, just turn to the back of the book for the answers.

1. Dana Barrett, the movie’s heroine, is a musician. What instrument does she play?
   a. guitar
   b. drums
   c. rhythm spoons
   d. the cello

2. The car the Ghostbusters drive is actually
   a. a dump truck
   b. a customized bicycle built for three
   c. a 1985 Toyota
   d. a 1959 Cadillac ambulance

3. What does the license plate of the Ghostbusters’ car say?
   a. Ghosts 1
   b. Buster
   c. Ecto-1
   d. Nothing. License plates can’t talk!

4. The Ghostbusters set up their offices in an old
   a. warehouse
   b. greenhouse
   c. firehouse
   d. carnival fun house
5. When Louis Tully turns into the Keymaster of Gozer, Spengler asks him his name. Tully answers
   a. Lou Tully, Accountant and General Nerd
   b. Vinz Clortho
   c. Vince Lombardi
   d. Clark Kent

6. Dana Barrett told the Ghostbusters that she heard a voice from her refrigerator say the word "Zuul." Dr. Spengler then said he would look up its meaning in "the usual literature." By usual literature he meant
   a. Who's Who in American Ghosts
   b. the phone book
   c. Popular Ectoplasmics
   d. Spates Catalogue and Tobin's Spirit Guide

7. The Ghostbusters' very first successful ghostbusting job occurred where?
   a. the Sedgewick Hotel
   b. in Dr. Venkman's closet
   c. in Dana Barrett's refrigerator
   d. in beautiful downtown Burbank, California

8. The smelly green ghost they captured in the hotel was described by Dr. Stantz as a
   a. friendly ghost
   b. bunch of mineral spirits
   c. Class Five Full Roaming Vapor
   d. mess
9. Following reports that the Ghostbusters are storing ghosts at their headquarters, Walter Peck arrives to investigate. In the movie, which agency does he say he represents?
   a. Idiots Anonymous
   b. Ghostbusters Anonymous
   c. the Environmental Protection Agency
   d. the Department of Defense

10. What was the name of the college that Drs. Venkman, Spengler, and Stantz got kicked out of?
    a. Harvard
    b. Yale
    c. The Clown College
    d. Weaver Hall University

11. In one scene, one of the Ghostbusters refers to "The Ugly Little Spud." Who or what is the speaker referring to?
    a. his french fries at lunch
    b. a giant potato that was about to attack New York
    c. Dr. Venkman
    d. the slimy green ghost the Ghostbusters battled at the Sedgewick Hotel

12. Ghostbusters, the movie, was filmed in locations all over New York City. In which of the following locations did filmmakers not do any shooting?
    a. the Bronx Zoo
    b. City Hall
c. the New York Public Library
d. Central Park West

13. In the movie, the Ghostbusters carry special backpacks. What are those backpacks called?
   a. sacks Fifth Avenue
   b. knapsacks
   c. neutron packs
   d. proton packs

14. When the Ghostbusters fire their laser weapons, Dr. Spengler warns that a terrible thing will happen if they cross the laser streams. What is this terrible thing?
   a. their batteries will run out instantly.
   b. all life, as they know it, will stop instantaneously and every molecule in their bodies will explode at the speed of light.
   c. the movie will come to an end.
   d. the Ghostbusters will turn into disgusting globs of green slime.

15. In the climactic scene at the end of Ghostbusters, why did all the ghosts end up at the Shandor apartment house?
   a. its structure acted like a giant antenna for attracting ghosts.
   b. it was breakfast time and the apartment house had a good coffee shop.
   c. they liked the view.
   d. they liked the reasonable rents.
**Ghostbusters Giggles**

**Create Your Own Silly Spooky Story**

Here's some fun for one or two people. You'll find several numbered columns full of words or phrases. Later on, you'll find a Ghostbuster story with numbered blanks in the text. Before you start reading the story, take a piece of paper and a pen and write down numbers one through 40. If you're doing this with a friend, ask him or her to select one word or phrase from each column. (Read them out loud and ask them to choose one.) If you're doing this alone, pick the words yourself. Once you've written them all down, go to the story. Fill in each numbered blank with the word that corresponds to that number on your list. Once you've filled in the blanks, read the story with these new words and you'll have created a ghost story that's guaranteed to get you giggling.

Pick one of the four words or phrases in each numbered column and then fill in each numbered blank in the story with the words you picked from the column with the same number.

1

- refrigerator box
- battered Chevy
- firehouse
- fish tank

2

- the ocean
- the city
- a traffic jam
- the zoo
3
pink tutu
barrel
black leather jacket
clown suit

4
dinner guests
little brothers or sisters
in-laws
dirt-bags

5
life
soap slime
ring around the collar
cat and dog hair

6
flub
forget about
sleep on
do

7
professor
gorilla
bum
rock star

8
King Kong
Melvin
Babycakes
Snerdley

9
bedbugs
leaky plumbing
raving maniacs
No Vacancy sign

10
vagrants
fleas
stray dogs
lunatics

11
mess
noise
home
dinners

12
sleeping
mugging people
filing her nails
panhandling
used paper cups
old smelly clothes
ectoplasmic slime
germs

nail-biting
screaming
sleeping
electric kazoo playing

leftovers
liver
melted ice cream
green mold

opera star
rock singer
squeaky wheel
banshee

cannon
cheese sandwich
cello
bag of money

smell
noise
sight
landlord

apple pie
chicken
an old Chevrolet
lint

dinner for two
a pumpkin
Cinderella
the Vienna Boys Choir

brunch
a football game
her family home
a dance

the New York Yankees
a pack of wild dogs
eight million New Yorkers
no shoes on
nerd
idiot
super-hero
street cleaner

breath mints
tax forms
used ice cream sticks
air

dogs
schoolchildren
his shadow
people with bad breath

intellectual
potato head
twit
wacko

cucumber
planeload of tourists
subway train
an omelette

two-week-old lunch
meat
her cousin Agatha
Bozo the clown
air pollution

“Soup’s On!”
“Where’s lunch?”
“Table for two.”
“Wanna dance?”

the superintendent
the maid
Dana’s pet rock
a world-famous chef

a nap
Dana’s wallet
a bath
a vacation

baloney sandwich
chair
bag of groceries
pile of loose change
home
my mother-in-law
a dean I knew at college
breakfast

phone directory
comic book
mildewed old newspaper
garbage pile

rutabagas
leftovers
cheeseburger
sucker

a chicken leg
a small group of sightseers
a bus
an eight-foot cockroach

whipped cream
peanut butter
water balloons
hugs and kisses

a nearby building
Dana
himself
Dr. Stantz and Dr. Spengler

destroyed
a mess
on fire
without a working refrigerator

leftovers
cello players
groceries
refrigerators
The Ghostbusters' Big Battle

Dr. Venkman, Dr. Stantz, and Dr. Spengler decided to go into the ghostbusting business. They set up their headquarters in an old _________ in the middle of _________. The next thing they did was to make a commercial. In it, Dr. Venkman wore a _________ and let the world know that the Ghostbusters were totally serious about ridding hotels, offices, and houses of ghosts and other unwanted _________. "There is a scientific way," Dr. Venkman declared, "to eliminate all forms of _________ from your household and the Ghostbusters can _________ the job better than anyone else."

It just so happened that a young musician named Dana Barrett saw the commercial on
TV one day in her apartment in the Shandor building. The Shandor was an old apartment house built by a famous _______ named _______. The Shandor was famous for its _______, and many musicians and _______ made their _______ there.

Dana had just come home from a rough day of _______, shopping for _______, and practicing her _______. Dana opened her refrigerator to put away her groceries. There, in front of her eyes, was the horrible sight of _______. Dana screamed like a/an _______. She pulled out a _______ and hoped that the _______ would scare away the strange things that now inhabited her refrigerator.

Suddenly, a piece of _______ flew out of the grocery bag and turned into
Dana had never had an experience like this, except for the time she went to \_
\_ with \_
\_

Who could she call? What about Louis Tully, her neighbor? Louis was a self-employed \_ who sold \_
\_ to \_
\_. No, Louis was a complete \_
\_, Dana thought as a \_
\_ flew by her head. It was then Dana noticed that an eerie green glow was coming from her refrigerator freezer. It looked like \_
\_. Then it changed into the shape of a hideous creature that said "\_
\_". That was it! Dana knew who she had to call. This was a job for either \_ or the Ghostbusters.

When the Ghostbusters arrived, they began taking care of business immediately. Dr. Venk-
man took _________ and Dr. Spengler grabbed a _________. "That's a nasty little ghost you've got there," Dr. Spengler said as he peered into the refrigerator. "It reminds me of ________."

Dana told them that a voice from her refrigerator had said "Zuul." Dr. Venkman turned to Dr. Stantz and said "What does it mean?"

Dr. Stantz replied, "I looked it up in a ________ and it's an ancient Sumerian word for _________."

"That gives me an idea," said Venkman as he strapped on his proton pack and aimed his laser at the open refrigerator. He carefully adjusted the power setting of his ghostbusting weapon and took aim at ________ in the middle of the refrigerator. He opened fire and directed a scorching stream of ________ at it. Just for
good measure he fired two more shots, one at Dana’s bag of groceries and the other at ________.

A piercing scream could be heard from the refrigerator and a wisp of smoke drifted from it. Dana’s apartment was now ________ but at least the ghosts had vanished. “We did it,” shouted the Ghostbusters. “We sure aren’t afraid of any ________ now.”
Pick the Punchline

The movie *Ghostbusters* was full of funny jokes and powerful one-two punchlines. Here are some gutbusting, sidesplitting Ghostbuster punchlines. We’ve given you the straight lines and the setups. You pick the right punchline. Choose the letter next to the phrase or phrases that actually got the giggles in the movie.

1. When the ghost first appears in the library, it leaves lots of ectoplasmic residue in the card catalogue. Dr. Stantz wants to save it. Dr. Venkman says

a. “Just file it under D for disgusting.”
b. “Look, somebody blows their nose and you want to keep it?”
c. “Makes me hungry.”
d. “Slime flies when you’re having fun.”

2. Dean Yeager of Weaver Hall University kicks Drs. Venkman, Spengler, and Stantz out of their teaching positions, saying “You have no place in this department or in this university.” Dr. Stantz replies, “This is a major disgrace . . .

a. Please don’t tell our mothers about it.”
b. I guess we’ve lost our cafeteria privileges too.”
c. Forget Stanford or M.I.T. They wouldn’t touch us with a ten meter cattleprod now.”
d. It looks as if we’ll have to work for a living now.’

3. Dana Barrett is in the Ghostbusters’ office. She is telling Dr. Venkman about her refrigerator. ‘There was this strange glow and a voice said ‘Zuul.’ I slammed the door two days ago and I haven’t been back since.’ What does Dr. Venkman say?
   a. ‘Take two aspirins, drink plenty of liquids, and call me in the morning.’
   b. ‘You know, leftovers can get pretty weird when you leave them in the fridge for too long.’
   c. ‘Generally you don’t usually see that kind of behavior in a major appliance.’
   d. ‘I’m sorry, but we don’t do refrigerators.’

4. Dr. Venkman has just discovered that Dana Barrett has gone into a deep trance and has become a strange and wild character called Zuul. Venkman then calls up Spengler at their headquarters. ‘How is she?’ Spengler asks. Venkman’s response is
   a. ‘I think we can get her a guest shot on *Wild Kingdom.*’
   b. ‘Fine, thanks.’
   c. ‘Once I get her down off the ceiling I’ll let you know.’
   d. ‘Totally awesome, man.’

5. Later, Dr. Venkman notices that Dana has an
unusual sleeping habit when she's in her trance. What unusual habit does he say she has?

a. She sleeps on top of her covers — four feet on top of her covers!
b. She snores in a foreign language.
c. She doesn't walk in her sleep, she jogs!
d. She talks in her sleep using sign language.

6. Janine, the Ghostbusters' secretary, is talking to Dr. Spengler. She says, "I read and play racquetball. Do you have any hobbies?" What is Dr. Spengler's answer?

a. "Yes, I breathe, sleep, and eat."
b. "No, my life is my work and I'm presently unemployed."
c. "I collect used ice cream sticks."
d. "I collect spores, mold, and fungus."

7. As news of the Ghostbusters' success spreads, they get invited to appear as guests on several TV shows. One of them is the Joe Franklin Show. Joe says to Dr. Stantz, "There's one question on everyone's mind and I imagine that you're the man to answer it." What is the question Joe asks?

a. "Do you really believe in ghosts?"
b. "Do you make haunted housecalls?"
c. "When is Ghostbusters II coming out?"
d. "How is Elvis Presley and have you seen him lately?"

8. In one of their meetings early in the movie,
Dana Barrett tells Dr. Venkman, "You don’t act like a scientist." Her next line is
a. "But you smell like one."
b. "Anyone who puts his shirts on backwards and inside out might not seem like the scientific type."
c. "You’re more like a game show host."
d. "In fact, you don’t even act like a human being."

9. "Let’s split up," the Ghostbusters said when they began their attack on the ghost in the hotel ballroom. What was Venkman’s next line or lines?
a. "Good idea. You two take the ballroom entrances. I’ll hit the coffee shop."
b. "No, let’s just split."
c. "Yeah, we can do more damage that way."
d. "Forget it. I’m calling the A-Team."

10. Following the first encounter with a ghost, Dr. Venkman gets slimed with green ghostly goo. Dr. Spengler makes a wisecrack over his walkie-talkie. He says
a. "Mmmm-good!"
b. "Who opened the lunch?"
c. "Save some for me."
d. "You look divine in green, Venkman!"

11. When Louis Tully holds his party, he goes into the bedroom to put some coats on the bed. He sees a fierce-looking creature with glowing eyes. He says
a. "Wow, a coat with teeth!"
b. "Make mine mink."
c. "Who brought the dog?"
d. "Need anyone to handle your income tax returns?"

12. After Dana Barrett has turned into Zuul, she acts quite strangely and demands that Dr. Venkman embrace her. Dr. Venkman replies
a. "I guess the roses worked, huh?"
b. "I make it a rule to never become involved with possessed people."
c. "You know the old saying, 'Two's company. Three's a crowd.'"
d. All of the above.

13. When Janine, the Ghostbusters' secretary, interviews the newest member of the team, Winston Zeddemore, she asks him, "Do you believe in UFOs, astral projections, mental telepathy, ESP, spirit photography, telekinetic movement, full trance mediums, the Loch Ness Monster, and the theory of Atlantis?" What is Winston's answer?

a. "Yes, and the Tooth Fairy, too."
b. "Can I sleep on it and get back to you tomorrow?"
c. "Believe in them? I don't even know what you're talking about. Can you repeat the question in English?"
d. "If there's a steady paycheck in it, I'll believe in anything you say."
14. In one scene, Dr. Stantz says, "We haven’t had a complete test of our equipment yet. But there’s no sense worrying about that now." What is Dr. Venkman’s answer?

a. "What? Me, worry?"

b. "Why worry? Each of us is only wearing an unlicensed nuclear reactor on his back."

c. "Hey, I think I left my good luck charm in the car. I’ll just go and get it. Why don’t you guys start without me?"

d. "What makes you think I’m worried? I always sweat buckets, chew my fingernails to the bone, and my knees always shake at 90 miles an hour."

15. At the end of the movie, Louis Tully recovers from his awful experience. He has been through, in Dr. Stantz’s words, "the biggest interdimensional cross-rip since the Tungusta blast of 1919." Once he returns to normal, he has a very important question to ask of the Ghostbusters. What is that question?

a. "Can I go home now?"

b. "Where am I and who am I?"

c. "Think it’ll rain today?"

d. "Who does your taxes?"
Choose the Correct Caption

In this section you’ll see some photos from the movie. Below them you’ll find three captions. Only one of them fits the action in the photo. Pick the caption you think belongs with the photo, then check your answers in the back of the book to see how well you did in this wild and crazy caption quiz.

1. a. "I’m lonely," Gozer cried. "Everyone has a date to go to Louis Tully’s party except me."
   b. Gozer turned to the Ghostbusters and said, "Choose the form of your destruction."
   c. Following her destruction of New York, Gozer burst out singing "I Did It My Way."
2. a. Dr. Venkman said, "Don't fire your lasers at Mr. Stay-Puft for too long. I like my marshmallows toasted golden brown, not burnt."

b. The four Ghostbusters drew their lasers and fired away at Gozer, the leader of all the ghosts.

3. a. The four Ghostbusters drew their lasers and said, “Well, let’s toast him now.”
b. “All we need are 9,000 chocolate bars and 8,000 boxes of graham crackers, and we’ll have enough S’mores to feed the entire city,” said Dr. Venkman.
c. Dr. Stantz looked down at the street below and cried, “No, I can’t shoot. Mr. Stay-Puft was the only friend I ever had as a kid.”
4. a. Bill Murray, Dan Aykroyd, and Harold Ramis react as they hear the funniest lines in the Ghostbusters script.
   b. "I don’t care if the Sedgewick Hotel is full of ghosts," Dr. Spengler said. "We’re not going until we finish watching our favorite show, Sesame Street."
   c. The three Ghostbusters stared intently at the ghostly figures in the library.
5. a. When the hotel manager said the Ghostbusters’ bill of $5,000 was too much, they said “We can always put the ghost back in the ballroom then.”

b. The headwaiter was adamant. “I don’t care if you are the Ghostbusters. You can’t go in the dining room without a tie and jacket.”

c. The hotel manager told the Ghostbusters, “There’s only one type of visitor that wrecks hotel rooms worse than ghosts and that’s rock musicians.”
6. a. Dr. Stantz and Dr. Spengler realize they might have to work for a living following their dismissal from Weaver Hall University.

b. Dr. Spengler and Stantz scream as the peaceful elderly library ghost exploded into a vicious white-haired skeleton.

c. Dan Aykroyd and Harold Ramis flee a movie theater after watching Bill Murray in his first serious role in *The Razor’s Edge*.
Ghostbusters Special Effects: A Tricky True and False

Below you'll find ten statements about the special effects seen in Ghostbusters. After each one, write a T if you think it's a true statement or an F if you think the sentence is false. Since the special effects secrets were not publicized very much, you might not be familiar with this subject. If that's the case, a good guess will serve you as well as a knowledge of special effects secrets. Once you've made your choices, turn the book upside down and look at the bottom of the next page. You'll find a surprise.

1. The moviemakers actually built a 60-foot temple in a California studio to shoot the final scenes of the movie. It cost more than $1 million to build. ____

2. One of the movie sets was so big that in order to light it properly the director of photography, Lazlo Kovacs, had to round up 14 of the largest spotlights ever built in Hollywood. ____

3. The moviemakers actually had to blow up city streets using explosives in the big battle scene at the end of the movie. ____

4. The movie script required that special effects crews create almost 200 different visual effects to be inserted into regular film footage with the actors. ____
5. The moviemakers created ghosts using techniques such as stop-motion photography and animation.

6. To create the rolling clouds and stormy skies above New York, some special effects involved injecting color dyes into the water in a small "cloud" tank.

7. Special "matte" paintings were used to create views of the New York City skyline when the crew was shooting scenes in the studio.
8. The terror dogs that come to life on top of the apartment building were actually pup-
pets. They ranged from very small puppets to ones large enough for a crew member to fit inside. ___

9. The large terror dogs contained all kinds of electronics, wires, and mechanical pieces to make them move, even while a puppeteer was inside each one. As many as ten technicians were required to operate a single terror dog. ___

10. The special effects team actually built a 20-foot-tall apartment building with a temple on top to recreate Dana Barrett's apartment. ___
I guess I need a little more practice with my parallel parking if I'm ever going to pass my driver's test!
They told me if you want to get into those fancy New York discos you’ve got to have a wild look. How’s this?
For my next impression, I'm going to do my imitation of a TV antenna!
Venkman, no one is going to believe that you’re not afraid of ghosts if you insist on holding Spengler’s hand when you go in the building.
Spengler!
Venkman just had
a nasty run-in . . .
No, not with
a ghost . . .
with a room
service cart!
Dr. Stantz will now demonstrate the proper way to pick up his salad fork with his toes.
Say, this laser blaster is just the thing to remove cobwebs from the ceiling!
Why can’t that new tenant use the elevator like everyone else?
Answers

Fast Facts Movie Trivia Test
1-b; 2-d; 3-a; 4-a; 5-c; 6-d; 7-d.

Who's Who Quiz
1-C; 2-H; 3-G; 4-A; 5-F; 6-D; 7-B; 8-E.

Star Struck Trivia Test Starring Bill Murray
1-d; 2-c; 3-d; 4-d; 5-c; 6-d; 7-d; 8-c.

Star Struck Trivia Test Starring Dan Aykroyd
1-b; 2-a; 3-c; 4-d; 5-d; 6-b; 7-a; 8-c.

Star Struck Trivia Test Starring Harold Ramis . . .
1-a; 2-d; 3-b; 4-d; 5-b; 6-b; 7-a; 8-c; 9-a; 10-d; 11-a; 12-a; 13-d.

Answers to True or False Facts from the Movie
1. True
2. True
3. True
4. False. A lot of the movie was shot in New York.
5. False. There were actually a little over 500 extras used in those crowd scenes.
6. True
7. False. Chevy Chase was not considered for a role in Ghostbusters because Bill Murray, Dan Aykroyd, and Harold Ramis had the three lead roles nailed down from the start.
8. True
9. False
10. False

More Movie Trivia
1-d; 2-d; 3-c; 4-c; 5-b; 6-d; 7-a; 8-c; 9-c; 10-d; 11-d; 12-a; 13-d; 14-b; 15-a.

Pick the Punchline
1-b; 2-c; 3-c; 4-a; 5-a; 6-d; 7-d; 8-c; 9-c; 10-c; 11-c; 12-d; 13-d; 14-b; 15-d.

Choose the Correct Caption
1-b; 2-b; 3-a; 4-c; 5-a; 6-b.
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