

Grand Canyon Quiz: questions and answers



1. What is the Grand Canyon?

- A cave
- A mountain
- A canyon

2. Where is the Grand Canyon located?

- South Africa
- Mexico
- United States

3. How long is the Grand Canyon?

- 232 miles (373 km)
- 227 miles (446 km)
- 278 miles (447 km)

4. Who was the first European known to have viewed the Grand Canyon?

- Henry Morgan
- Garcia Lopez de Cardenas
- James Cook

5. Which river passes through the Grand Canyon?

- Nile
- Amazon River

Colorado River

6. How many species of fungi are found in the Grand Canyon?

176

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7. How many deaths have occurred in the Grand Canyon between mid 1800s and 2015?

707

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770

8. When did the Grand Canyon mid-air collision happen?

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9. What is the record high temperature in the Grand Canyon?

110 °F (43°C)

120 °F (49°C)

105 °F (41°C)

10. How was the Grand Canyon called before 1871?

Big Canyon

The Canyon

Great Canyon

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