

Elementary School Curriculum Trivia Challenge

Trivia · Answer Key · 20 Questions

1. Which Australian marsupial is known for its ability to glide between trees using a membrane of skin?

- A) Wombat
- B) Koala
- C) Sugar Glider**
- D) Kangaroo

2. In the water cycle, what is the process called when water changes from a liquid to a gas and rises into the atmosphere?

- A) Condensation
- B) Precipitation
- C) Evaporation**
- D) Collection

3. What is the name of the longest river in Australia?

- A) Murray River**
- B) Darling River
- C) Mawson River
- D) Swan River

4. Which planet in our solar system is known as the 'Red Planet'?

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

5. What is the process by which plants make their own food using sunlight, water, and carbon dioxide?

- A) Respiration
- B) Transpiration
- C) Photosynthesis**
- D) Germination

6. What is the capital city of Australia?

- A) Sydney
- B) Melbourne
- C) Brisbane
- D) Canberra**

7. Which famous explorer is credited with circumnavigating the globe for the first time?

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

8. What is the largest mammal on Earth?

- A) African Elephant
- B) Blue Whale**
- C) Sperm Whale
- D) Giraffe

9. In geometry, what is a shape with three sides called?

- A) Square
- B) Rectangle
- C) Triangle**
- D) Circle

10. What is the process of a caterpillar transforming into a butterfly called?

- A) Hibernation
- B) Metamorphosis**
- C) Migration
- D) Adaptation

11. What is the primary gas that humans breathe in from the atmosphere?

- A) Carbon Dioxide
- B) Nitrogen
- C) Oxygen**
- D) Hydrogen

12. Which continent is known as the 'Land Down Under'?

- A) Asia
- B) Africa
- C) North America
- D) Australia**

13. What is the name of the large chain of islands off the coast of Queensland, Australia, famous for its coral reefs?

- A) Tasmania
- B) Great Barrier Reef**
- C) Kangaroo Island
- D) Fiji

14. What force pulls objects towards the center of the Earth?

- A) Magnetism
- B) Electricity
- C) Gravity**
- D) Friction

15. Which Australian animal is famous for its ability to stand on its hind legs and hop?

- A) Emu
- B) Platypus
- C) Kangaroo**
- D) Dingo

16. What is the main ingredient in bread?

- A) Rice
- B) Corn
- C) Wheat**
- D) Oats

17. Which ancient civilization built the pyramids in Egypt?

- A) Romans
- B) Greeks
- C) Egyptians**
- D) Mayans

18. What is the process where a liquid turns into a solid?

- A) Melting
- B) Boiling
- C) Freezing**
- D) Evaporating

19. What is the largest desert in the world?

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

20. Which Australian state is home to the Great Barrier Reef?

- A) New South Wales
- B) Victoria
- C) Queensland**
- D) Western Australia