Printed Quiz | Secondary Schools | General Knowledge for Class Use (2)

This printed quiz is for use with secondary school students and is intended for use in class or as homework. The PDF file prints firstly the questions complete with answers and then the questions without answers but with spaces left for answer insertion by the students. The questions are about general knowledge in a wide range of subjects suitable for children of this age. The Education Quizzes website contains many different <u>quizzes for schools</u> that can be used by teachers free of charge.

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	Deer

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Grosvenor Square

3 What name is given to the positive electrode of a battery?

Anode

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Duck

5 What type of drink is Earl Grey?

Tea

6 Which glands produce white blood cells?

Lymph glands

7 How many carats are there in pure gold?

24

8 How many pawns are on a chessboard at the start of a game of chess?

16

9 What colour are the spots on a plaice?

Orange

10 What collective name is given to the structure of bones in the body?

Skeleton

11 What can be fired by a crossbow?

A bolt or quarrel

12 A driving licence is issued until the driver reaches what age?

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13 What is made by a testator?

A will

America 15 What sort of animal feeds on plants and other animals? Omnivore 16 When there are two full moons in the same month, what is the second called? A blue moon 17 Who flew so close to the sun that the wax on his wings began to melt? **Icarus** 18 In which century was the first circumnavigation of the earth? 16th century 19 Which is England's largest castle? Windsor 20 In which county is Stonehenge? Wiltshire 21 Which country produces more than 70% of the world's olive oil? 22 What is the name of Garfield's canine friend? 23 Cork is produced mainly from which species of tree? 24 What is a round bottomed Chinese cooking pan called? 25 Which organ in the body produces bile? Liver

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26 What is Barbie's last name?

Roberts

	Behind you
28	What do the Americans call what the British call a ladybird? Ladybug
29	What is the male honey bee known as? Drone
30	What penalty was abolished on 18th December 1969 in Britain? Death penalty
31	What was sought by Jason and the Argonauts? The Golden Fleece
32	Edward White was the first American to walk where? In Space
33	What is the opposite of hibernation? Aestivation
34	In which Shakespeare play does a ghost walk on the battlements? Hamlet
35	Who is killed if regicide is committed? A king
36	What boy's name is also the name of a young kangaroo? Joey
37	In Scrabble, how many points is the letter O worth? One
38	How many holes are most major golf tournaments played over?

72

27 If you are looking straight at a rainbow, where is the sun in relation to you?

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