

2016 TRIVIA QUIZ

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1> Who finished second in the medals table to USA at the Rio 2016 Olympic Games?

- a. China
- b. Russia
- c. Great Britain
- d. Japan

2> How old was Gene Wilder when he sadly passed away in August 2016?

- a. 93
- b. 63
- c. 83
- d. 73

3> Which film won Best Picture at the 2016 Oscars?

- a. Joy
- b. The Revenant
- c. Room
- d. Spotlight

4> Which country carried out its fifth and biggest nuclear test in September of 2016?

- a. China
- b. France
- c. North Korea
- d. Russia

5> Complete the title of the 2016 Kanye West album - "The Life of ..."?

- a. Eduardo
- b. Jesus
- c. Pablo
- d. Martha

6> Who was investigated by the FBI in 2016 over alleged email abuse?

- a. Hillary Clinton
- b. Donald Trump
- c. Barack Obama
- d. George W Bush

7> What anniversary of Shakespeare's death was widely celebrated in 2016?

- a. 300
- b. 400
- c. 600
- d. 200

8> Making its debut in November of 2016, the Netflix series "The Crown" is about which monarch?

- a. Elizabeth II
- b. Queen Victoria
- c. Henry VIII
- d. Henry VII

9> Which film won the most Oscars at the 2016 Academy Awards with six?

- a. The Martian
- b. The Big Short
- c. Mad Max - Fury Road

d. Spotlight

10> Which team won the MLB (Major League Baseball) 2016 World Series?

- a. New York Yankees
- b. Boston Redsox
- c. Chicago Whitesox
- d. Chicago Cubs

11> Boxing great "Muhammad Ali" died in 2016 at what age?

- a. 54
- b. 74
- c. 84
- d. 64

12> Which TV show won "Outstanding Drama Series" at the 2016 Emmys?

- a. Mr. Robot
- b. Downtown Abbey
- c. Homeland
- d. Game of Thrones

13> NASA's "Juno" became the second craft to orbit which planet in 2016?

- a. Mars
- b. Neptune
- c. Jupiter
- d. Uranus

14> Who is featured on the 2016 Charlie Puth hit "We Don't Talk Anymore"?

- a. Miley Cyrus
- b. Selena Gomez

- c. Beyonce
- d. Mariah Carey

15> Which of these nations elected their first female prime minister in 2016?

- a. India
- b. China
- c. Taiwan
- d. Japan

16> Complete the title of this 2016 Stephen King novel "End of ..."?

- a. Watch
- b. Times
- c. Man
- d. Days

17> Who stars in the 2016 science fiction-horror TV series "Stranger Things"?

- a. Drew Barrymore
- b. Nicola Kidman
- c. Winona Ryder
- d. Reese Witherspoon

18> Deadshot, Harley Quinn and Rick Flag are all characters in which 2016 film?

- a. Star Trek Beyond
- b. Batman Vs Superman
- c. Suicide Squad
- d. Captain American Civil War

19> Which team won the UEFA European Championships in 2016?

- a. Russia

- b. Germany
- c. Portugal
- d. France

20> Which team took gold in Women's Hockey at the Rio 2016 Olympic Games?

- a. USA
- b. Canada
- c. Great Britain
- d. Germany

21> Which country announced its decision to withdraw from the Commonwealth of Nations on October 13th, 2016?

- a. Dominica
- b. Pakistan
- c. Bangladesh
- d. The Maldives

22> With a vote of 61 to 20, the Brazilian Senate impeached which President of Brazil on August 31st, 2016?

- a. Fernando Henrique Cardoso
- b. Dilma Rousseff
- c. Itamar Franco
- d. Michel Temer

23> On January 28th, 2016, what virus outbreak was announced by the World Health Organization?

- a. Respiratory Syncytial Virus
- b. Zika Virus
- c. Lassa Virus
- d. Influenza A Virus

24> Who won the Favorite Pop/Rock Female Artist Award at the 2016 American Music Awards?

- a. Demi Lovato
- b. Selena
- c. Selena Gomez
- d. Ariana Grande

25> Which team won the CFL Grey Cup in November of 2016?

- a. Edmonton Eskimos
- b. Ottawa Redblacks
- c. BC Lions
- d. Calgary Stampeders

Answers:

1> Great Britain - The games were held in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, from August 5th to August 21st 2016.

2> 83 - Gene's cause of death was due to complications from Alzheimer's disease.

3> Spotlight - The film also won the Best Original Screenplay Academy Award.

4> North Korea - North Korea is an atheist state with no official religion.

5> Pablo - The Life of Pablo is West's seventh studio album.

6> Hillary Clinton - F.B.I. Director James Comey recommended no charges be laid for Hillary.

7> 400 - Shakespeare died on April 23rd, 1616.

8> Elizabeth II - The Crown is a biographical story about the early reign of Queen Elizabeth II.

9> Mad Max - Fury Road - Actor Chris Rock hosted the Awards.

10> Chicago Cubs - Defeating the Indians in seven games, the Cubs won their first World Series victory in 108 years.

11> 74 - Ali died from septic shock on June 3rd, 2016.

12> Game of Thrones - Game of Thrones made its debut in 2011.

13> Jupiter - The spacecraft Galileo orbited Jupiter from 1995 to 2003.

- 14> Selena Gomez - We Don't Talk Anymore is from Puth's debut studio album 'Nine Track Mind'.
- 15> Taiwan - Tsai Ing-wen took office in May of 2016.
- 16> Watch - End of Watch is Stephen King's 55th novel.
- 17> Winona Ryder - Winona Ryder plays the role of Joyce Byers.
- 18> Suicide Squad - Suicide Squad is based on the DC Comics antihero team of the same name.
- 19> Portugal - Portugal beat France 1-0 at the final after extra time.
- 20> Great Britain - Twelve teams competed in the event.
- 21> The Maldives - Queen Elizabeth II serves as the Head of the Commonwealth.
- 22> Dilma Rousseff - Rousseff was the first woman to have held that office.
- 23> Zika Virus - Its name comes from the Zika Forest of Uganda.
- 24> Selena Gomez - Favorite Male Artist went to Justin Bieber.
- 25> Ottawa Redblacks - Played at the BMO Field in Toronto, Ottawa beat Calgary with a score of 39 to 33.

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