

Young Explorers Knowledge Quest

Adventure & Exploration · Answer Key · 18 Questions

1. Which of these is the largest ocean on Earth?

- A) Atlantic Ocean
- B) Indian Ocean
- C) Pacific Ocean**
- D) Arctic Ocean

2. What is the name of the highest mountain in the world?

- A) Mount Everest**
- B) Mount Fuji
- C) Mount Kilimanjaro
- D) Mount Kosciuszko

3. Which planet is known as the Red Planet?

- A) Venus
- B) Mars**
- C) Jupiter
- D) Saturn

4. Who was the first person to step on the Moon?

- A) Yuri Gagarin
- B) Neil Armstrong**
- C) Buzz Aldrin
- D) John Glenn

5. Which continent is covered almost entirely by ice?

- A) Africa
- B) Australia
- C) Antarctica**
- D) South America

6. What imaginary line divides the Earth into the Northern and Southern Hemispheres?

- A) The Prime Meridian
- B) The Equator**
- C) The Arctic Circle
- D) The Tropic of Capricorn

7. Which explorer led the first expedition to sail all the way around the world?

- A) Ferdinand Magellan**
- B) Christopher Columbus
- C) Captain Cook
- D) Marco Polo

8. In which country would you find the ancient Great Pyramid of Giza?

- A) Greece
- B) Mexico
- C) Egypt**
- D) Italy

9. Which is the largest desert in the world?

- A) Sahara Desert
- B) Gobi Desert
- C) Antarctic Desert**
- D) Kalahari Desert

10. What do we call a person who explores underwater using a special suit?

- A) Astronaut
- B) Speleologist
- C) Scuba Diver**
- D) Mountaineer

11. Which river is the longest in the world?

- A) Amazon River
- B) Nile River**
- C) Mississippi River
- D) Yangtze River

12. What is the name of the deep, natural hole in the ground that a spelunker explores?

- A) A canyon
- B) A cave**
- C) A volcano
- D) A valley

13. Which ocean is located between Africa and the Americas?

- A) Pacific Ocean
- B) Indian Ocean
- C) Atlantic Ocean**
- D) Southern Ocean

14. What instrument helps an explorer find their way by pointing North?

- A) Telescope
- B) Thermometer

C) Compass

- D) Barometer

15. Which animal is often associated with navigating the icy waters of the Arctic?

- A) Kangaroo

B) Polar Bear

- C) Camel
- D) Lion

16. What is the name of the imaginary line that runs from the North Pole to the South Pole?

A) Axis

- B) Equator
- C) Tropic of Cancer
- D) Orbit

17. Which forest is known as the largest tropical rainforest in the world?

- A) Daintree Rainforest
- B) Black Forest

C) Amazon Rainforest

- D) Congo Rainforest

18. What do you call an explorer who studies outer space?

- A) Geologist

B) Astronaut

- C) Biologist
- D) Archaeologist