

Junior Architects' History Quest

Architectural History · Practice Test · 25 Questions

1. What is the name of the famous tall tower in Paris, France?

- A) Eiffel Tower
- B) Big Ben
- C) Leaning Tower of Pisa
- D) Burj Khalifa

2. Which ancient country is famous for building the Great Pyramids?

- A) Greece
- B) Egypt
- C) China
- D) Italy

3. The Sydney Opera House is shaped like what objects?

- A) Boats
- B) Sails
- C) Clouds
- D) Trees

4. What is the famous building in India made of white marble that was built for a queen?

- A) The Colosseum
- B) The Taj Mahal
- C) The Parthenon
- D) The Great Wall

5. What do you call the strong stone structures that Romans built to carry water to cities?

- A) Aqueducts
- B) Tunnels
- C) Bridges
- D) Pipelines

6. Which famous building in Athens, Greece, has many tall stone columns?

- A) The Parthenon
- B) The White House
- C) The Louvre
- D) Big Ben

7. What shape is the base of the Great Pyramid of Giza?

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

8. What is the name of the famous clock tower located in London, England?

- A) Eiffel Tower
- B) Statue of Liberty
- C) Big Ben
- D) Empire State Building

9. In which city is the Colosseum, a famous ancient arena, located?

- A) Rome
- B) Paris
- C) London
- D) Tokyo

10. The Great Wall of China was built mainly to act as what?

- A) A road
- B) A fence
- C) A protection wall
- D) A bridge

11. What material were many ancient castles built from to make them very strong?

- A) Wood
- B) Stone
- C) Plastic
- D) Glass

12. What are the tall, round supports often found holding up the roofs of ancient buildings?

- A) Windows
- B) Columns
- C) Doors
- D) Stairs

13. Which famous tower in Italy is known for being tilted to the side?

- A) Leaning Tower of Pisa
- B) Eiffel Tower
- C) Empire State Building
- D) Space Needle

14. What is the main purpose of a lighthouse?

- A) To host parties
- B) To guide ships
- C) To store food
- D) To keep cows

15. What is the name of the house where the President of the United States lives?

- A) The White House
- B) The Blue House
- C) The Red House
- D) The Green House

16. What part of a house helps keep the rain and sun off the people inside?

- A) Roof
- B) Floor
- C) Chimney
- D) Door

17. What building style uses tall, pointed arches and large stained glass windows?

- A) Gothic
- B) Modern
- C) Simple
- D) Round

18. Which structure was built to protect the people of China from invaders?

- A) Great Wall
- B) Grand Canyon
- C) Sydney Bridge
- D) Eiffel Tower

19. What kind of building is a museum designed to hold?

- A) Animals
- B) Cars
- C) Art and history items
- D) Trees

20. What are the flat shapes used to cover the ground inside a house?

- A) Tiles
- B) Bricks
- C) Windows
- D) Lamps

21. What do architects use to draw their building plans before they are built?

- A) Paint
- B) Blueprints
- C) Paper bags
- D) Stickers

22. A skyscraper is a building that is known for being very what?

- A) Short
- B) Wide
- C) Tall
- D) Old

23. What part of a house allows sunlight to come inside?

- A) Door
- B) Wall
- C) Window
- D) Roof

24. What is the name of the famous ancient stadium in Rome where games were held?

- A) The Colosseum
- B) The Pantheon
- C) The Library
- D) The Circus

25. What structure connects two sides of a river so cars and people can cross?

- A) Bridge
- B) Tunnel
- C) Dam
- D) Tower