

HALLOWEEN AROUND THE WORLD QUIZ



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1> Which country eats Brambrack on Halloween?

- a. Ireland
- b. Germany
- c. Mexico
- d. Canada

2> Which country locks up their cats on Halloween?

- a. England
- b. China
- c. Laos
- d. Columbia

3> Which country uses apple peels on Halloween to predict a person's future?

- a. Scotland
- b. Spain
- c. Russia
- d. Brazil

4> In Scotland turnips and neep were often carved in Jack-o-lanterns. What is neep?

- a. A rutabaga
- b. A beet
- c. A sweet potato
- d. A squash

5> What item was often baked into a Halloween Barmbrack and when found would indicate that the finder would have good fortune in the coming year?

- a. A button
- b. A coin
- c. A bead
- d. A bean

6> Which country celebrates the Festival of the Hungry ghosts?

- a. Hungry
- b. Peru
- c. China
- d. Australia

7> Which country traditionally opens all the doors and windows in the house to welcome spirits and ghosts?

- a. England
- b. Poland
- c. America
- d. New Zealand

8> It is a tradition to hide all the knives in the house, on Halloween, in which country?

- a. India
- b. Germany
- c. France
- d. Japan

9> Which country cooks Beans of the Dead?

- a. Italy
- b. Scotland
- c. Portugal
- d. Brazil

10> Which country celebrates Halloween by leaving water, bread and a light on the table?

- a. Austria
- b. Iceland

- c. New Zealand
- d. Ireland

11> Dressing up in costume, handing out candy and pumpkin carving are all a part of which nation's Halloween celebrations?

- a. Canada
- b. Mexico
- c. Japan
- d. Kenya

12> Bones of the Dead is a traditional Halloween dish. What kind of food is it?

- a. Pastry
- b. Pasta
- c. Bread
- d. Stew

13> O-Bon is celebrated in which country?

- a. Japan
- b. South Africa
- c. France
- d. Argentina

14> Halloween is often referred to as Mischief Night in which country?

- a. England
- b. Peru
- c. Australia
- d. Iceland

15> Hop-Tu-Naa is celebrated in which nation on the 31st of October?

- a. Wales
- b. Isle of Man
- c. Jamaica
- d. France

Answers:

- 1> Ireland - This dessert is a type of fruit bread.
- 2> England - The cats are locked away to prevent them from being caught by elves.
- 3> Scotland - The peel was often used to predict a person's future spouse.
- 4> A rutabaga - Rutabagas are root vegetables.
- 5> A coin - A pea, a stick and a ring were often baked into this traditional Halloween food as well.
- 6> China - This celebration often includes offering the hungry spirits gifts.
- 7> Poland - Poland also celebrates All Saint's Day, November 1st, and all Soul's Day, November 2nd.
- 8> Germany - This is done to ensure that ghosts are not harmed.
- 9> Italy - This dish is actually a small cake or cookie.
- 10> Austria - These items are left to welcome ghosts.
- 11> Canada - Celebrations often include parties and games.
- 12> Pastry - This dish is often made in Spain.
- 13> Japan - Obon is a festival for the dead and is often celebrated in August.
- 14> England - It is also called Snap Apple Night and Nutcracker Night.
- 15> Isle of Man - Celebrations often included baking Dumb Cakes and Soddag Valloo.