

Random Trivia Quiz

General Knowledge · Practice Test · 20 Questions

1. A cesium atom in an atomic clock beats how many times a second?

- A) 9,192,631,770
- B) 1,000,000
- C) 60
- D) 365

2. A lightning bolt generates temperatures how many times hotter than the sun's surface?

- A) Five
- B) Two
- C) Ten
- D) One Hundred

3. What is the blue field behind the stars called?

- A) Canton
- B) Galaxy
- C) Nebula
- D) Void

4. A golden razor removed from King Tut's Tomb was still sharp enough to be used. True or False?

- A) True
- B) False

5. How long does it take a snail to crawl one mile?

- A) 33 hours
- B) 1 hour
- C) 1 week
- D) 1 day

6. A 'dybbuk' is an evil spirit in which folklore?

- A) Jewish
- B) Greek
- C) Roman
- D) Egyptian

7. What is another name for a 'pigskin'?

- A) Football
- B) Baseball
- C) Basketball
- D) Soccer Ball

8. What does a 'sirocco' refer to?

- A) Wind
- B) Rain
- C) Snow
- D) Hail

9. What is a "double sheet bend" a type of?

- A) Knot
- B) Sail
- C) Rope
- D) Fish

10. What is a block of compressed coal dust used as fuel called?

- A) Briquette
- B) Coal
- C) Dust
- D) Pellet

11. What is a blockage in a pipe caused by a trapped bubble of air called?

- A) Airlock
- B) Bubble
- C) Blockage
- D) Vapor Lock

12. What type of boat is a catamaran?

- A) Boat with two parallel hulls
- B) Sailboat
- C) Fishing Boat
- D) Speedboat

13. How many gallons of petrol does a Boeing 707 use in its take-off climb?

- A) 4000
- B) 1000
- C) 500
- D) 10000

14. How many volts can a bolt of lightning strike the earth with?

- A) 100 million
- B) 1 million
- C) 1000
- D) 10000

15. What is a booklet containing descriptive information called?

- A) Brochure
- B) Book
- C) Pamphlet
- D) Manual

16. What is a branched hanging support for lights called?

- A) Chandelier
- B) Lamp
- C) Sconce
- D) Candelabra

17. What is a British lawyer who does not appear before judges, but organizes the case for trial called?

- A) Solicitor
- B) Barrister
- C) Judge
- D) Clerk

18. What is a carbohydrate made of?

- A) Carbon, Hydrogen, and Oxygen
- B) Carbon and Oxygen
- C) Hydrogen and Oxygen
- D) Carbon and Hydrogen

19. A carrier pigeon who stopped an American bombardment of American troops is now displayed where?

- A) Smithsonian Institution
- B) The Pentagon
- C) White House
- D) Air and Space Museum

20. What type of clock is cesium used in?

- A) Atomic
- B) Grandfather
- C) Cuckoo
- D) Digital