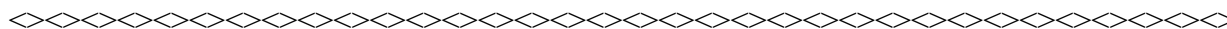


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JOKES OF DIFFERENT LEVELS

Jokes vary by age level. Although it can sometimes be difficult to categorize them into age ranges, as there can be considerable overlap, they nevertheless possess general tendencies.



LEVEL 1: JOKES FOR YOUNG CHILDREN (ages 3–7)

These jokes usually involve simple and visual humor. They often employ wordplay based on sounds, repetition, or surprise.

[01] Why is six afraid of seven? **Because seven ate nine.**

[02] Why don't elephants use computers? **Because they are afraid of the mouse!**

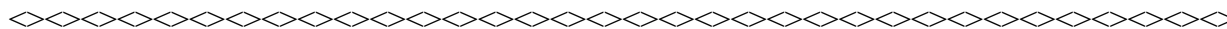
[03] What vegetable sounds like a parrot? **A carrot.**

[04] Which month has 28 days? **All of them!**

[05] Why did the banana go to the doctor? **Because it wasn't peeling well!**

[06] Elementary school teacher: Amy, what do we have today that we didn't have ten years ago?

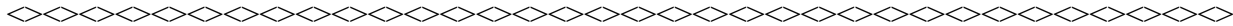
Amy: **Me.**



LEVEL 2: JOKES FOR OLDER CHILDREN (ages 8–12)

These jokes include more wordplay and puns. They typically include jokes about school, family, and daily life. Older children tend to start to enjoy light sarcasm or exaggeration.

- [07] Why did the computer go see the doctor? **Because it had a virus!**
- [08] Where can you find an ocean without water? **On a map!**
- [09] What letters are not in the alphabet? **The ones in the mail!**
- [10] The past, present, and future walked into a bar. **It was tense.**
- [11] What do you call a fish without eyes? **Fsh.**
- [12] Teacher: Jimmy, this essay about your dog is the exact same essay as your brother's.
Jimmy: Yes, it is. **We have the same dog.**



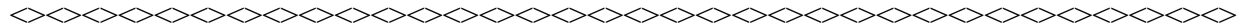
LEVEL 3: JOKES FOR TEENAGERS (ages 13–19)

Jokes typically become more ironic, sarcastic, or edgy. They can include social situations, school stress, or relationships. They often include indications that the teller is (or trying to be) more “sophisticated” than their younger counterparts. Some jokes may include slightly taboo topics or dark humor.

- [13] What is the longest word in the English language? **“Smiles.” This is because there is a mile between its first and last letters.**
- [14] Never trust an atom. **They make up everything.**
- [15] I do not want to be a math teacher when I grow up. **They have too many problems.**
- [16] What happens once a minute, twice every moment, but not once in one hundred thousand years? **The letter m.**



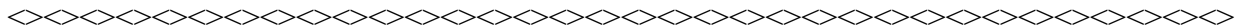
- [17] Hotel customer: Can you call me a taxi?
 Hotel desk worker: **Certainly, sir. You are a taxi.**
- [18] Person A: I was born in California.
 Person B: Which part?
 Person A: **All of me.**



LEVEL 4: (CLEAN) JOKES FOR ADULTS (20+)

Jokes at this level may involve deeper cultural references, irony, or satire. They can include political, workplace, or relationship topics, or refer in ways to daily life. The humor can be dark, but the style depends on personality traits and social norms.

- [19] What do you call a can opener that doesn't work? **A can't opener.**
- [20] I went to the beach during my vacation. I said hi to it, but **all it did was wave.**
- [21] How do you catch a unique rabbit? **Unique up on it.**
- [22] I used to think that I was indecisive, **but now I'm not so sure.**
- [23] What's the hottest part of any room? **The corner. It's because it is always 90 degrees.**



***** HOMEWORK TASK *****

Provide two English jokes for each of the four levels discussed above. Try first to think of jokes you already know (you might be able to effectively translate a joke from your native language to English). Be prepared to explain why you put each joke in the level where you think it belongs. You may not use GenAI like ChatGPT. You may look at lists of jokes, but at least ONE joke per level must 100% come from YOU. The task should be printed out, ready for submission.

