

## 005 WHO ARE THESE PEOPLE?

In this exercise you are given clues to the name of a person. That person will have been, or is, well-known in one of several fields eg politics, the arts, sport, business, theatre and film, etc. Some of the people are historical characters from different countries and different historical periods. In most cases you are given five clues:

1. A set of jumbled letters containing the person's family name and principal given name, eg the name, or sometimes nickname, by which the person is best known. Occasionally a person is best known by his or her initials, eg CJ Dennis, AE Housman, DH Lawrence. In a very few cases a person is known by the family name and a title, as for example Lord Byron. The jumbled letters are followed by numbers showing how many letters there in each word of the person's name, eg the letters for CJ Dennis are followed by (1, 1, 6).
2. The category of occupation in which the person is best remembered. The initial categories are:
  - PUB: public service of all kinds; it includes Governors General, Prime Ministers, all other levels of politician, ambassadors, members of the salaried public service etc
  - LIT: literature: authors, poets, playwrights
  - ART: artists of all types, painters, sculptors, musicians
  - ACT: actors in theatre, film, TV
  - SPO: sportspeople from all types of sport
  - MIL: those who are principally remembered for their service in any of the armed forces
  - EXP: Explorers, mountaineers, adventurers, astronauts
  - BUS: people remembered mainly for their business activities
  - SCI: Scientists and inventors
3. The person's date of birth and where appropriate date of death: this gives some idea as to when the person was active
4. The person's country of origin, or where she or he spent most of their active life
5. Sometimes a cryptic clue, a quotation from the person's work, or some other identifier; for example John Monash could be identified as "a university in Melbourne"; actors could be identified by a film or play for which they are well remembered.