

# Printed Quiz | Primary Schools | KS2 Curriculum | 2 Teams (14)

## About This Quiz:

This printed quiz is for use with primary school students in 2 opposing teams and assumes that a quiz master will read out the questions. The questions are a mix of KS2 curriculum subjects and general knowledge appropriate for this age group. The Education Quizzes website contains many different [printed quizzes](#) that can be used by teachers free of charge.

### Notes for Quiz-Master:

- 1 Red text describes the different sections of the quiz
- 2 Bold, black text are questions
- 3 Normal, black text are answers
- 4 Blue text are descriptions of themes that need to be read to the contestants
- 5 Boxes to the left of the answers are for score recording

**3 questions addressed to most senior member of Team A**

1 Find the adverb in the following sentence. Slipping on the treacherous ice, my sister landed awkwardly.

A  awkwardly

2 On a calculator the answer to a division question is 5.25. What fraction is the remainder?

A  Quarter

3 With materials, what is an irreversible change?

A  A material changes permanently into a new material

**3 questions addressed to most senior member of Team B**

4 How do you spell SEPARATE?

B  Separate

5 What is the difference between 6.3 and 2.4?

B  3.9

6 Many woodland birds have adapted short wings. What advantage does this give them?

B  Short wings help birds fly between trees

**3 questions addressed to second most senior member of Team A**

7 Put the following four into alphabetical order - Drink; Crisps; Sandwich; Banana

A  banana, crisps, drink, sandwich

8 What is 75% of 200?

A  150

9 What causes a lunar eclipse?

A  The Earth blocks the sun's light from reaching the moon

**3 questions addressed to second most senior member of Team B**

10 Find the adverb in the following sentence. The syrup oozed sloppily down the sides of the bottle.

B  sloppily

11 In every 10 bricks, 3 are red. We have 30 bricks so how many are red?

B  9

12 **Zebras live in large herds in a grassland habitat. How does a striped coat help them survive this habitat?**

B  The stripes are useful as camouflage

**3 questions addressed to third most senior member of Team A**

13 **Which word beginning with S is an antonym of ROUGH?**

A  Smooth

14 **Adam spent one quarter of his savings on a game. How much was the game if his savings were £16?**

A  £4

15 **The spinal column contains many smaller bones called what?**

A  Vertebrae

**3 questions addressed to third most senior member of Team B**

16 **Put the following four into alphabetical order - Poppy; Tulip; Lily; Rose**

B  lily, poppy, rose, tulip

17 **What is the product of 3 and 6?**

B  18

18 **A submarine's periscope allows someone on the boat to see objects that are above the water. How is this possible?**

B  Mirrors within the periscope reflect the light, enabling it to change direction

**3 questions addressed to fourth most senior member of Team A**

19 **Put the following four into alphabetical order - Newcastle; Manchester; London; Birmingham**

A  Birmingham, London, Manchester, Newcastle

20 **What is double 18?**

A  36

21 **Compost bins are full of rotting organic matter, such as vegetable peelings, mouldy fruit and grass clippings. Which microorganisms help this material to decompose (rot)?**

A  Bacteria

**3 questions addressed to fourth most senior member of Team B**

22 Find the adverb in the following sentence. She whispered the secret carefully into her best friend's ear.

B  carefully

23 What is 17 minus 8?

B  9

24 If you were investigating different materials for insulating coffee, what measuring equipment would you need to test how cool the coffee was after 10 minutes?

B  A thermometer

**The next few questions are on Performing Music**

**3 questions addressed to Team A**

25 How many musicians are needed to play a duet?

A  Two

26 What is the term for a musical pattern that is continuously repeated during a piece of music?

A  Ostinato

27 Which notation tells a performer to gradually slow the music?

A  Rallentando and ritardando

**3 questions addressed to Team B**

28 What does it mean to sing in a round?

B  One or more singers start the music and other groups join in at different times

29 What is 'call and response'?

B  When one person leads the melody and the other musicians respond

30 Of the following four, which describes playing a piece of music alone? - Quartet: Symphony: Solo: Duet

B  Solo

**These English questions are on plurals**

**3 questions addressed to Team A**

31 What is the plural of deer, the animal?

A  Deer

32 **What is the plural of wolf?**

 

Wolves

33 **What is the plural of person?**

 

Both persons and people

**3 questions addressed to Team B**

34 **What is the plural of mouse?**

 

Mice

35 **What is the plural of ox?**

 

Oxen

36 **What is the plural of woman?**

 

Women

**How much do you know about digital devices?**

**3 questions addressed to Team A**

37 **Which one of the following four is NOT an 'output' device? - A monitor: a printer: a computer keyboard: speakers**

 

Computer keyboard

38 **Which one of the following four can capture a moving image? - A scanner: a camcorder: an MP3: an interactive whiteboard**

 

A camcorder

39 **What is a memory card?**

 

A data storage device often used for large files

**3 questions addressed to Team B**

40 **Of the following three, which is a mobile device used for data storage? - Printer: USB flash drive: Scanner**

 

USB flash drives

41 **Of the following three options, which allows you to 'input' sound into a computer or other digital device? - Headphones: Microphone: Speakers**

 

Microphone

42 **If you wanted to magnify a sugar crystal and display a detailed image of it on the interactive whiteboard, which of the following three items could you use? - Digital microscope: Digital camera: Scanner**

B  A digital microscope

**58 questions of "Finger on the buzzer"**

43 **What was the name of Tarzan's monkey friend in the Tarzan stories?**

A  B Nkima

44 **What type of whales are renowned for their singing?**

A  B Humpbacks

45 **Wolverine is in which band of superheroes?**

A  B The X-Men

46 **How many spaces in a noughts-and-crosses frame?**

A  B 9

47 **The Micra was made by which car company?**

A  B Nissan

48 **What can a chameleon lizard change?**

A  B It's colour

49 **What gas propels the cork from a champagne bottle?**

A  B Carbon dioxide

50 **In computing, what is Mb short for?**

A  B Megabyte

51 **The condor belongs to which family of birds?**

A  B Vulture

52 **A strudel is usually filled with which fruit?**

A  B Apple

53 **What does a blue flag at a beach mean?**

A  B Clean and pollution free

54 **The Hindu belief that all living beings have lived before and will continue to live other lives after death is a belief in what?**

A  B reincarnation

- 55 **What is fromage frais a soft type of?**  
A   B   Cheese
- 56 **Which animated film introduced us to the character of Mr Potato Head?**  
A   B   Toy Story
- 57 **In which London building is the tomb of the Duke of Wellington?**  
A   B   St Paul's Cathedral
- 58 **What name is given to the bottom of the river?**  
A   B   Bed
- 59 **What is the name of the largest railway station in the city of New York?**  
A   B   Grand Central
- 60 **What colour is sepia?**  
A   B   Brown
- 61 **How do you say "I like it" in French?**  
A   B   Ça me plaît.
- 62 **What's the name of the United Kingdom's flag?**  
A   B   Union Jack/Union Flag
- 63 **How many points is a yellow ball worth in snooker?**  
A   B   2 points
- 64 **On which street is the Bank of England?**  
A   B   Threadneedle Street
- 65 **What is Katy Perry's real name?**  
A   B   Katherine Hudson
- 66 **What was the capital city of Benin called?**  
A   B   Benin
- 67 **How many days are there in a leap year?**  
A   B   366
- 68 **What is the largest cat in the world?**  
A   B   The tiger

- 69 **Name the colour on traffic lights that symbolises "get ready"?**  
A   B   Amber
- 70 **In French what word describes the colour purple?**  
A   B   Violet
- 71 **What is the name of the building Muslims go to worship?**  
A   B   A mosque
- 72 **What gifts did the three kings give to baby Jesus?**  
A   B   Frankincense, Gold and Myrrh
- 73 **Which continent has the fewest flowering plants?**  
A   B   Antarctica
- 74 **Which species of creature includes the most poisonous animal in the world?**  
A   B   Frog
- 75 **Spell "Galaxy"**  
A       B       GALAXY
- 76 **How many seconds are there in 5 minutes?**  
A   B   300
- 77 **What colour is magenta?**  
A   B   Pink
- 78 **What is the Roman numeral for one thousand?**  
A   B   M
- 79 **How many colours are in a rainbow?**  
A   B   7
- 80 **How many minutes are there per round in professional boxing?**  
A   B   Three
- 81 **Which internal organ produces bile?**  
A   B   Liver



- 82 **On a clock if the big hand is on 4 and the little hand is on 7 what time would it be?**  
A   B   Twenty-past seven
- 83 **How many members make up a water polo team?**  
A   B   Seven
- 84 **What name is given to the calm area in the centre of a hurricane?**  
A   B   The eye
- 85 **What is "fish" in German?**  
A   B   Fisch
- 86 **What was the first animal in space?**  
A   B   A dog
- 87 **Which castle is the largest in Britain?**  
A   B   Windsor
- 88 **What is the name of the celebration that brings Ramadan to a close?**  
A   B   Eid ul Fitr
- 89 **What is the longest river in Britain?**  
A   B   Severn
- 90 **What date is May Day?**  
A   B   The 1st of May
- 91 **Spell "Disappear"**  
A       B       DISAPPEAR
- 92 **Which ground-breaking 3D movie is based on the planet Pandora?**  
A   B   Avatar
- 93 **In which European country did Punch and Judy shows originate?**  
A   B   Italy
- 94 **What instrument is used to measure angles in geometry?**  
A   B   Protractor
- 95 **In which board game do you draw the meaning of a word?**  
A   B   Pictionary

96 **What kind of colour is "Scarlet" considered?**

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B	
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Red

97 **Which musical instrument is the largest member of the tuba family?**

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B	
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Sousaphone

98 **If you had a 'Cambridge Rival' in your mouth, what would you be eating?**

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B	
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A strawberry

99 **Which is the largest land animal?**

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B	
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Elephant

100 **Nassau is the capital of which group of islands?**

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B	
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Bahamas