

Beginner Quiz: Geography, Culture, and Trivia

General Knowledge · Answer Key · 20 Questions

1. The maple leaf is a symbol of which country?

- A) USA
- B) Canada**
- C) Denmark
- D) Ireland

2. Alpha and Beta are the first two letters of which alphabet?

- A) Latin
- B) Greek**
- C) Cyrillic
- D) Hebrew

3. Which country's flag has a red circle on a white background?

- A) Japan**
- B) Bangladesh
- C) Indonesia
- D) Singapore

4. What debunked 'rule' relates to eating food dropped on the floor?

- A) The five-second rule
- B) The three-second rule
- C) The two-second rule**
- D) The ten-second rule

5. Which continent is the Sahara Desert located in?

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

6. True or False: The Eiffel Tower was originally intended to be a temporary structure.

- A) True**
- B) False

7. Which country celebrates Diwali, the Festival of Lights, as a major holiday?

- A) India
- B) Nepal
- C) Fiji

D) All of the above

8. Which Pacific Island nation's flag features a Union Jack and four red stars?

A) Fiji

B) New Zealand

- C) Samoa
- D) Tonga

9. True or False: Pizza originated in Greece.

A) True

B) False

10. What cuisine most commonly uses five-spice powder?

- A) Indian
- B) Thai

C) Chinese

D) Vietnamese

11. In which country would you find the city of Fez, known for its historic medina?

A) Morocco

- B) Turkey
- C) Egypt
- D) Iran

12. How many official languages does Canada have?

A) One

B) Two

- C) Three
- D) Four

13. Which country's national dish is feijoada, a stew of beans and meat?

A) Brazil

- B) Argentina
- C) Spain
- D) Portugal

14. True or False: Ramadan is observed for one week each year.

- A) True
- B) False**

15. Which country is further north: Myanmar, Laos or Vietnam?

- A) Myanmar**
- B) Laos
- C) Vietnam
- D) They are at the same latitude

16. Which country is known as the Land of the Long White Cloud?

- A) Japan
- B) New Zealand**
- C) Iceland
- D) Norway

17. True or False: The Great Wall of China is visible from space with the naked eye.

- A) True
- B) False**

18. What is the alcoholic component of a Moscow Mule?

- A) Vodka**
- B) Gin
- C) Rum
- D) Tequila

19. True or False: The Amazon River is the longest river in the world.

- A) True
- B) False**

20. The traditional Maori dance performed in New Zealand is called what?

- A) Hula
- B) Haka**
- C) Siva
- D) Poi