

NFE CHRISTMAS QUIZ - DECEMBER 2010

Score 10 points for every correct answer – Score 5 points if half right! Play a JOKER in one round and get DOUBLE points in that round. Show it before you start the round. There are 12 rounds with 6 questions in each round.

Round 1 – Christmas Music		
<p>1</p> <p>Bing Crosby was dreaming of what colour in his Christmas song?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>White</p>	<p>2</p> <p>On the 10th day of Christmas what does my true love give to me?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>10 Lords a-leaping</p>	<p>3</p> <p>Who sang 'Merry Christmas Everybody' in 1973?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Slade</p>
<p>4</p> <p>What do I want in finishing the title of the song 'All I want for Christmas is...?'</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>either – 'you' or 'my two front teeth'</p>	<p>5</p> <p>In the famous song how many days of Christmas are there?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>12</p>	<p>6</p> <p>In the Christmas song 'Silent Night' what words follow Silent Night?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>'Holy night'</p>
Round 2 – Santa		
<p>1</p> <p>Where does Santa live?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>The North Pole</p>	<p>2</p> <p>What animal pulls Santa's famous sleigh?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Reindeer</p>	<p>3</p> <p>How many reindeer does Santa have?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Nine</p>
<p>4</p> <p>Name Santa's most famous reindeer?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Rudolph – the red-nosed reindeer</p>	<p>5</p> <p>Who helps Santa to make his toys for his good little girls and boys?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>His elves</p>	<p>6</p> <p>Name Santa's reindeers</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>They are Dasher, Dancer, Prancer, Vixen, Comet, Cupid, Donner, Blitzen and Rudolph</p>

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Level: Intermediate / Upper intermediate

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Round 3 – International Xmas		
1	2	3
In some European countries December 6 th is a special day when this person brings gifts. Who is it? Answer St Nicholas	Which country in the world first sent Christmas cards? Answer UK - The tradition started in Victorian England in 1862 when the first mass produced cards were sent	'Joyeux Noel' is what you will hear in several countries of the world. In what language is this phrase? Answer French
4	5	6
How do you say Merry Christmas in Spanish? Answer Feliz Navidad	Where was the original Santa Claus born? Answer Turkey in the 4 th century (His name was St Nicholas)	In which ocean is Christmas Island? Answer Indian
Round 4 – Christmas general		
1	2	3
What did my true love give to me on Christmas Eve? Answer Nothing – the 12 days of Christmas start on December 26 th !	How many sides does a snowflake have? Answer Six	During the Christmas season special songs are sung. What is the name of these songs collectively? Answer Carols
4	5	6
Who was Frosty? Answer The snowman	How many days are there on an advent calendar? Answer 24	Name the four ghosts in 'A Christmas Carol'. Answer Jacob Marley, Christmas past, Christmas present, Christmas future



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<h2 style="text-align: center;">Round 5 – More Christmas Music</h2>		
1	2	3
Who was 'Driving home for Christmas'?	In 1979 who sang 'Wonderful Christmastime'?	Who sang 'Do they know it's Christmas'?
Answer	Answer	Answer
Chris Rea	Paul McCartney	Band Aid
4	5	6
Who sang about a 'Blue Christmas' in 1957?	In 1984, who sang 'Last Christmas'?	In the original 1984 song 'Do they know it's Christmas' who sang the opening line 'It's Christmas time...?'
Answer	Answer	Answer
The King, Elvis Presley	Wham	David Bowie
<h2 style="text-align: center;">Round 6 – The Nativity story</h2>		
1	2	3
Name the three Kings that went to see baby Jesus	What gifts did the three Kings give baby Jesus?	In what direction did the three Kings see the star?
Answer	Answer	Answer
Gaspar, Melchior, Balthasar	Gold, frankincense and myrrh	East
4	5	6
Christ was laid in a manger. What is a manger?	How did the shepherds hear about Christ's birth?	Why was Jesus born in Bethlehem, according to the Gospel of Luke?
Answer	Answer	Answer
A feeding trough	An angel appeared before them	His father went to Bethlehem for a census (Luke 2:1-6)



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Round 7 – A Christmas mix		
1	2	3
Who wrote 'A Christmas Carol' in 1843? Answer Charles Dickens	What was Jesus wrapped in when he was born? Answer Swaddling clothes	What colours are the berries of the mistletoe plant? Answer White
4	5	6
Under what British Queen's reign and influence did the modern British Christmas tree begin? Answer Queen Victoria	According to the popular song, who got run over by a reindeer? Answer Grandma	Who was the first ghost to appear in 'A Christmas Carol'? Answer Jacob Marley – The first ghost to visit Scrooge in 'A Christmas Carol' was his former business partner Jacob Marley
Round 8 – Christmas Pot luck		
1	2	3
Who is the mother of Jesus? Answer Mary	What Christmas Ballet is the most famous of all? Answer The Nutcracker	Where can we exchange kisses at Christmas? Answer Under the mistletoe
4	5	6
What is the abbreviation of the word Christmas? Answer Xmas	In the book 'A Christmas Carol' who was Ebenezer known as? Answer The Scrooge	Who is known as the old man of winter? Answer Jack Frost



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Round 9 – A UK Christmas

<p>1</p> <p>In the UK the day after Christmas is called what?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Boxing Day</p>	<p>2</p> <p>Which annual event began in the UK in 1932?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>The tradition of the UK Monarch delivering a speech to the Empire on Christmas Day – today the UK, the Commonwealth & the World</p>	<p>3</p> <p>London’s Trafalgar Square Christmas tree is traditionally given by which country?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Norway</p>
<p>4</p> <p>What do the English eat for Christmas?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>A roast Turkey dinner followed by Christmas Pudding</p>	<p>5</p> <p>Which country only declared Christmas Day a public holiday in 1958?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Scotland</p>	<p>6</p> <p>What is traditionally hidden in the Christmas Pudding?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>A coin</p>

Round 10 – Christmas History

<p>1</p> <p>Whose birthday is celebrated on Christmas Day?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Jesus Christ</p>	<p>2</p> <p>What city was Jesus born in?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Bethlehem</p>	<p>3</p> <p>What does the word Christ mean?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Christ means Messiah or Anointed One</p>
<p>4</p> <p>Who said 'Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will to men'?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>Angels</p>	<p>5</p> <p>Who wanted to kill Jesus?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>King Herod</p>	<p>6</p> <p>Who was the father of Jesus?</p> <p>Answer</p> <p>God</p>



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Round 11 – Famous Carols

1	2	3
Which country does the Christmas carol 'Silent Night' originate from?	From which carol will you hear the words 'Oh tidings of comfort and joy'?	'Disperse the gloomy clouds of night' are the words from which famous carol?
Answer	Answer	Answer
Austria	'God rest ye Merry Gentlemen'	'Hark the Herald Angels'
4	5	6
'Looking down where he lay' is from which famous carol?	'Joyful and triumphant' are the words from which famous carol?	In which carol will you find the words 'Bearing gifts we traverse afar'?
Answer	Answer	Answer
'Away in a Manger'	'Oh come all Ye Faithful'	'We three Kings'

Round 12 – Another Christmas Mix

1	2	3
What brought Frosty the snowman to life?	The first postage stamp commemorating Christmas was issued where?	In the famous song about Christmas 'on the second day of Christmas' what gift was given to the true love?
Answer	Answer	Answer
In the song, Frosty the snowman was brought to life by a magic hat that was placed upon his head	Austria (in 1937 – it contained a rose and signs of the zodiac)	Two turtle doves
4	5	6
What is the 12 th day of Christmas called?	Finish the song sentence – 'We wish you a merry Christmas...?'	What colour are holly berries?
Answer	Answer	Answer
Epiphany	'And a Happy New Year'?	Red

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NFE CHRISTMAS QUIZ ANSWER SHEET PART 1

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Team name _____

Round 1	Score	Round 4	Score
1)		1)	
2)		2)	
3)		3)	
4)		4)	
5)		5)	
6)		6)	
Total		Total	

Round 2	Score	Round 5	Score
1)		1)	
2)		2)	
3)		3)	
4)		4)	
5)		5)	
6)		6)	
Total		Total	

Round 3	Score	Round 6	Score
1)		1)	
2)		2)	
3)		3)	
4)		4)	
5)		5)	
6)		6)	
Total		Total	



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NFE CHRISTMAS QUIZ ANSWER SHEET PART 2

Round 7	Score	Round 10	Score
1)		1)	
2)		2)	
3)		3)	
4)		4)	
5)		5)	
6)		6)	
Total		Total	

Round 8	Score	Round 11	Score
1)		1)	
2)		2)	
3)		3)	
4)		4)	
5)		5)	
6)		6)	
Total		Total	

Round 9	Score	Round 12	Score
1)		1)	
2)		2)	
3)		3)	
4)		4)	
5)		5)	
6)		6)	
Total		Total	

Quiz round scores	Total	Quiz round scores	Total
Round 1		Round 7	
Round 2		Round 8	
Round 3		Round 9	
Round 4		Round 10	
Round 5		Round 11	
Round 6		Round 12	
Halfway Total - Rounds 1-6		Total - Rounds 7-12	
Halfway score			
Second half score			
Final score			

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