FLOWERS TRIVIA QUIZ





1>	Which of	these f	lowers i	s the	favorite (of over 8	30 percen	t of <i>i</i>	Americans?
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- a. Roses
- b. Carnations
- c. Daffodils
- d. Dandelions
- 2> Which of these flowers can be used instead of onions in cooking?
 - a. Tulips
 - b. Iris
 - c. Roses
 - d. Lilies
- 3> Which flower's name means "day's eye"?
 - a. Daisy
 - b. Lilac
 - c. Dandelion
 - d. Sunflower
- 4> Saffron, the spice, comes from a type of which flower?
 - a. Gardenia
 - b. Magnolia
 - c. Crocus
 - d. Iris
- 5> Which of these flowers does not need soil to grow?
 - a. Orchids
 - b. Lilies
 - c. Lavender

d. Tulip							
6> Which flower was poisoned by the Wicked Witch in the Wizard of Oz?							
a. Poppy b. Iris c. Sunflower d. Rose							
7> Magnolias were named after which botanist?							
a. Peter Mangolian b. Pierre Magnol c. Pierre Nolia							

8> How many species of violets are there?

a. 400-500

d. Charles Darwin

- b. 1000s
- c. 3
- d. 1

9> Which flower's juices were previously used to make glue?

- a. Morning Glory
- b. Buttercup
- c. Bluebell Flower
- d. Rose

10> Which of these plants is related to a banana plant?

- a. Sunflowers
- b. Roses
- c. Bird of Paradise
- d. Gardenia

Answers:

- 1> Roses Florists sell millions of roses every year and the top selling color is red!
- 2> Tulips Did you know that in the 1600s a single tulip sold for more than \$2000!
- 3> Daisy The daisy was named day's eye because the bright, sunny yellow center of the flower resembled the sun! Over time, day's eye became daisy!
- 4> Crocus Saffron comes from a crocus. Crocuses are part of the Iris family and they are frequently one of the first flowers of the year to bloom!
- 5> Orchids Orchids can get all of the nutrients they need from the air, many varieties do not need to be planted in soil.
- 6> Poppy The wicked witch poisoned Poppies to put Dorothy and her friends to sleep so they wouldn't reach the Emerald City!
- 7> Pierre Magnol He was a botanist in the 1600s, this just shows how far back flowers go! Magnolia remains and fossils have been found from 120 million years ago!
- 8> 400-500 400-500 different species! While many are actually violet colored, there are also blue, yellow, and white varieties!
- 9> Bluebell Flower The juices from bluebell flowers are also being used in tests to combat HIV!
- 10> Bird of Paradise This plant is native to South Africa, but they can be grown in the warmer U.S. states such as California and Florida.

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