

France and the French-Speaking World

Trivia Quiz

Please circle the correct answer.

1. How many French speakers are there in the world?
 - a. 72 billion
 - b. 3-4 dozen
 - c. 128 million
 - d. French is not a real language, but rather a series of nasally sound effects that people emit when they want to sound intellectually superior.
2. Where is French spoken?
 - a. French is officially spoken in 33 countries.
 - b. French is spoken on all planets except Mars.
 - c. French is only spoken on the continent of Antarctica. (And only by penguins)
 - d. French is spoken everywhere except for France, where, oddly enough, they only speak English, but with a French accent.
3. Which of the following is not part of French territory?
 - a. Guadeloupe
 - b. Delaware
 - c. Martinique
 - d. Réunion

4. Which of the following organizations does not use French as an official working language?
- a. International Olympic Committee
 - b. Antarctic Penguin Liberation Front
 - c. North Atlantic Treaty Organization
 - d. United Nations
5. The official name of France is...?
- a. The French Republic
 - b. The United Snobs of Snobonia
 - c. Delaware
 - d. Fifi, England's cute but wayward cousin.
6. France is a country located ...?
- a. In a box of Crackerjacks
 - b. Just south of Antarctica
 - c. Just off Garden State Parkway Exit 39
 - d. In Western Europe
7. The capital of France is...?
- a. Paris
 - b. Le Chateau de Versailles
 - c. The letter F
 - d. London
8. France is known as...?
- a. L'Hexagone

- b. The Pentagon
 - c. Oregon
 - d. Pouchie, the Wonder Dog
9. France is a founding member of what following organization?
- a. The Soviet Union
 - b. The European Union
 - c. The Bricklayers Union
 - d. The Book of the Month Club
10. Metropolitan France extends from the Mediterranean Sea to the English Channel and the North Sea, and from the Rhine to...?
- a. The Mississippi
 - b. The Pacific Ocean
 - c. The Scottish Channel
 - d. The Atlantic Ocean
11. France's largest cities are Paris, Marseille, Lyon, and...?
- a. Lille
 - b. Cincinnati
 - c. Brussels
 - d. Erma
12. Which country is the first tourist destination in the world with over 80 million foreign visitors each year?
- a. Spain
 - b. France

- c. The Penguin Republic of Antarctica
- d. The United States

13. Napoleon Bonaparte is famous for being...?

- a. Emperor of France
- b. Smaller than Tom Cruise
- c. The greatest chef in all of Paris
- d. Inventor of the backward baseball cap look.

14. Long shaped loaves of crusty French bread are called...?

- a. Croissants
- b. Lethal weapons when stale
- c. Baguettes
- d. Untwisted pretzels

15. The most famous painting in *Le Louvre* museum is called the...?

- a. *The Mona Lisa*
- b. *Self-Portrait of Lisa Simpson*
- c. *Hey! What's with the melting watches?*
- d. *Elvis: Portrait of the King on Black Velvet*

16. The name of the teacher of my French I class is...?

- a. Mister Frenchie Guy
- b. Senor Macaroni
- c. Monsieur McKenna
- d. Le meilleur prof du monde