



Welcome to our multiple choice children's Christmas quiz featuring twenty general knowledge and trivia Christmas quiz questions for some festive fun. All courtesy of www.free-for-kids.com.

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Question 1: It is traditional to decorate an evergreen tree at Christmas time. In which country is this tradition believed to have begun?

- (a) Germany (b) France (c) Poland

Question 2: Which member of the Royal Family was responsible (in the 1840s) for starting the tradition in England of displaying a Christmas tree?

- (a) King William the Fourth (b) Prince Albert (c) Prince Frederick

Question 3: Which country gives the gift of a huge Christmas tree to the UK every year which is then displayed in Trafalgar Square, London?

- (a) Norway (b) Denmark (c) Sweden

Question 4: In 1914, during the First World War, many English and German troops agreed an informal truce on Christmas Eve. Which sport did they famously play together in the land between the enemy trenches known as "no-man's land"?

- (a) Tennis (b) Golf (c) Football

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Question 5: Father Christmas is also known as Saint Nicholas. As well as being the Patron Saint of children, Saint Nicholas is also the Patron Saint of sailors. **True or False ?**

Question 6: Rudolph the Red Nosed Reindeer is, of course, the most famous of all Santa's reindeer. How many of Santa's other eight reindeer can you name?

Question 7: In the original version of the song 'Rudolph the Red Nosed Reindeer', how many times does the word 'Rudolph' appear? Yes, you'll have to sing it ! _____

Question 8: In 'The Twelve Days of Christmas', how many maids were milking? _____

Question 9: Which famous Christmas song that we hear year after year is officially the best-selling Christmas single of all time?

- (a) White Christmas (b) Frosty the Snowman (c) Do They Know It's Christmas? (Band Aid)

Question 10: Alvin and the Chipmunks sing about wanting a plane that 'loops the loop' for Christmas. What is the other toy that they want?

- (a) A toy train (b) A hula hoop (c) Water pistol

Now turn over for another ten Christmas quiz questions



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Question 11: Who is the author of the children's favourite Christmas story "How The Grinch Stole Christmas"?

- (a) Roald Dahl (b) Enid Blyton (c) Dr Seuss

Question 12: Here at www.free-for-kids.com we love "The Simpsons", but what in this cartoon show is named 'Santa's Little Helper' ?

- (a) A pet cat (b) A pet monkey (c) A pet dog

Question 13: In the story "A Christmas Carol" by Charles Dickens (published in 1843), what is the name of Scrooge's dead business partner?

- (a) Jacob Marley (b) John Marley (c) Joshua Marley

Question 14: What fruit is used to make a traditional Christingle?

- (a) An apple (b) An orange (c) A grape

Question 15: Christmas pudding (sometimes known as plum pudding) is a favourite festive food in the UK and elsewhere. The first origins of the Christmas pudding have been traced back about 400 years to the 1600s. **True or False ?**

Question 16: 'Home Alone' is a favourite Christmas movie for many families. In which year was this festive favourite first released in cinemas?

- (a) 1990 (b) 1995 (c) 2000

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Question 17: In England, Christmas celebrations were banned by Parliamentary law between 1647 and 1660 to ensure that it was a quiet religious time. Which famous figure in English history is commonly associated with this ban?

- (a) King Charles the First (b) Oliver Cromwell (c) Sir Richard Grenville

Question 18: In which fun, famous and incredibly catchy Christmas carol would you find the line "T'is the season to be jolly" ?

- (a) Deck the Halls (b) White Christmas (c) The Holly and the Ivy

Question 19: What did Tom Smith (from London) invent way back in 1847 that is still commonly used at Christmas time ?

- (a) Christmas tree lights (b) Mince pies (c) Christmas crackers

Question 20: Finally, everybody's a bit full-up and gloomy by Boxing Day (December 26th). Which Saint's Holy Day is this?

- (a) Saint Peter (b) Saint Stephen (c) Saint George