

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE TRIVIA QUESTIONS #81



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1> Which of the following mountains would you find in Japan?

- a. Fuji
- b. Shishapangma
- c. Annapurna
- d. Makalu

2> Which of the following Billboard hit songs did Bill Withers NOT record?

- a. Ain't No Sunshine
- b. Lean On Me
- c. Just the Two of Us
- d. Cats in the Cradle

3> Winner of the 1988 Nobel Prize for Literature, where was Naguib Mahfouz from?

- a. Egypt
- b. Japan
- c. Spain
- d. Chile

4> Which President stated, "Boy, they were big on crematoriums, weren't they?" after seeing Auschwitz?

- a. John F. Kennedy
- b. Richard Nixon
- c. George Bush

d. Jimmy Carter

5> What is "Annatto"?

- a. A spice
- b. A fish
- c. A musical instrument
- d. A type of horse

6> Who does the voice of Dory in the 2003 Disney film "Finding Nemo"?

- a. Amy Schumer
- b. Madonna
- c. Ellen DeGeneres
- d. Jenny Slate

7> What part of a monitor lizard is considered to be an aphrodisiac?

- a. Brain
- b. Liver
- c. Tail
- d. Claws

8> When did the hit TV sitcom Happy Days first air?

- a. 1974
- b. 1981
- c. 1984
- d. 1977

9> Accra is the capital of which nation?

- a. Ghana
- b. Ethiopia

- c. Turkey
- d. Qatar

10> Created by Jenji Kohan, who plays the role of Piper Chapman on the American comedy-drama series "Orange is the New Black"?

- a. Michelle Hurst
- b. Taylor Schilling
- c. Taryn Manning
- d. Natasha Lyonne

11> Which of the following novels was not written by American author Dean Koontz?

- a. Watchers
- b. Fear Nothing
- c. Doctor Sleep
- d. Odd Thomas

12> While vice president of the United States, Dan Quayle played which sport about three times a week?

- a. Racquetball
- b. Billiards
- c. Tennis
- d. Golf

13> Where is the mouth of the European river "Rhine" located?

- a. Bay of Fundy
- b. North Sea
- c. Mediterranean Sea
- d. Gulf of Mexico

14> What are Ghillies?

- a. Dogs
- b. Rocks
- c. Shoes
- d. Plants

15> The King Cobra is the national reptile of which nation?

- a. Nepal
- b. Egypt
- c. Yemen
- d. India

16> How much did American airlines save per year by simply taking the olives out of first class salads?

- a. \$100,000
- b. \$250,000
- c. \$25,000
- d. \$40,000

17> Which of the following movies did not star Mel Gibson?

- a. Blade Runner
- b. Maverick
- c. Signs
- d. The Man Without a Face

18> Released in 1979, what was the first video game to feature a playable "black" character?

- a. Atari Basketball
- b. International Karate
- c. Agent USA
- d. Jumpman

Answers:

- 1> Fuji - Makalu is on the Nepal-China border.
- 2> Cats in the Cradle - Released in April 1972, Lean on Me was a number one hit in the United States.
- 3> Egypt - Mahfouz published 34 novels and over 350 short stories.
- 4> George Bush - George was the 41st President of the United States.
- 5> A spice - Annatto is described as a bit like nutmeg with a hint of pepper.
- 6> Ellen DeGeneres - Dory is a Blue Tang.
- 7> Liver - The tongue is also considered to be an aphrodisiac in India and Malaysia.
- 8> 1974 - After a ten-year run, the show went off the air in 1984.
- 9> Ghana - In terms of size, Ghana is the 82nd largest country.
- 10> Taylor Schilling - Orange is the New Black has received 12 Primetime Emmy Award nominations.
- 11> Doctor Sleep - Dean has had fourteen hardcover books reach number one on the New York Times Bestseller List.
- 12> Golf - Dan served with President George H. W. Bush from 1989 to 1993.
- 13> North Sea - The Rhine is 1,233 km long.
- 14> Shoes - Ghillies are soft shoes that are worn by Irish Dancers.
- 15> India - The Indian Peacock is the national bird.
- 16> \$40,000 - They made the change in 1987.
- 17> Blade Runner - Mel began his acting career in 1976, with a role on the TV series 'The Sullivans'.
- 18> Atari Basketball - Atari Basketball was programmed by Alan Miller for the Atari 800 home computer.

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