

Heist Films Trivia: Questions, Answers, and Facts Printable Trivia Pack

Heist Films trivia explores a movie tradition built on planning, suspense, and the ever-present risk of betrayal. From classic capers to modern ensemble thrillers, the genre has shaped some of film's most memorable twists, crews, and criminal masterminds.

HARD HEIST FILMS TRIVIA

1. Which filmmaker directed the 1950 heist landmark "The Asphalt Jungle"?

Answer: John Huston directed "The Asphalt Jungle."

2. In "The Asphalt Jungle," who plays Dix Handley?

Answer: Sterling Hayden plays Dix Handley.

3. Name the director of the French heist classic "Rififi."?

Answer: Jules Dassin directed "Rififi."

4. About how long does the centerpiece heist in "Rififi" run with almost no dialogue or music?

Answer: About 30 minutes.

5. Who is the racetrack-heist planner in Stanley Kubrick's "The Killing"?

Answer: Johnny Clay is the planner.

6. Which director helmed "The Killing"?

Answer: Stanley Kubrick directed "The Killing."

7. Which actor plays Frank in "Thief"?

Answer: James Caan plays Frank.

8. Who composed the score for the wartime caper "Kelly's Heroes"?

Answer: Lalo Schifrin composed the score.

9. The title of "Topkapi" refers to what specific place in Istanbul?

Answer: Topkapi Palace.

10. In what year was "Topkapi" released?

Answer: 1964.

11. What historical setting does "The First Great Train Robbery" use for its story?

Answer: It is set in Victorian England.

12. Which real-life robbery inspired the 2008 heist film "The Bank Job"?

Answer: The Baker Street robbery.

13. In "Sexy Beast," what is the name of the ex-con at the center of the film?

Answer: Gal Dove.

14. Who plays Gal Dove in "Sexy Beast"?

Answer: Ray Winstone plays Gal Dove.

FUNNY HEIST FILMS TRIVIA

1. Who directed "A Fish Called Wanda," proving that organized chaos still needs a director's chair?

Answer: Charles Crichton

2. Which co-writer helped cook up the caper comedy "A Fish Called Wanda"?

Answer: John Cleese

3. In "A Fish Called Wanda," which actor turned criminal nonsense into Oscar gold with a Best Supporting Actor win?

Answer: Kevin Kline

4. Who plays Wanda Gershwitz in "A Fish Called Wanda"?

Answer: Jamie Lee Curtis

5. What year did "Quick Change" arrive, ready to make a getaway with audiences?

Answer: 1990

6. In "Quick Change," who plays Grimm, the guy at the center of the not-so-quick change?

Answer: Bill Murray

7. Which co-star joins the chaos in "Quick Change" alongside the film's central getaway mess?

Answer: Geena Davis

8. Who directed "Tower Heist," a movie whose title sounds like real estate with larceny included?

Answer: Brett Ratner

9. Which star headlines "Tower Heist," where the building is tall and the patience is short?

Answer: Ben Stiller

10. In "Tower Heist," who plays Slide, the character with a name that already sounds halfway to a getaway?

Answer: Eddie Murphy

11. Who plays Frenchy in "Small Time Crooks," giving the caper an extra side of comic flavor?

Answer: Tracey Ullman

12. Which actor stars in "Blue Streak" as a thief posing as a detective, a r'um choice HR would definitely question?

Answer: Martin Lawrence

13. "Masterminds" is based on which robbery, proving reality occasionally writes very weird

scripts?

Answer: Loomis Fargo

FUN HEIST FILMS TRIVIA

1. Which Academy Award did "The Sting" swagger away with?

Answer: Best Picture

2. What year did "The Sting" arrive in theaters?

Answer: 1973

3. Which star appears in "The Sting" alongside all the cons and charm?

Answer: Paul Newman

4. Name the co-star of "The Sting" who shares top billing with Paul Newman.?

Answer: Robert Redford

5. In "Now You See Me," what is the flashy team name used by the central group of illusionists?

Answer: The Four Horsemen

6. True or false: "Now You See Me" was released in 2013.?

Answer: True

7. Who plays J. Daniel Atlas in "Now You See Me"?

Answer: Jesse Eisenberg

8. Which actor plays Merritt McKinney in "Now You See Me"?

Answer: Woody Harrelson

9. What precious object sits at the center of "The Pink Panther" (1963)?

Answer: The Pink Panther diamond

10. Who plays Inspector Clouseau in "The Pink Panther"?

Answer: Peter Sellers

11. Which director helmed "Catch Me If You Can"?

Answer: Steven Spielberg

12. In "Catch Me If You Can," who plays con artist Frank Abagnale Jr.?

Answer: Leonardo DiCaprio

13. Who plays Carl Hanratty in "Catch Me If You Can"?

Answer: Tom Hanks

HEIST FILMS FAMILY TRIVIA

1. Which famous author wrote the book that inspired "Fantastic Mr. Fox"?

Answer: Roald Dahl

2. In what year did "Fantastic Mr. Fox" arrive in theaters?

Answer: 2009

3. Who directed the crafty caper movie "Fantastic Mr. Fox"?

Answer: Wes Anderson

4. Who provides the voice of Mrs. Fox in "Fantastic Mr. Fox"?

Answer: Meryl Streep

5. Mr. Fox keeps sneaking food from which three farmers?

Answer: Boggis, Bunce, and Bean

6. True or false: "Fantastic Mr. Fox" was released in 2009.?

Answer: True

7. What year did the feathered escape adventure "Chicken Run" hatch onto screens?

Answer: 2000

8. Which studio made "Chicken Run"?

Answer: Aardman Animations

9. Who voices Rocky in "Chicken Run"?

Answer: Mel Gibson

10. Which actor voices Ginger, the determined leader in "Chicken Run"?

Answer: Julia Sawalha

11. A barnyard breakout with clay chickens: what year was "Chicken Run" released?

Answer: 2000

12. In what year did "The Bad Guys" make its big-screen debut?

Answer: 2022

EASY HEIST FILMS TRIVIA

1. What year was "Ocean's Eleven" released?

Answer: 2001

2. Who plays Danny Ocean in "Ocean's Eleven"?

Answer: George Clooney

3. In "Ocean's Eleven," which actor plays Rusty Ryan?

Answer: Brad Pitt

4. The 2003 remake of "The Italian Job" stars which actor?

Answer: Mark Wahlberg

5. Which small car is central to the getaway in "The Italian Job" (2003)?

Answer: Mini Cooper

6. Who directed "Inside Man"?

Answer: Spike Lee

7. Which actor plays detective Keith Frazier in "Inside Man"?

Answer: Denzel Washington

8. Who directed "Baby Driver"?

Answer: Edgar Wright

9. Who plays the title character in "Baby Driver"?

Answer: Ansel Elgort

10. "Logan Lucky" is set around what kind of event?

Answer: A NASCAR event

11. Who directed "Logan Lucky"?

Answer: Steven Soderbergh

12. Who leads the crew in "Ocean's 8"?

Answer: Sandra Bullock

13. Who stars in the 1999 heist film "Entrapment"?

Answer: Sean Connery

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