Christmas quiz: questions

Read aloud or write your answers. One point for each correct answer. Keep the answer pages with the host.

Santa's journey

1. Which animals pull Santa's sleigh?
2. What is the name of the vehicle Santa rides in?
3. Who helps Santa make the toys?
4. Santa Claus is also called Father what?
5. Which orange vegetable could you leave for Rudolph to eat?

Christmas things

6. On which date in December is Christmas Day?
7. Which small bird with a red breast often appears on British Christmas cards?
8. What Christmas table decoration do two people pull to make a snap?
9. Which thing found inside a Christmas cracker can you wear on your head?
10. In the UK, December, January and February make up which weather season?

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Stories and a film

11. What is the first name of the boy left behind in Home Alone?
12. In Home Alone, Kevin's family travels to which country: France, Spain or Italy?
13. Which ballet has an enchanted toy and a Sugar Plum Fairy: The Nutcracker or Swan Lake?
14. In the poem A Visit from St Nicholas, how many reindeer pull the sleigh: six, eight or ten?
15. In the same poem, does St Nicholas enter through the front door or down the chimney?

Words and numbers

16. Rearrange the letters L, E, F to name one of Santa's helpers.
17. What animal word do you get if you write STAR backwards?
18. How many letters are in the word GIFT?
19. Two children each make three Christmas cards. How many cards have they made altogether?
20. There are four wrapped presents. You add three more. How many presents are there now?

Christmas quiz: answers

Host copy. Accept spoken answers; spelling does not lose a point. Each round is out of 5.

Santa's journey

1. Reindeer.

2. A sleigh.

3. Elves.

4. Christmas. Accept Father Christmas.

5. A carrot.

Christmas things

6. 25 December. Accept the 25th.

7. A robin.

8. A Christmas cracker. Accept cracker.

9. A paper hat. Accept paper crown or crown.

10. Winter.

All four rounds: ____ / 20. If you skip a round, reduce the total by 5. Teams with equal scores can share the result.

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Stories and a film

11. Kevin.

12. France.

13. The Nutcracker.

14. Eight. The poem names eight reindeer. This question asks about that team.

15. Down the chimney.

Words and numbers

16. ELF.

17. RATS. Accept rats; the answer is plural.

18. Four.

19. Six cards.

20. Seven presents.

All four rounds: ____ / 20. If you skip a round, reduce the total by 5. Teams with equal scores can share the result.

Christmas quiz: team sheet

Team name: _____

Write an answer next to each number. You can also ask someone to write down your spoken answers.

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Score: _____ / 20 (or _____ / _____ if you chose fewer rounds)