

**10 THINGS  
YOU NEED TO  
KNOW ABOUT  
RITA**

# GOSHIP GIRL

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MUSIC QUIZ  
PLUS THE  
CHANCE TO  
WIN TICKETS  
TO THE  
X-FACTOR  
FINAL

**EXCITING REVIEWS ON  
MINDBOGGLING  
MINECRAFT &  
SATURDAYS X-FACTOR**

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## ★ Rita Ora Exclusive ★



**Q** What is your favourite animal and why?

**A** A Kola because I like hugs!



**Q** What is your strangest food habit?

**A** A mild obsession with tabasco sauce! I sprinkle it on cereal, fruit and pretty much everything else!



**Q** Where is your favourite place to travel and work?

**A** Kosovo - because I was born there. Try to go back as often as possible and its always special to perform there.



Rita Ora



**Q** What is the best beauty advice you have ever had and who was it from?

**A** My Grandmother told me to put toothpaste on spots - it drives them out and really works!



**Q** What do you never leave home without and why?

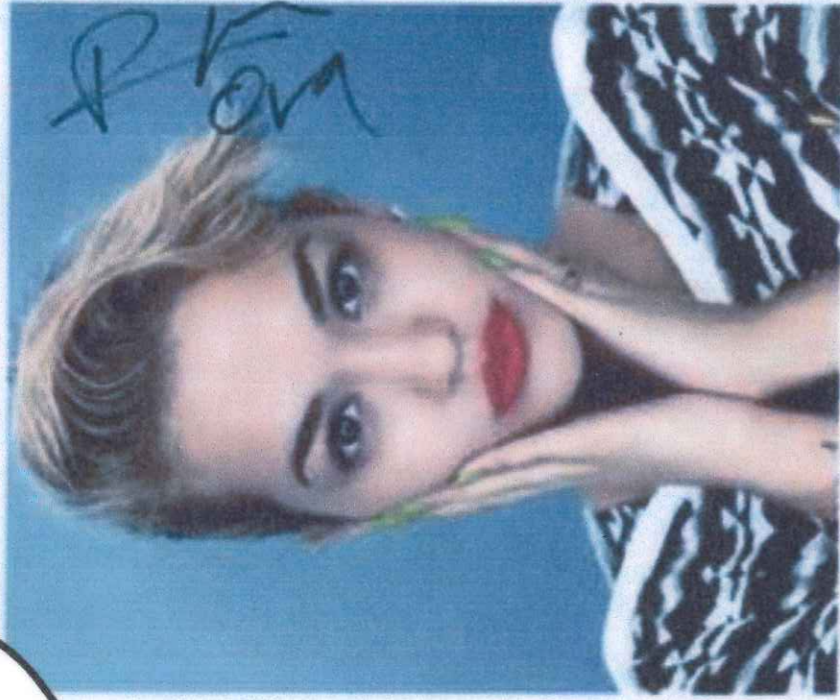
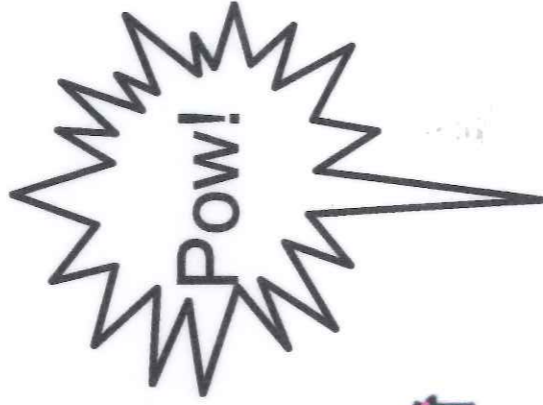
**A** Most days I'm a red lips girl - I always have my Rimmel London Line Rita Red Lipstick.

I began singing as a child in my dad's pub

My Grandad named me after Rita Hayworth

I can't believe I once dated Rob Kardashian!

I think Louisa or Lauren will win the X-factor



Rita Ora

I once entered the Eurovision Song Contest but dropped out as I didn't feel prepared

### Fascinating Facts about Rita

# X-FACTOR

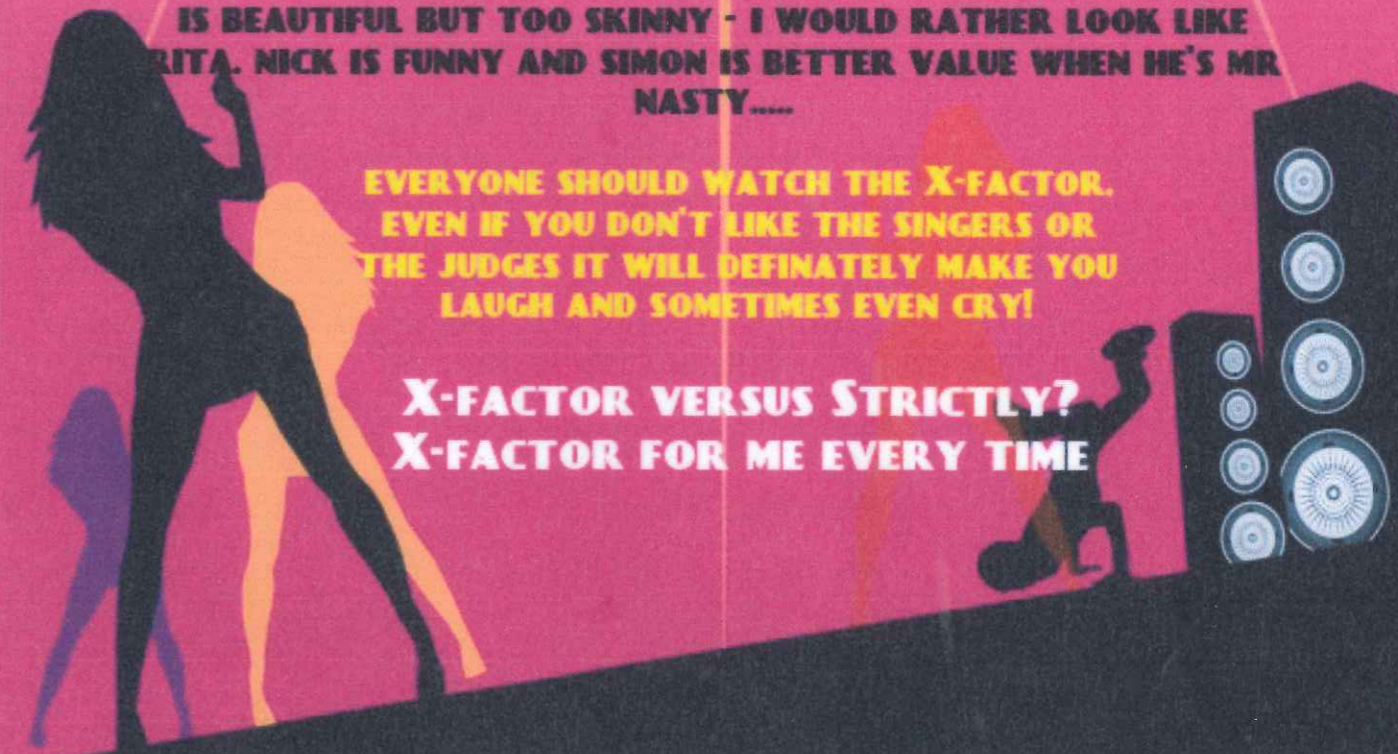
IT'S A BIT LIKE MARMITE, YOU EITHER LOVE IT OR HATE IT. ONE THING'S FOR SURE EVERYONE HAS AN OPINION SO THEY MUST WATCH IT! I THINK IT'S EXCITING AND COOL. I LOVE THAT ALL MY FAMILY WATCHES IT WITH PIZZA AND ICE CREAM. IT'S GREAT WHEN MY MUM, DAD, SISTER AND I ARGUE OVER WHO IS GOOD AND BAD. THEY HAVE SOME GREAT GUESTS TOO.

SATURDAY WAS ALL ABOUT LOVE WHICH IS A BIT SOPPY FOR ME! MY FAVOURITES ARE LOUISA AND LAUREN - LOUISA'S VERSION OF 'LET IT GO' WAS AWESOME - I THINK SHE WILL WIN. GUEST ED SHEERAN WAS ALSO AMAZING. I'M GLAS MASON NOISE HAS GONE. HE WAS EXTREMELY RUDE DURING THE 6 CHAIR CHALLENGE. I KNOW HE'S BEEN NICE SINCE BUT HE CAN'T SING VERY WELL! ANTON HAS GONE ASWELL WHICH IS A SHAME AS HE HAS A BRILLIANT VOICE BUT HE DID LOOK QUITE SCARY SOMETIMES!

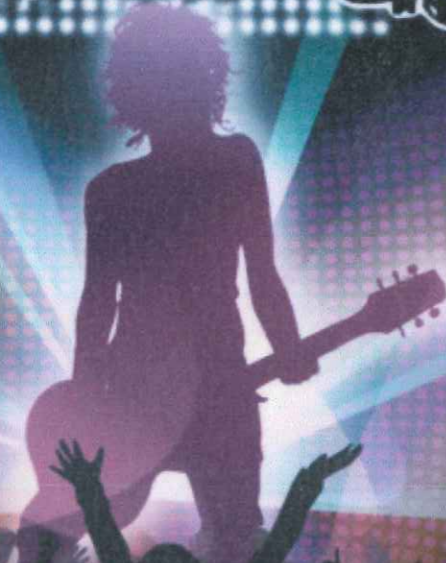
I LOVE THE JUDGES. EVEN THOUGH MY MUM THINKS LOUIS SHOULD COME BACK (NOT SURE WHY!) RITA IS LOVELY, CHERYL IS BEAUTIFUL BUT TOO SKINNY - I WOULD RATHER LOOK LIKE RITA. NICK IS FUNNY AND SIMON IS BETTER VALUE WHEN HE'S MR NASTY.....

EVERYONE SHOULD WATCH THE X-FACTOR. EVEN IF YOU DON'T LIKE THE SINGERS OR THE JUDGES IT WILL DEFINATELY MAKE YOU LAUGH AND SOMETIMES EVEN CRY!

X-FACTOR VERSUS STRICTLY?  
X-FACTOR FOR ME EVERY TIME



# BACKSTAGE GOSSIP



**SPARKS FLEW WHEN CAROLINE AND HARRY MET AGAIN BACKSTAGE AT THE X-FACTOR**

**ANTON HATED ALL THE SONGS HE WAS GIVEN BUT TRIED HIS BEST!**

**LAUREN HAS LEFT THE HOUSE BUT IS STILL IN THE COMPETITION**

**WE THINK CAROLINE AND OLLY MAKE A LOVELY COUPLE!**

**RUMOURS THAT OLLY MURS WILL NOT RETURN TO THE SHOW NEXT YEAR**



# MINECRAFT REVIEW

**Kids are obsessed, schools have banned it! What's the truth about this fascinating game? Does it encourage problem solving and creativity or dark and destructive thoughts?**

**Minecraft is a game about building stuff with cubes. There are two game choices; survival or creative. Your starting point could be a forest, desert, field or a mountain. To begin with it is very peaceful but what you don't realise is that monsters start appearing after dark. Day time is usually safe apart from in caves and tunnels so basically dark places are dangerous.....**

**Playing with your friends enables you to show them amazing creations and seeds. It also means you can let your friends expand and influence your world and it's great to watch it evolve. Minecraft can be an awesome and fascinating game that you can enjoy alone or with friends and learn lots from.**

**It can also be dark, dangerous and destructive. Not only can your friends enter your world but strangers can come and destroy everything you have created. You must take steps to prevent them from getting in! At least your parents should. There wouldn't leave you playing in the park with strangers nor should they leave you in a Minecraft world with strangers!**

**Lots of people think the visuals aren't very good. The games simple logic is what makes it so brilliantly accessible to all. I think it's great that my 5 year old sister can build a house, which she couldn't do in other games. I can then explain to her that the different blocks don't just look different but they have there own uses, like putting stone around the fireplace to stop the fire spreading. It's equally great that my big sisters boyfriend can build things in my world and explain things to me that I never would have known. My mum still doesn't get it!**

## CONCLUSION

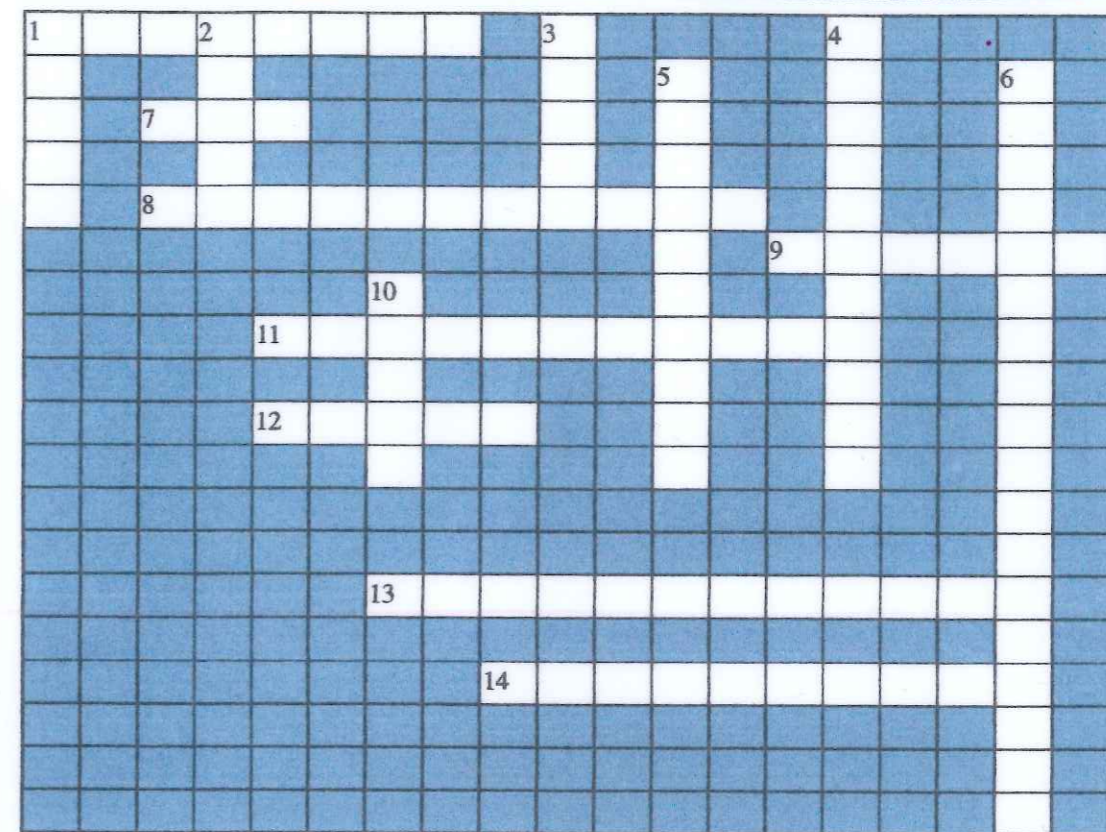
Minecraft popularity is on the increase. Some say this game has made them understand maths and science more than school. There are no instructions which can make getting started a bit tricky but it makes you creative. You have to solve problems. Success and failure make you learn things about your Minecraft world and the real world. It is addictive and annoys teachers and parents as once you know what you're doing you won't leave your computer!

If you haven't played it yet, you have to. If you gave up too early last time, try again - there are online guides for beginners. It's a world of discovery, experimentation and quite often disaster. But it's great fun!

**JUST MAKE SURE YOU BUILD A HUT BEFORE THE SUN SETS!**



## Poptastic Music Crossword



### ACROSS

1. New female X-Factor Judge
7. First name of last years X-Factor winner
8. Whose latest album is Cry When I Laugh
9. First name of Ellie Goulding's boyfriend
12. What colour is Little Mix's magic
13. Artist whose Album is 1989
14. New Judge on The Voice

### DOWN

1. Rihanna's real name
2. Singer of Hello
3. Recent song by Justin Bieber
4. South West Music festival
5. 5th Member of One Direction
6. Theme to new James Bond film
10. Maroon 5's sweet song



TURN OVER FOR THE ANSWERS

## Poptastic Music Crossword Answers

### Across

1. Rita Ora
7. Ben
8. Jess Glynne
9. Dougie
12. Black
13. Taylor Swift
14. Boy George

### Down

1. Robyn
2. Adele
3. Sorry
4. Glastonbury
5. Zayn Malik
6. Writing's on the Wall
10. Sugar

