

# European History for Kids

European History · Practice Test · 12 Questions

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**1. What was the name of the deep ditch filled with water that surrounded many medieval castles?**

- A) A pond
- B) A moat
- C) A river
- D) A lake

**2. In which ancient city would you find the famous Colosseum where gladiators fought?**

- A) Paris
- B) London
- C) Rome
- D) Athens

**3. The first Olympic Games were held in which European country over 2,000 years ago?**

- A) Italy
- B) France
- C) Spain
- D) Greece

**4. What were the fast, wooden ships used by the Vikings called?**

- A) Longships
- B) Speedboats
- C) Canoes
- D) Submarines

**5. Which famous artist from Italy painted the 'Mona Lisa'?**

- A) Pablo Picasso
- B) Vincent van Gogh
- C) Leonardo da Vinci
- D) Claude Monet

**6. What did knights wear to protect their bodies during battles?**

- A) Silk robes
- B) Metal armor
- C) Leather coats
- D) Plastic suits

**7. Which famous Italian explorer traveled all the way to China and wrote a book about it?**

- A) Christopher Columbus
- B) Marco Polo
- C) Captain Cook
- D) Neil Armstrong

**8. What did Johannes Gutenberg invent that made it easier to create many books at once?**

- A) The telephone
- B) The printing press
- C) The lightbulb
- D) The internet

**9. In which city was the Eiffel Tower built for a big fair in 1889?**

- A) Berlin
- B) Madrid
- C) Paris
- D) Vienna

**10. Who was the famous Queen of England who lived during the time the first steam trains were built?**

- A) Queen Elizabeth II
- B) Queen Victoria
- C) Queen Mary
- D) Queen Cleopatra

**11. Stonehenge is a famous circle of giant stones found in which country?**

- A) Germany
- B) Norway
- C) England
- D) Ireland

**12. The Great Fire of London in 1666 started in a bakery located on which street?**

- A) Pudding Lane
- B) Bread Street
- C) Fire Alley
- D) Baker Way