

20 Great Women Quiz: What Do You Know About Them?

1. Which French monarch did Joan of Arc help keep on the throne?

- Philip III
- Charles VII
- Charlemagne

2. The famous Coco Chanel wrote her name in the history of fashion thanks to the revolutionary ideas that are firmly associated with the Chanel fashion house. What closet piece did she introduce into fashion?

- A miniskirt
- A little black dress
- Palazzo pants

3. What contribution did Ada Lovelace, daughter of English poet George Byron, make to world science and technology?

- She proved Poincaré's hypothesis.
- She was the world's first programmer to write a computer program
- She introduced the concept of radioactivity.

4. How did Sofia Vasilievna Kovalevskaya, who is the world's first female professor of mathematics, manage to get a higher education?

- Her father and grandfather were professors, they helped her get into university
- She studied abroad, resorting to a fake marriage.
- She disguised herself as a man and attended classes.

5. Maria Skłodowska-Curie received the Nobel Prize for her outstanding discoveries in what field?

- Chemistry
- Physics
- She received two prizes: in physics and chemistry.

6. Norma Jeane Mortenson is the real name ...

- Marilyn Monroe.
- Vivien Leigh
- Audrey Hepburn

7. The most famous choreographic miniature by Russian ballerina Anna Pavlova, who is considered the standard-bearer of the Russian ballet school.

- Giselle
- Evnika
- The Dying Swan

8. Which nation's prime minister was Golda Meir?

- Argentina
- Israel
- Palestine

9. The famous American singer, pianist, and composer Nina Simon was interested in music from an early age.

At what age did she begin playing the piano?

- When she was three years old.
- When she was four years old.
- When she was five years old.

10. How long did the famous Cleopatra rule Egypt?

- 22 years
- 10 years
- 3 years

11. The famous dancer Isadora Duncan was the founder of modern dance, which expressed naturalness and freedom. Where did she draw her inspiration from when developing her new dance system?

- From classical theater
- From ballet productions
- From ancient Greek dances

12. Margaret Thatcher was the first woman minister of a European state. Why did she get the nickname "iron lady"?

- For her success in the war with Argentina over the Falklands
- For her criticism of Soviet leadership
- For her proposed per capita tax

13. Indira Gandhi, the only female prime minister in India, was named in a 1999 poll as ...

- woman of the decade.
- woman of the century
- woman of the millennium

14. The artist Frida Kahlo attracted worldwide interest in Mexican art. What genre dominated the artist's work?

- Landscape
- Still life
- Self-portrait

15. The richest woman in the world of show business, the first black female billionaire recognized as the most

powerful person in show business and the most influential celebrity.

- Oprah Winfrey
- Beyonce
- Whitney Houston

16. The outstanding Russian ballerina Maya Plesetskaya was noted for her amazing plasticity, lightness, and magnificent execution of her jumps. She created her own style and developed a jump called ...

- ring
- balloon
- battement.

17. The first female cosmonaut is known all over the world. In what year did Valentina Tereshkova fly into space?

- In 1962
- In 1963
- In 1964

18. Madeleine Albright was the first woman to serve as U.S. Secretary of State. What party was she a member of?

- Republican
- Democratic
- Democratic at first, then Republican

19. How did Queen Victoria describe her childhood?

- Very happy and carefree
- Pretty dreary
- Unhappy and very difficult

20. Political activist who fought for women's rights, author of the idea of International Women's Day.

- Clara Zetkin
- Galina Ulanova
- Vera Kholodnaya

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