

Global History Essentials for Kids

History · Answer Key · 18 Questions

1. In what year did Christopher Columbus first reach the Americas?

A) 1492

B) 1520

C) 1450

D) 1550

2. How many original colonies formed the foundation of the United States?

A) 10

B) 13

C) 15

D) 50

3. In which year did the French Revolution begin?

A) 1776

B) 1789

C) 1800

D) 1750

4. Who was the first person to step on the moon in 1969?

A) Buzz Aldrin

B) Yuri Gagarin

C) Neil Armstrong

D) John Glenn

5. The Great Pyramid of Giza was built for which Egyptian Pharaoh?

A) Khufu

B) Ramses II

C) Tutankhamun

D) Akhenaten

6. How many voyages did Ferdinand Magellan's expedition complete to circumnavigate the globe?

A) 1

B) 3

C) 5

D) 7

7. In what year did the Berlin Wall fall, signaling the end of the Cold War?

A) 1985

B) 1989

C) 1991

D) 1995

8. Which English king signed the Magna Carta in 1215?

A) King Henry VIII

B) King Richard the Lionheart

C) King John

D) King Edward I

9. How many years did the Hundred Years' War actually last?

A) 100

B) 105

C) 116

D) 120

10. Who was the first woman to fly solo across the Atlantic Ocean?

A) Bessie Coleman

B) Amelia Earhart

C) Harriet Quimby

D) Jacqueline Cochran

11. In what year was the Magna Carta sealed?

A) 1066

B) 1215

C) 1492

D) 1776

12. How many wives did King Henry VIII of England have in total?

A) 4

B) 5

C) 6

D) 8

13. The Roman Empire officially fell in the West in what year?

A) 476 AD

B) 330 AD

C) 500 AD

D) 395 AD

14. Which explorer reached India by sea in 1498?

A) Vasco da Gama

B) Hernan Cortes

C) Francis Drake

D) James Cook

15. How many members of the First Continental Congress met in 1774?

A) 12

B) 13

C) 50

D) 56

16. The Titanic sank in the North Atlantic in what year?

A) 1905

B) 1912

C) 1918

D) 1920

17. How many years was Nelson Mandela imprisoned?

A) 15

B) 20

C) 27

D) 30

18. In what year did the Wright brothers complete the first powered airplane flight?

A) 1900

B) 1903

C) 1910

D) 1914