Biology facts

Butterflies taste with their feet.
Elephants are the only animals that can't jump.
An ostrich's eye is bigger than its brain.
A snail can sleep for three years.
It is possible to lead a cow upstairs but not downstairs.
A duck's quack doesn't echo... & no one knows why.
All polar bears are left handed.
A crocodile cannot stick its tongue out.

Governments & Economics

Far LEFT: Communism - You have 1 cow.
The government takes it and rations the milk.
LEFT wing: Socialism - You have 1 cow.
The government taxes it, sells you a license, and fines you if you try to milk it or sell it.
RIGHT wing: Capitalism - You have 1 cow.
The government imports bulls for you to buy.
Far RIGHT: Fascism/Despotism - You have 1 cow.
The government shoots it (and then you).

History - (it's in the cards)

The King of Spades represents King David;
The King of Clubs represents Alexander the Great;
The King of Hearts represents Charlemagne;
The King of Diamonds represents Julius Caesar.

Mathematics (go figure!)

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High Wages Needed

'Well, sir, said the interviewer to the job applicant, 'for a man with no experience in this field, you are certainly asking for a high salary.' 'Well, responded the applicant, 'the work will be a lot harder for me since I won't know what I'm doing.'

Airport TSA

I was at the airport, checking in at the gate when an airport employee asked, "Has anyone put anything in your baggage without your knowledge?"

To which I replied, "If it was without my knowledge, how would I know?" He smiled knowingly and nodded, "That's why we ask."

Dead Duck

A woman brought a very limp duck into a veterinary clinic. As she laid her pet on the table, the vet pulled out his stethoscope and listened to the bird's chest. After a moment or two, the vet shook his head sadly and said, "I'm sorry, but your duck, Cuddles, has passed away." The distressed woman wailed, "Are you sure?" The vet replied: "Yes, I am sure.

"How can you be so sure?" she protested... "I mean you haven't done any testing on him or anything. He might just be in a coma or something." The vet rolled his eyes, turned around, and left the room. He returned a few minutes later with a black Labrador Retriever. As the duck's owner looked on in amazement, the dog stood on his hind legs, put his front paws on the examination table, and sniffed the duck from top to bottom. He then looked up at the vet with sad eyes and shook his head. The vet patted the dog on the head left the room.

A few minutes later he returned with a cat. The cat jumped on the table and also delicately sniffed the bird from head to foot... The cat sat back on its haunches, shook its head, meowed softly and strolled out of the room.

The vet looked at the woman and said, "I'm sorry, but as I said, this is most definitely, 100% certifiably, a dead duck."

The vet turned to his computer terminal, hit a few keys, and produced a bill, which he handed to the woman. The duck's owner, still in shock, took the bill. "\$150!" she cried, "\$150 just to tell me my duck is dead!"

The vet shrugged, "I'm sorry. If you had just taken my word for it, the bill would have been \$20, but with the Lab Report and the CAT scan, it's now \$150."

Frog Prince

An old woman was walking near a pond one evening when she was startled to hear a frog speak to her: 'Pick me up, pick me up, I'm really a handsome young prince if you will kiss me.' She kept walking but the frog hopped along behind her saying the same thing.

Finally, she picked him up and put him into her pocketbook. But, the frog poked out of her bag and said, 'No, no, no! You have to KISS me--then I'll become a handsome prince.' She pushed the frog back into her purse and closed it tight. When the frog wouldn't shut up, she calmly opened her pocketbook and said to the frog 'I'm sorry, but at my age, I would REALLY **rather** have a talking frog.'



Busted on the Bridge

A Texas State Trouper, accompanied by the press, stops a vehicle and, with a camera focused on the driver, a reporter puts a microphone up to him and says: 'Sir, you have just won \$1,000 for being the one millioneth car over this bridge. Congratulations! What do you intend to do with your prize money?' 'Wow,' he said, turning to his wife, 'first, I'm gonna take that driving course and get me a real driver's license.' Immediately, his wife sarcastically replied, 'he always says that when he's drunk.' Then, the guy in the back seat wakes up, sees the officer, and says 'I didn't know the car was stolen, honest. They kidnapped me. Then, they hear banging from the trunk and another man yells 'are we over the border yet?'

Pastor's Prayer

"Dear Lord," the minister began, with arms extended toward heaven and a rapturous look on his upturned face. "without You, we are but dust..."

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He would have continued but, at that moment, a little girl leaned over and asked her mother quite innocently in her shrill little girl voice, "Mommy, what is butt-dust?"

Flying with Children

After an overnight transatlantic flight, a woman wearily arrived at Rhein-Main Air Base in Germany with her 14 children, some of which had obviously had airsickness during the flight. Collecting the suitcases, they entered the cramped customs area. The customs official watched the entourage in disbelief, "Ma'am, do all these children and this luggage belong to you?" "Yes, sir," she said with a sigh. "They're all mine."

The customs agent began his interrogation: "Ma'am, do you have any weapons, contraband or illegal drugs in your possession?" "Sir," she calmly answered, "if I had any of those items, I would have used them by now." The sympathetic official motioned them to pass without opening a single suitcase.

Question & Answers

Dating:

Tara: 'What makes men chase women that they have no intention of marrying?'

Brianna: 'Probably the same urge that makes dogs chase cars they have no intention of driving.'

Environment:

Elizabeth: 'If trees could scream, would we be so cavalier about cutting them down?

Bethany: 'We might, if they screamed all the time ... for no good reason.'

Photography:

Ginger: 'I have a photographic memory.'
Dustin: 'Yes, but do you still have any film?'

Music:

Veronica: 'Why do bagpipers walk while they play?' Bryce: 'To try to get away from the sound.'

Safety:

Seth: 'What do I do if a blonde throws a pin at me?' Austin: 'Run, she's got a grenade in her mouth!'

Growing:

Ben: 'Dad, are you growing taller all the time?'

Richard: 'No, son. Why do you ask?.'

Ben: 'Because the top of your head is poking up through your hair.'

Letter from Prison

An old man wrote to his son, who was in prison, and told him that he probably wouldn't be able to garden much longer—the ground was too hard this year. He said he wished his son were with him to help him dig up the garden in the back yard, but knew that was impossible this year. A few days later he received a short letter from his son that simply said: 'Don't dig in the back yard—that's where the bodies are buried. Love, Vinnie.'

Within a few days, government agents came to his door with shovels & pick-axes and spent the day digging up the back yard. After finding nothing, they apologized to the man & left. Then he received another note from his son, saying. 'Sorry, dad, it was the best I could do from here.

Love, Vinnie.'

Gifts for Mom

Three sons were discussing the gifts they were able to give their elderly mother. The eldest said, "I built a big house for our mother." The second said, "I send her a Mercedes with a driver." The youngest smiled and said, "I've got you both beat. You remember how mom enjoyed reading the Bible? And, you know she can't see very well now. I sent her a remarkable parrot that has been taught to recite the entire Bible. He's one of a kind. Mom just has to name the chapter and verse and the parrot recites it."

Soon, mom sent out her letters of thanks. To her first son: "The house you built is huge! I live in only one room, but I have to clean the whole house." To her second son, "I am too old to travel. I stay home most of the time. And the driver is rude." To her third son: "You have the good sense to know what your mother likes. That chicken was delicious."

Straight Talk

'May I take your order?' the waiter asked.
'Yes, how do you prepare your chicken?'
'Nothing special, Sir,' he replied. 'We just tell them straight out that they're going to die.'

Restaurant Omelet

'Waiter, come here at once, the agitated diner called. 'Can you explain why there is a footprint in the middle of my food?' Yes, Sir. You ordered an omelet and told me to step on it.'

Buying Organic

Trying to find organic vegetables in a large supermarket is often difficult, so the lady asked a produce worker for help. She explained: 'these vegetables are for my husband, have they been sprayed with any poisonous chemicals?' To which he replied: 'No, ma'am, you'll have to do that yourself.'

Medicine

A man went to his doctor and told him that he wasn't feeling well. The doctor examined him, left the room and came back with 8 bottles of pills, instructing him to take 5 from each bottle with 8 ounces of water 8 times a day.
'My goodness, Doc, what's my problem?' The doctor replied:
'You're not drinking enough water.'

Anti-Social Behavior Walmart Pranks:

Go into a fitting room, shut the door, wait, and then yell very loudly, "Hey! There's no toilet paper in here!"

Hide in a clothing rack and when people browse through, whisper: "pick me! pick me!"

Ask to try on all the watches. Then, when finished, say 'I sure wished I knew how to tell time without a watch, do you have any sundials?'

While handling guns in the hunting department, ask the clerk where the antidepressants are.

Ask the deli clerk what time they discount the fried chicken pieces. Then order a coke and wait.

Set all the alarm clocks to go off at 5 minute intervals.

Telephone Pranks (ordering Pizza):

Ask if you can have a different topping on each slice.

Tell them that you'll be able to pay when the sweepstakes money people get here—can they wait?

Tell them to put the crust on the top this time.

Ask if you can keep the pizza box. When they say 'yes,' heave a sigh of relief and say 'Oh, boy!'

When they ask for your address, tell them it's unlisted because you're on the Witness Protection Plan. Pause, say 'oops,' drop the phone & hang up.

EVOLUTION OF MEDICINE (FULL CIRCLE)

"Doctor, I have a cold."

2000 B.C. "Here, apply this aromatic oil."

1500 B.C. "That oil isn't strong enough, say this prayer."

A.D. 500 "That prayer is superstition, drink this potion."

A.D. 1800 "That potion is 'snake oil,' take this vitamin pill."

A.D. 1950 "Vitamins go right through you, take an antibiotic."

A.D. 2021 "Antibiotics are harmful.

Here, apply this aromatic oil!"