

KIDS PEOPLE AND PLACES TRIVIA QUIZ



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1> How many states are there in the United States of America?

- a. 30
- b. 48
- c. 50
- d. 40

2> In which city would you find the "Eiffel Tower"?

- a. Rome
- b. Madrid
- c. New York
- d. Paris

3> Nicknamed "The Maid of Orleans," Joan of Arc hailed from which country?

- a. France
- b. Spain
- c. England
- d. Italy

4> Radio City Music Hall, the World's Largest Cinema, is located in which city?

- a. Berlin
- b. New York
- c. Rome
- d. Ottawa

5> The largest monolith statue in the world, the "Great Sphinx of Giza" lies in which country?

- a. Turkey
- b. Syria
- c. Egypt
- d. Russia

6> The Vikings hailed from which part of the world?

- a. Europe
- b. North America
- c. Asia
- d. Africa

7> Where in the world is the city of Rome located?

- a. France
- b. Germany
- c. Italy
- d. Spain

8> Which city was buried in meters of ash and pumice due to a volcanic eruption in AD79?

- a. Pompeii
- b. Santorini
- c. Arequipa
- d. Naples

9> Which of these countries is located in Asia?

- a. Australia

- b. Spain
- c. Canada
- d. Japan

10> Napoleon Bonaparte ruled which nation as Emperor during the early 19th century?

- a. Russia
- b. England
- c. Spain
- d. France

11> In which country would you find the Empire State Building?

- a. Poland
- b. England
- c. Australia
- d. United States

12> How many faces are featured on the Mount Rushmore National Memorial sculpture?

- a. 6
- b. 5
- c. 3
- d. 4

13> Reigning for 21 years, Cleopatra was a pharaoh of which people?

- a. Romans
- b. Mandaeans
- c. Egyptians
- d. Ottomans

14> Located in Elizabeth Tower, the Great Bell nicknamed "Big Ben" is located in which

city?

- a. Birmingham
- b. Canterbury
- c. London
- d. Belfast

15> A triumph for the Soviet Union, Yuri Gagarin was the first man to go where?

- a. Space
- b. Top of Mount Everest
- c. South Pole
- d. Ocean Floor

16> Who was the first President of the United States of America?

- a. Thomas Jefferson
- b. John Adams
- c. Abraham Lincoln
- d. George Washington

17> Forming part of the English coastline, complete the name of the famous landmark - "The White Cliffs of ___"?

- a. Wiltshire
- b. Leeds
- c. Dover
- d. Birmingham

18> In what US state would you find the "Grand Canyon"?

- a. Arizona
- b. Washington
- c. Alabama
- d. Montana

19> Which of the following famous people invented the telephone?

- a. Thomas Edison
- b. Albert Einstein
- c. Benjamin Franklin
- d. Alexander Graham Bell

20> The largest hot desert in the world, on which continent would you find the "Sahara Desert"?

- a. Australia
- b. Europe
- c. Africa
- d. South American

Answers:

- 1> 50 - A citizen of the United States is called an 'American'.
- 2> Paris - The iron lattice tower is named after the engineer Gustave Eiffel.
- 3> France - Joan of Arc was canonized as a Roman Catholic saint on May 16th, 1920.
- 4> New York - Radio City Music Hall's nickname is the 'Showplace of the Nation'.
- 5> Egypt - The Great Sphinx of Giza is a limestone statue of a mythical creature with a lion's body and a human head.
- 6> Europe - Vikings were known for their advanced seafaring skills.
- 7> Italy - Rome is the capital of Italy.
- 8> Pompeii - The eruption of Mount Vesuvius completely destroyed the city of Pompeii.
- 9> Japan - Japan is an island country in East Asia.
- 10> France - Napoleon was Emperor of the French from 1804 until 1814 and again in 1815.
- 11> United States - The Empire State Building has been named as one of the Seven Wonders of the Modern World by the American Society of Civil Engineers.
- 12> 4 - The sculpture depicts U.S. presidents George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, Theodore Roosevelt and Abraham Lincoln.
- 13> Egyptians - Cleopatra represented herself to her people as the reincarnation of the Egyptian goddess Isis.
- 14> London - Big Ben is one of the world's most famous tourist attractions.
- 15> Space - Yuri was awarded the title 'Hero of the Soviet Union', the nation's highest honor.
- 16> George Washington - George Washington is one of the Founding Fathers of the United States.
- 17> Dover - The cliffs are composed mainly of white chalk.
- 18> Arizona - The Grand Canyon is approximately 277 miles long.
- 19> Alexander Graham Bell - Alexander was awarded the first U.S. patent for the telephone in 1876.
- 20> Africa - The Sahara Desert is the world's third largest desert after Antarctica and the Arctic.

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