

“A NIGHT AT THE OSCARS”

THE 81ST ACADEMY AWARDS  OFFICIAL THINKSO HOME EDITION

★ AND THE WINNER IS: ★

Play along in the comfort of your own living room. Make your picks and collect your points—1 each for standard categories, 2 for the biggies.

BEST PICTURE OF THE YEAR (2 PTS.)

- The Curious Case of Benjamin Button*
- Frost/Nixon*
- Milk*
- The Reader*
- Slumdog Millionaire*

BEST DIRECTOR (2 PTS.)

- The Curious Case of Benjamin Button*, David Fincher
- Frost/Nixon*, Ron Howard
- Milk*, Gus Van Sant
- The Reader*, Stephen Daldry
- Slumdog Millionaire*, Danny Boyle

BEST ACTOR—LEADING ROLE (2 PTS.)

- Richard Jenkins in *The Visitor*
- Frank Langella in *Frost/Nixon*
- Sean Penn in *Milk*
- Brad Pitt in *The Curious Case of Benjamin Button*
- Mickey Rourke in *The Wrestler*

BEST ACTRESS—LEADING ROLE (2 PTS.)

- Anne Hathaway in *Rachel Getting Married*
- Angelina Jolie in *Changeling*
- Melissa Leo in *Frozen River*
- Meryl Streep in *Doubt*
- Kate Winslet in *The Reader*

BEST ACTOR—SUPPORTING ROLE

- Josh Brolin in *Milk*
- Robert Downey Jr. in *Tropic Thunder*
- Philip Seymour Hoffman in *Doubt*
- Heath Ledger in *The Dark Knight*
- Michael Shannon in *Revolutionary Road*

BEST ACTRESS—SUPPORTING ROLE

- Amy Adams in *Doubt*
- Penélope Cruz in *Vicky Cristina Barcelona*
- Viola Davis in *Doubt*
- Taraji P. Henson in *The Curious Case of Benjamin Button*
- Marisa Tomei in *The Wrestler*

BEST COSTUME DESIGN

- Australia*
- The Curious Case of Benjamin Button*
- The Duchess*
- Milk*
- Revolutionary Road*

BEST ANIMATED FEATURE FILM

- Bolt*
- Kung Fu Panda*
- WALL-E*

BEST DOCUMENTARY

- The Betrayal (Nerakhoon)*
- Encounters at the End of the World*
- The Garden*
- Man on Wire*
- Trouble the Water*

BEST FOREIGN FILM

- The Baader Meinhof Complex*—Germany
- The Class*—France
- Departures*—Japan
- Revanche*—Austria
- Waltz with Bashir*—Israel

BEST FILM EDITING

- The Curious Case of Benjamin Button*
- The Dark Knight*
- Frost/Nixon*
- Milk*
- Slumdog Millionaire*

BEST MUSIC—ORIGINAL SCORE

- The Curious Case of Benjamin Button*, Alexandre Desplat
- Defiance*, James Newton Howard
- Milk*, Danny Elfman
- Slumdog Millionaire*, A.R. Rahman
- WALL-E*, Thomas Newman

BEST MUSIC—ORIGINAL SONG

- Down to Earth* from *WALL-E*
Music by Peter Gabriel and Thomas Newman / Lyric by Peter Gabriel
- Jai Ho* from *Slumdog Millionaire*
Music by A.R. Rahman / Lyric by Gulzar
- O Saya* from *Slumdog Millionaire*
Music and Lyric by A.R. Rahman and Maya Arulpragasam

BEST VISUAL EFFECTS

- The Curious Case of Benjamin Button*
- The Dark Knight*
- Iron Man*

BEST WRITING—ADAPTED SCREENPLAY

- The Curious Case of Benjamin Button*
- Doubt*
- Frost/Nixon*
- The Reader*
- Slumdog Millionaire*

BEST WRITING—ORIGINAL SCREENPLAY

- Frozen River*
- Happy-Go-Lucky*
- In Bruges*
- Milk*
- WALL-E*

EXTRA! EXTRA!

For bonus points, before the show, pick scenarios from the list below. Get a prediction right and win. Get it wrong and SUBTRACT from your total.

- Salma Hayek shows less cleavage than Scarlett Johansson (1)
- Jack Nicholson does NOT wear his sunglasses in the theater (2)
- Jack Nicholson sits in the front row (1)
- Someone mentions “Diego Luna” on stage (3)
- Tom Cruise and Katie Holmes fake a happy marriage (1)
- Renee Zellweger brings Dan Abrams as her date (2)
- Hugh Jackman bombs as host (2)
- Helen Mirren looks like a hottie (1)
- Harrison Ford wears his earring (1)
- Nicole Kidman looks unbotoxed (5)
- Brad and Angelina announce they have adopted another child (3)
- Someone trips (1)
- Someone tries to ad lib, but the audience doesn’t laugh (1)
- The musical numbers are really boring (1)
- Obama is mentioned in more than one acceptance speech (2)
- Awkward moment occurs between Jen and Angelina (5)
- Oprah brings Stedman instead of Gayle (6)
- Someone at your party falls asleep before the end of the show (1)
- Someone makes a joke about sleeping with Judy Dench (1)
- You watch the WHOLE show (5)

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Send your score to oscars@thinkso.com and see your name in lights!

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