

75 Flip Facts Quiz 1 -Level 1—Answers

1. What sort of items did young boys and girls knit as part of the war effort?

A: Socks, scarves, hats and gloves

2. Which iconic hairstyle was inspired by fighter plane manoeuvres?

A: Victory Rolls

3. What five items would children being evacuated have to take with them?

A: Gas mask, toothbrush, change of underwear, a name label and food for the journey

4. What campaign encouraged people to grow their own fruit and vegetables?

A: Dig for Victory!

5. Which famous figure toured coastal defences in Scotland in 1940?

A: Winston Churchill

6. Who was the Spy Princess and what was her mission?

A: Noor Inayat Khan. To enter German-occupied France and assist the French Resistance as a wireless operator.

7. How many American soldiers were posted to Britain during WW2?

A: Around 1.5million

8. Who invented the medicine, penicillin?

A: Sir Alexander Fleming

9. Who first broke the Enigma code?

A: The Polish Cipher Bureau

10. What does Kindertransport mean?

A: Children transport

11. What town in Scotland did the Luftwaffe target in 1941?

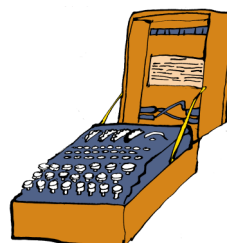
A: Clydebank

12. Which animal became an official crew member on a Norwegian patrol vessel stationed in Scotland during WW2?

A: Bamse, a St Bernard dog

13. What date was Victory in Europe Day (VE Day)?

A: 8th May 1945



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14. What flying trick did Allied pilots attempt in Paris

A: To fly through the small opening of the Eiffel Tower

15. What type of gifts could children expect to receive on Christmas day during the war?

A: A doll made from stockings and knitted gloves and slippers

16. Why were children issued with Mickey Mouse gas masks

A: To make them less scared when wearing a gas mask

17. Which animal charity awards the Dicken Award?

A: People's Dispensary for Sick Animals (PDSA)

18. What was the estimated number of Land Girls by 1944

A: 80,000

19. Who decides which city should host the Olympic Games?

A: The Olympic Committee

20. How would people be informed of a possible bombing raid?

A: Loud sirens, known as Air Raid warnings

21. What posed the biggest threat to pets during war time

A: The lack of food. Pets did not have food rations

22. Which much loved children's characters creation was inspired by seeing children being evacuated during WW2?

A: Paddington Bear

23. How many times did the Royal Family appear on the balcony of Buckingham House on VE Day?

A: Eight

24. What date was D-Day?

A: 6th June 1944

25. What duties did the Red Cross undertake during the war?

A: Nursing, first aid, transporting the wounded, air raid duties and searching for missing people

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