



Halloween Quiz - Questions and Answers

Questions

1. From which country does Halloween originally come?

- a) USA
- b) Russia
- c) Finland
- d) Ireland

2. What do people originally celebrate on Halloween?

- a) The annual gathering of the witches
- b) Victory over the devil
- c) The end of summer
- d) The pumpkin harvest

3. What is the English name for the hollowed-out pumpkins with carved grimaces in which candles are placed?

- a) Celtic Lamp
- b) Polly Pumpkin
- c) Fearsome Face
- d) Jack O'Lantern

4. In which cult film does the King of Halloween Town try to usurp Christmas?

- a) A Christmas Carol
- b) Corpse Bride
- c) Halloween
- d) Nightmare Before Christmas



5. What was the original purpose of dressing up on Halloween?

- a) To scare the spirits of the dead
- b) To reenact an old legend
- c) To make the ghosts feel like they are among their own kind
- d) To avoid being recognised by witches

6. What do dressed-up children shout when they ring the doorbell on Halloween?

- a) Hands up or I'll shoot!
- b) Open sesame!
- c) Trick or treat!
- d) Alaaf!

7. Which Celtic festival is considered the precursor of Halloween?

- a) Celtmas
- b) Samhain
- c) Wal Purr Ghis
- d) Gwynhyldrych

8. Which holiday is still celebrated on 31 October?

- a) Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
- b) American Independence Day
- c) Reformation Day
- d) World Children's Day

9. On which Christian holiday do children also parade through the streets with lanterns and sing for sweets?

- a) Whit Sunday
- b) Shrove Monday
- c) St. Martin's Day
- d) St. Nicholas Day

10. Which world-famous animated series is known for its special Halloween episodes?

- a) Simpsons
- b) South Park
- c) Mummins
- d) Dragon Ball



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- a) At Lake Constance
- b) At Neuschwanstein Castle
- c) In the Lüneburg Heath
- d) On the Brocken in the Harz mountains

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- a) Troll
- b) Werewolf
- c) Vampire
- d) Poltergeist

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- b) 5
- c) 8
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