

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE TRIVIA QUESTIONS #108



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1> "All animals are equal but some animals are more equal than others" is a famous line by which author?

- a. Charles Dickens
- b. William Shakespeare
- c. George Orwell
- d. Charles Kingsley

2> Frodo's surname in J. R. R. Tolkien's "Lord of the Rings" is...?

- a. Waggins
- b. Faggins
- c. Baggins
- d. Haggins

3> From which country did the Aztecs hail from during the 14th to 16th centuries?

- a. Mexico
- b. Brazil
- c. Peru
- d. Spain

4> Graham Nash made his name in which popular British band?

- a. The Beatles
- b. The Hollies
- c. The Jam

d. The Kinks

5> Haile Selassie was deposed as Emperor of which country in 1974?

- a. Cameroon
- b. Ethiopia
- c. Sudan
- d. Nigeria

6> Hitler's "Mein Kampf" was first published in what year?

- a. 1925
- b. 1920
- c. 1930
- d. 1935

7> The "Curtis Cup" is awarded in which sport?

- a. Basketball
- b. Tennis
- c. Golf
- d. Soccer

8> The "Hoover Dam" spans which river?

- a. Yellow River
- b. Colorado River
- c. Mississippi River
- d. Potomac River

9> The character Mr. Thomas Gradgrind appears in which Dicken's novel?

- a. Great Expectations
- b. Nicholas Nickleby

- c. Hard Times
- d. David Copperfield

10> What color is the art and literature category in "Trivial Pursuit"?

- a. Orange
- b. Yellow
- c. Pink
- d. Brown

11> What geographical feature is the study of "Limnology" concerned with?

- a. Inland Waters
- b. Plants
- c. Mountains
- d. Jungles

12> What instrument was played by famous jazz musician "Louis Armstrong"?

- a. Saxophone
- b. Piano
- c. Trumpet
- d. Clarinet

13> "Toothed" and "Baleen" are both examples of what?

- a. Whales
- b. Badgers
- c. Panda
- d. Sharks

14> "Toot Sweets" is a song from which British musical film?

- a. Half a Sixpence

- b. Bedknobs and Broomsticks
- c. Chitty Chitty Bang Bang
- d. Oliver

15> With an area of almost 70,000 km squared, what is the largest lake in Africa?

- a. Titicaca
- b. Lake Victoria
- c. Tanganyika
- d. Malawi

16> Who played the starring role in the 1992 film "The Last of the Mohicans"?

- a. Daniel Day-Lewis
- b. Joe Pesci
- c. Johnny Depp
- d. Pierce Brosnan

17> Which national Rugby Union team has a red rose for its emblem?

- a. Ireland
- b. Wales
- c. Scotland
- d. England

18> Which plant is often referred to as "Belladonna"?

- a. Lucerne
- b. Endive
- c. Deadly Nightshade
- d. Bluebell

19> What animal has the longest lifespan in captivity?

- a. Giant Tortoise
- b. Horse
- c. Elephant
- d. Whale

20> With a career spanning 20 seasons, what sport is "Jerry Rice" famous for playing?

- a. Ice Hockey
- b. Baseball
- c. Basketball
- d. American Football

21> Published in 1992, who wrote the novel "The Pelican Brief"?

- a. Tom Clancy
- b. Peter James
- c. John Green
- d. John Grisham

22> In the Disney film "Dumbo", what kind of animal is Dumbo's friend Timothy?

- a. Rat
- b. Cat
- c. Dog
- d. Mouse

Answers:

- 1> George Orwell - From the 1945 novel Animal Farm.
- 2> Baggins - Frodo is a hobbit of the Shire who inherits the One Ring from his uncle Bilbo Baggins.
- 3> Mexico - The Aztec culture and history is chiefly known through archaeological excavations.
- 4> The Hollies - Graham has been inducted to the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame twice, once for Crosby, Stills and Nash and once for the Hollies.
- 5> Ethiopia - Selassie was Emperor of Ethiopia from 1930 to 1974.
- 6> 1925 - Mein Kampf translates to 'My Struggle'.
- 7> Golf - The Curtis Cup is a team trophy for women amateur golfers.
- 8> Colorado River - The Hoover Dam was originally called the Boulder Dam.
- 9> Hard Times - Hard Times was first published as a serial in April of 1854.
- 10> Brown - Trivial Pursuit was created in 1979 by Canadian Chris Haney.
- 11> Inland Waters - The term limnology was first coined by Francois-Alphonse Forel.
- 12> Trumpet - Armstrong's career spanned five decades from the 1920s to the 1960s.
- 13> Whales - There are approximately 65 different species of toothed whales.
- 14> Chitty Chitty Bang Bang - Toot Sweets is sung by Dick Van Dyke and Sally Ann Howes.
- 15> Lake Victoria - Lake Victoria is the largest 'tropical' lake in the world.
- 16> Daniel Day-Lewis - The Last of the Mohicans is based on James Fenimore Cooper's novel of the same name.
- 17> England - The England national rugby union team call Twickenham Stadium home.
- 18> Deadly Nightshade - Belladonna is native to Europe, North Africa and Western Asia.
- 19> Giant Tortoise - The giant tortoise has an average lifespan of 100 years or more.
- 20> American Football - Jerry played the position of wide receiver.
- 21> John Grisham - A film adaptation of the novel was released in 1993.
- 22> Mouse - Dumbo was released in 1941.

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