We hope you enjoy our 17th general knowledge and trivia quiz featuring twenty entirely random multiple choice questions.

Name / Team: _______________________________________

**Question 1:** In January 2012, which toy was sent up over 24,000 metres towards the edge of space by two Canadian students using a weather balloon?
(a) a LEGO man   (b) a Mr Potato Head   (c) a Star Wars figure

**Question 2:** What is the name of the bright green frog that stars in The Muppets movie?
(a) Hermit   (b) Kermit   (c) Mermit

**Question 3:** Which musical term tells a musician that a piece of music should be played in a cheerful and lively manner?
(a) adagio   (b) allegro   (c) allargando

**Question 4:** Hydrology is the study of .......... ?
(a) water   (b) mythical creatures   (c) tall buildings

**Question 5:** How many countries directly border with Germany?
(a) 3   (b) 6   (c) 9

**Question 6:** 'Air Force One' is the usual call-sign for any aeroplane carrying the American President, but what is the usual call-sign for the helicopter which often transports the President backwards and forwards from The White House?
(a) Hover One   (b) Bird One   (c) Marine One

**Question 7:** Which fruit has the latin name *Ananas comosus*?
(a) banana   (b) pineapple   (c) melon

**Question 8:** Ignoring the moon, which is the brightest natural object in our night sky?
(a) Venus   (b) Mars   (c) Neptune

**Question 9:** Which chemical symbol is used to represent the lighter-than-air gas helium?
(a) H   (b) He   (c) Fe

**Question 10:** If A=1, B=2, C=3, D=4, etc., what is E+F+G?
(a) 16   (b) 17   (c) 18

Now turn over for another ten trivia questions.........
Question 11: In which sport would you use a structure called a half-pipe?
(a) gymnastics  (b) hockey  (c) skateboarding

Question 12: From which language does the word ‘yoghurt’ come from?
(a) French  (b) Turkish  (c) Japanese

Question 13: In Google’s logo, what colour is the letter ‘G’?
(a) blue  (b) green  (c) red

Question 14: Which vehicle manufacturer produces an all-electric car called the LEAF?
(a) Ford  (b) Honda  (c) Nissan

Question 15: What is the name of the book and movie which tells a story about the First World War through the eyes of a horse?
(a) War Horse  (b) Army Horse  (c) Soldier Horse

Question 16: What are the names of the special cells in our eyes that allow us to see colour?
(a) rods and stones  (b) rods and cones  (c) rods and zones

Question 17: What is the normal life span of a pet stick insect?
(a) about 6 months  (b) about 1 year  (c) about 3 years

Question 18: According to Wikipedia, how many Saint Valentines have there been?
(a) 4  (b) 9  (c) 14

Question 19: In which year did Erno Rubik invent his famous Rubik’s Cube puzzle?
(a) 1974  (b) 1984  (c) 1994

Question 20: The currency of Greenland is the Danish Krone.  TRUE  or  FALSE?

That’s the end of our 17th trivia and general knowledge quiz.

It’s now time to check your answers ........  GOOD LUCK!
Here are the answers to our 17th children’s trivia quiz.

Answer 1: (a) a LEGO man

Answer 2: (b) Kermit

Answer 3: (b) allegro

Answer 4: (a) water

Answer 5: (c) 9

Answer 6: (c) Marine One

Answer 7: (b) pineapple

Answer 8: (a) Venus

Answer 9: (b) He

Answer 10: (c) 18

Answer 11: (c) skateboarding

Answer 12: (b) Turkish

Answer 13: (a) blue

Answer 14: (c) Nissan

Answer 15: (a) War Horse

Answer 16: (b) rods and cones

Answer 17: (b) about 1 year

Answer 18: (c) 14

Answer 19: (a) 1974

Answer 20: True