

# GENERAL TRIVIA QUESTIONS XXII



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1> Name the animal that can go in front Of Crab, Plant, Wasp and Monkey.

- a. Beetle
- b. Bee
- c. Spider
- d. Fly

2> How often is Halley's Comet visible from Earth?

- a. Every 65 to 66 years
- b. Every 85 to 86 years
- c. Every 75 to 76 years
- d. Every 55 to 56 years

3> Hypertension is also known as?

- a. Low Blood Pressure
- b. Headache
- c. High Blood Pressure
- d. Stress

4> What is Madonna's surname?

- a. Ciccone
- b. Louise
- c. Richards
- d. Phillips

5> What would you measure with a pedometer?

- a. Wind Speed
- b. Walking Distance
- c. Rain Accumulation
- d. Humidity

6> Which well-known film star named Paul had their own brand of different salad dressings?

- a. Newman
- b. Lambert
- c. Bettany
- d. McCartney

7> The Rumba originated in which country?

- a. Mexico
- b. Cuba
- c. Brazil
- d. Columbia

8> Which city in Scotland has the largest population?

- a. Glasgow
- b. Edinburgh
- c. Aberdeen
- d. Dundee

9> Mandarin is the most widely spoken language in the world. What is the second?

- a. Spanish
- b. Hindi
- c. English
- d. Russian

10> A hematologist studies?

- a. Blood
- b. Weather
- c. Volcanoes

d. Insects

11> When this "gentleman commander" came home, he was captured by the Genoese and thrown into jail, where he told his tale to Rustichello. Who was he?

- a. Ferdinand Magellan
- b. Marco Polo
- c. Christopher Columbus
- d. John Cabot

12> What sort of creature is Sam, the mascot for Fruit Loops?

- a. Tiger
- b. Bear
- c. Toucan
- d. Fish

13> It's hard to spell, but is it hard to define? Which of these is an example of onomatopoeia?

- a. Ocean of beer
- b. A buzzing fly
- c. Sudden death overtime
- d. Jumbo shrimp

14> Aside from having a spiky tail and a brain the size of a golf ball, what feature made the Stegosaurus unique?

- a. Flippers and fins
- b. Bipedal movement
- c. A row of plates on its back
- d. Wings

15> Which of the following is NOT true of Chang and Eng, the original Siamese Twins?

- a. They alternated visits to their wives
- b. They were born in 1811 in Thailand
- c. They were surgically separated in 1858
- d. They lost their slaves after the Civil War

## Answers:

- 1> Spider - Spider Wasps are predominantly found in South America.
- 2> Every 75 to 76 years - Halley's Comet has been observed by astronomers since at least 240 BCE.
- 3> High Blood Pressure - Hypertension is a medical condition in which the blood pressure in the arteries is elevated.
- 4> Ciccone - Madonna is documented as the world's top-selling female recording artist of all time by Guinness World Records.
- 5> Walking Distance - A pedometer counts each step that a person takes by detecting the movement of their hips.
- 6> Newman - Newman founded Newman's Own, a line of food products that included salad dressing, in 1982.
- 7> Cuba - The rumba is quite dissimilar to the ballroom rumba, both in rhythm and dance moves.
- 8> Glasgow - As of 2012, Glasgow has a population of 581,320.
- 9> English - Mandarin is mainly spoken in China, Malaysia and Taiwan.
- 10> Blood - Meteorologists study weather.
- 11> Marco Polo - Marco Polo was in a Genoa prison in 1298-99.
- 12> Toucan - Originally voiced by Mel Blanc, Toucan Sam was redesigned to have a British-sounding voice, much like Ronald Coleman's.
- 13> A buzzing fly - Onomatopoeia as a word comes ultimately from the Greek words 'onoma', meaning 'name' and 'poiein', meaning 'to make'.
- 14> A row of plates on its back - To be exact, the brain was about twice the size of a walnut. Still, very small.
- 15> They were surgically separated in 1858 - They eventually moved to North Carolina, became farmers, took the last name Bunker, and both fathered children by a pair of sisters.

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