SCIENCE TRIVIA QUESTIONS #30



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| 1> What is the proper term for the layer of earth found between the crust and the outer core? | |
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| a. Inner Core b. Magna | |
| c. Mantle d. Corolla | |

2> Which element is represented by Na?

- a. Tin
- b. Silver
- c. Plutonium
- d. Sodium

3> Varieties of this bird include the grasshopper, reed and marsh.

- a. Warbler
- b. Wren
- c. Falcon
- d. Duck

4> Known as the father of nuclear physics, which of these men is credited with splitting the atom?

- a. Sir John Percy
- b. Sir Henry Adams

| c. Sir Ernest Rutherford d. Sir William King |
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| 5> Where would you find your triceps? |
| a. The lower backb. The upper armc. Stomachd. Lower leg |
| 6> What does the acronym "FM" stand for on your radio? |
| a. Fifteenth modulationb. Frequency meterc. Frequency modulationd. Fast meter |
| 7> Which of these organs filters foreign substances out of the blood? |
| a. Spleen b. Pancreas c. Stomach d. Heart |
| 8> What is the boiling point for grain or ethanol alcohol? |
| a. 231F b. 100F c. 455F d. 173F |
| 9> Which planet from our solar system has the shortest day? |

a. Jupiter

| b. Mars |
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| c. Mercury |
| d. Neptune |
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| 10> Who is credited with inventing the aqualung in 1943? |
| a. William Sturgeon |
| b. Leonardo di Vinci |
| c. Nikola Tesla |
| d. Jacques Cousteau |
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| 11> Who is often referred to as the "Father of the atomic bomb"? |
| a. Christian Huygens |
| b. Enrico Fermi |
| c. Nicolas Cugnot |
| d. Karl Whilliem |
| 12> Where would you find an anvil, a stirrup and a hammer? |
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| a. The foot |
| b. A radio c. The ear |
| d. A battery |
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| 13> What is oxygen's atomic number? |
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| a. 8 |
| b. 2 c. 11 |
| d. 40 |
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14> Sir Frank Whittle is best-known for inventing what?

- a. Turbojet engine
- b. Flour mill
- c. Stapler
- d. Machine gun

15> Often used for theatrical effects, what is dry ice?

- a. Ammonium sulfate
- b. Nitrous oxide
- c. Carbonate
- d. Carbon dioxide

Answers:

- 1> Mantle The thickest part of the Earth, the mantle is approximately 2,880 km thick.
- 2> Sodium Sodium is number eleven on the periodic table.
- 3> Warbler The sedge is another variety of the warbler.
- 4> Sir Ernest Rutherford Sir Ernest Rutherford was born in New Zealand in 1871.
- 5> The upper arm The triceps control a lot of the elbow movement.
- 6> Frequency modulation The acronym AM stands for amplitude modulation.
- 7> Spleen The spleen is about the size of your fist.
- 8> 173F 173F is about 78C. Methanol alcohol boils at 151F.
- 9> Jupiter A day on Jupiter lasts about 9 hours and fifty-five minutes.
- 10> Jacques Cousteau Cousteau developed the aqualung with Emile Gagman.
- 11> Enrico Fermi Enrico Fermi was an Italian physicist who is known for his work in nuclear and quantum physics.
- 12> The ear Other parts of the ear include the pinna and the eardrum.
- 13>8 Hydrogen atomic number is 1.
- 14> Turbojet engine Sir Frank Whittle was a member of the RAF.
- 15> Carbon dioxide Dry ice is sometimes called cardice.

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