

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE TRIVIA QUESTIONS #79



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1> A soft silvery alkali metal, which element is represented by the letter K?

- a. Tin
- b. Radium
- c. Potassium
- d. Carbon

2> Which of the following phobias has to do with weather?

- a. Acerophobia
- b. Musophobia
- c. Brontophobia
- d. Ablutophobia

3> Which of the following classic books has sold over 50 million copies worldwide?

- a. Flowers in the Attic
- b. Gone with the Wind
- c. The Catcher in the Rye
- d. To Kill a Mockingbird

4> In the original version of the popular board game "Catan," which of these items was not available as a resource?

- a. Clay
- b. Sheep
- c. Water

d. Wood

5> What did the letter "M" stand for in the show M*A*S*H?

- a. Multinational
- b. Military
- c. Mobile
- d. Many

6> Commissioned to paint the work by the Medici family of Florence, who painted "The Birth of Venus" in 1486?

- a. Claude Monet
- b. Leonardo da Vinci
- c. Sandro Botticelli
- d. Johannes Vermeer

7> Navel, Cara Cara and Moro are all?

- a. Rivers
- b. Flowers
- c. Oranges
- d. Capital cities

8> Which of these islands is not part of the Fiji Islands, which are located in South Pacific Ocean?

- a. Galoa
- b. Kadavu
- c. Sado
- d. Dravuni

9> Founded in New York City in 1946, how many teams are in the National Basketball Association (NBA)?

- a. 26
- b. 30
- c. 35
- d. 45

10> Featured on the cover of the June 1985 issue of National Geographic Magazine, who took the famous photograph titled "Afghan Girl"?

- a. Steve McCurry
- b. Charles C. Ebbets
- c. Stanley J. Forman
- d. Malcolm Browne

11> One of George Balanchine's stars, what is Diana Adams famous for?

- a. Acting
- b. Writer
- c. Ballet
- d. Politician

12> Published in 1986, who wrote the classic 1986 techno-thriller novel "Red Storm Rising"?

- a. David Eddings
- b. Bram Stoker
- c. Ian Fleming
- d. Tom Clancy

13> The Major-League Baseball (MLB) team, the Braves, play in what city?

- a. Atlanta
- b. Detroit
- c. Arlington
- d. Chicago

14> What colors make up the German flag?

- a. Red, yellow and black
- b. Black, green and yellow
- c. Orange, blue and red
- d. Red and green

15> Found on their debut studio album "Don't Kill the Magic," who recorded the hit song "Rude"?

- a. Maroon 5
- b. John Legend
- c. Magic!
- d. Nico and Vinz

Answers:

- 1> Potassium - Potassium has an atomic number of 19.
- 2> Brontophobia - Brontophobia, also known as astraphobia, is the fear of lightning.
- 3> The Catcher in the Rye - Written by J.D. Salinger, the Catcher in the Rye has sold about 65 million copies.
- 4> Water - To build a road, you have to have wood and clay.
- 5> Mobile - M*A*S*H stood for Mobile Army Surgical Hospital.
- 6> Sandro Botticelli - Sandro Botticelli was an Italian painter. He was born in 1445.
- 7> Oranges - Moro are 'blood' oranges.
- 8> Sado - Sado is part of Japan.
- 9> 30 - There are 29 teams in the USA and 1 in Canada.
- 10> Steve McCurry - Many admirers have juxtaposed Afghan Girl to Leonardo da Vinci's painting of the Mona Lisa.
- 11> Ballet - Diana was a dancer with the New York City Ballet from 1950 to 1963.
- 12> Tom Clancy - Tom Clancy also wrote Patriot Games and The Hunt for Red October.
- 13> Atlanta - The Braves will be moving to a new stadium in 2017.
- 14> Red, yellow and black - The German flag consists of three horizontal stripes.
- 15> Magic! - Magic! is a Canadian band.

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