# Olympic History Basics

Olympic History · Practice Test · 15 Questions

### 1. In which country were the ancient Olympic Games held?

A) Greece
B) Italy
C) Egypt
D) France

### 2. How many rings are featured on the official Olympic flag?

A) Three
B) Four
C) Five
D) Six

### 3. What does the Olympic flame represent?

A) The heat of competition
B) The purity and pursuit of perfection
C) The burning of the stadium
D) The end of the Games

### 4. Which city hosted the first modern Olympic Games in 1896?

A) London
B) Paris
C) Athens
D) Rome

### 5. How often are the Summer Olympic Games typically held?

A) Every year
B) Every two years
C) Every four years
D) Every five years

### 6. Which of the following is NOT one of the colors of the Olympic rings?

A) Blue
B) Yellow
C) Green
D) Purple

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**7. What are the three colors found on every national flag represented in the Olympic rings?**

A) Red, white, and blue
B) Green, black, and red
C) Yellow, blue, and black
D) White, red, and yellow

**8. Who is the founder of the modern Olympic Games?**

A) Pierre de Coubertin
B) Usain Bolt
C) Michael Phelps
D) Baron von Steuben

**9. Which season of the year were the ancient Olympic Games originally associated with?**

A) Winter
B) Spring
C) Summer
D) Autumn

**10. What is the official motto of the Olympic Games?**

A) Faster, Higher, Stronger
B) Winning is Everything
C) Peace and Unity
D) Friends Forever

**11. Which continent is represented by the yellow ring?**

A) Africa
B) America
C) Asia
D) Europe

**12. What do the athletes receive if they place first in an event?**

A) A gold medal
B) A trophy
C) A plaque
D) A certificate

**13. In which city were the 2000 Summer Olympics held?**

A) Tokyo
B) Sydney
C) London
D) Beijing

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**14. What type of tree branch was used as a prize in the ancient Olympic Games?**

A) Oak
B) Olive
C) Pine
D) Maple

**15. What was the primary purpose of the ancient Olympic Games?**

A) Religious festival
B) Trade fair
C) Political debate
D) Military training

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