

Telephone Quiz: questions and answers



1. What is telephone?

- A device that permits two or more users to conduct a conversation
- A system for the transmission and reception of images and sound
- An electronic device used to perform a remote operation on a machine

2. Who invented the world's first telephone?

- Antonio Meucci
- Elisha Gray
- Alexander Graham Bell

3. Who was the first to be granted a U.S. patent for the device that produces a clearly intelligible replication of the human voice?

- Charles Bourseul
- Alexander Graham Bell
- Innocenzo Manzetti

4. What are the essential elements of a telephone?

- Microphone and earphone
- Cable and electricity
- Buttons

5. In which year was the Advance Mobile Phone System (AMPS) launched?

- 1973
- 1970

1983

6. What has been the trend for mobile phones since 1999?

- Efficient phones
- Smartphones
- Special phones

7. When did the first successful telephone transmission using a liquid transmitter take place?

- January 30, 1877
- February 19, 1876
- March 10, 1876

8. What is a lineman's handset?

- A telephone that allows long-distance calls
- A device used to repair the phone
- A special type of telephone used by technicians for installing and testing local loop telephone lines

9. In telecommunications, what does POTS mean?

- Permanent Old Telephone Service
- Plain Old Telephone Service
- Permanent Out Telephone Services

10. When was the transistor invented?

- 1974
- 1947
- 1946

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