

Quiz: Interesting Geography Questions for the Inquisitive

1. Which of these rivers is the longest?

- Congo
- Nile
- Huang He

2. Several hundred rivers flow into Lake Baikal, but only ...

- One
- Two
- Three

3. Which of these continents is almost half covered by deserts?

- Africa
- Asia
- Australia

4. What is the Challenger's Chasm?

- The name of the canal connecting India and Sri Lanka
- The deepest place in the Mariana Trench
- A volcano crater in Indonesia

5. What is the name of a shallow body of water separated from the sea by a strip of coral reef?

- Kekur
- Spit
- Lagoon

6. The capital of which of these states has the same name as the state itself?

- Algeria
- Nepal
- Liechtenstein

7. What winds are called monsoons?

- Winds that always blow in the same direction and with the same force
- Winds that periodically change their direction: in summer from the sea, in winter from the land
- Local winds with daily periodicity

8. What is the name of the highest navigable lake located on the border of Bolivia and Peru?

- Maracaibo
- Titicaca
- Victoria

9. Which state is not bordered by Spain?

- Portugal
- France
- Italy

10. What is the name of a group of limestone rocks in the ocean near the coast of the Australian state of Victoria?

- The Twelve Apostles
- Big Sur
- Etreta Cliffs

11. What was the dispute between the two American explorers Frederick Cook and Robert Peary?

- Who is the leader of the expedition
- Who First Reached the North Pole
- Who surveyed more territories

12. The world's highest ever temperature was recorded in the state of California, USA . It was ...

- +56,7 C
- +58,1 C
- +55,6 C

13. What is a gyot?

- A warm ocean current
- A ring-shaped coral island
- An underwater mountain with a flat top

14. In which ocean is St. Helena located?

- The Pacific
- Arctic
- Atlantic

15. Which of these seas is not washed by the United States?

- Beaufort Sea

- Coral Sea
- Bering Sea

16. The capital city of which state is Tirana?

- Albania
- Venezuela
- Mali

17. Where is the highest mountain in Europe located?

- France
- Russia
- Switzerland

18. Which continent has the longest land border between neighboring states at 8,891 km?

- Eurasia
- South America
- North America

19. Which nation is located on more than 17,000 islands?

- Indonesia
- Papua New Guinea
- Philippines

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- 5.12 billion years
- 4.54 billion years
- 3.67 billion years

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