

Cultural Quiz




1. What is the capital city of Scotland?
a) Edinburgh
b) Glasgow
c) Aberdeen
2. Which of these countries does not have a flag consisting solely of green and white?
a) Pakistan
b) Saudi Arabia
c) Libya
3. What is the smallest country in the world?
4. What number is considered a baker's dozen?
5. Is the capital of Libya Benghazi? True or False?
6. To which country does this flag belong?



7. Which Australian television show featured 'A Taste of Harmony' in one of its episodes?
a) The Hollowmen
b) Utopia
c) Kath & Kim
d) Rake
8. "Dia de la Independencia" is a national holiday celebrated in which country on September 16th?
a) Mexico
b) Spain
c) Portugal
9. What is the capital city of Papua Guinea?
a) Port Vila
b) Port Louis
c) Port Moresby
10. The "Bagpipes" are traditional musical instruments associated with which country?
a) Scotland
b) Ireland
c) Wales
11. To which country does this flag belong?



12. The "Forbidden City" is a UNESCO World Heritage Site located in which country?
a) China
b) Japan
c) South Korea
 13. "Eid al-Adha" is an important religious festival celebrated by Muslims worldwide. What is its other common name?
a) Eid-ul-Fitr
b) Eid al-Fitr
c) Festival of Sacrifice
 14. "Mariachi" is a traditional music style associated with which country?
a) Mexico
b) Spain
c) Italy
 15. The "Acropolis" is an ancient citadel located in which city?
a) Athens
b) Rome
c) Cairo
 16. "Mole poblano," a rich sauce from Mexico, traditionally contains which unusual ingredient?
a) Chocolate
b) Vanilla
c) Coconut
 17. The "Scotch egg" is a classic British pub snack made by wrapping a hard-boiled egg in what before frying it?
a) Minced beef
b) Sausage meat
c) Bacon
 18. To which country does this flag belong?
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19. The traditional French dessert "clafoutis" typically features which fruit as the main ingredient?
a) Apples
b) Cherries
c) Berries
 20. The "Cantonese" style of cooking is known for using which cooking technique that translates to "wok breath"?

Cultural Quiz answer sheet



- 1. What is the capital city of Scotland?**
Answer: a) Edinburgh
- 2. Which of these countries does not have a flag consisting solely of green and white?**
Answer: c) Libya – the flag consists of green and white as well as red and black.
- 3. What is the smallest country in the world?**
Answer: The Vatican – it has a landmass of 0.049 square kilometres. It is an independent state surrounded by Rome.
- 4. What number is considered a baker's dozen?**
Answer: 13 – According to the Oxford English Dictionary the term originated in the late 16th century, and is apparently so called after the former practice among bakers of including a 13th loaf when selling a dozen to a retailer – the extra loaf representing the retailer's profit.
- 5. Is the capital of Libya Benghazi? True or False?**
Answer: False. Benghazi is one of the largest cities, but not the capital. The capital is Tripoli.
- 6. To which country does this flag belong?**
Answer: Morocco.
- 7. Which Australian television show featured 'A Taste of Harmony' in one of its episodes?**
Answer: Utopia. The team behind Utopia Working Dog are long-time participants in the real A Taste of Harmony!
- 8. "Dia de la Independencia" is a national holiday celebrated in which country on September 16th?**
Answer: Mexico – it is a Mexican holiday to celebrate the 'cry of independence' and is celebrated with music, fireworks and parades.
- 9. What is the capital city of Papua Guinea?**
Answer: c) Port Moresby.
- 10. The "Bagpipes" are traditional musical instruments associated with which country?**
Answer: a) Scotland.
- 11. To which country does this flag belong?**
Answer: Belgium.
- 12. The "Forbidden City" is a UNESCO World Heritage Site located in which country?**
Answer: a) China – The Forbidden City was the imperial palace during the Ming and Qing dynasties. Located in Beijing, it is rectangular in shape and covers 74 hectares and is the world's largest palace complex.
- 13. "Eid al-Adha" is an important religious festival celebrated by Muslims worldwide. What is its other common name?**
Answer: c) Festival of Sacrifice.
- 14. "Mariachi" is a traditional music style associated with which country?**
Answer: a) Mexico is the owner of this very upbeat dance!
- 15. The "Acropolis" is an ancient citadel located in which city?**
Answer: a) Athens is the home of this ancient citadel located on a rocky outcrop above the city.
- 16. "Mole poblano," a rich sauce from Mexico, traditionally contains which unusual ingredient?**
Answer: a) Chocolate – chocolate is the ingredient of this dark red-brown sauce from Puebla made with chilli. It is usually served with turkey or chicken.
- 17. The "Scotch egg" is a classic British pub snack made by wrapping a hard-boiled egg in what before frying it?**
Answer: b) Sausage meat.
- 18. To which country does this flag belong?**
Answer: Vietnam.
- 19. The traditional French dessert "clafoutis" typically features which fruit as the main ingredient?**
Answer: b) Cherries are the key ingredient of this baked dessert with a thick flan like batter.
- 20. The "Cantonese" style of cooking is known for using which cooking technique that translates to "wok breath"?**
Answer: Stir-frying.

