## 30 Christmas Quiz Questions with Answers (FreePubQuiz.co.uk)

- 1. On which day of the week was Christmas Day 2019? **ANSWER: Wednesday**
- 2. What colour are the berries found on the European mistletoe plant? **ANSWER: White**
- 3. Which journalist, writer and poet wrote the first ever King's Christmas message it was for George V in 1932? ANSWER: Rudyard Kipling
- 4. What did Tom Smith of London invent in 1847 after getting the idea on a trip to Paris? **ANSWER: Christmas crackers**
- 5. What is the name of Bob Cratchit's youngest child in the book, *A Christmas Carol*? **ANSWER: Tiny Tim**
- 6. The modern Santa Claus was based on traditions surrounding which fourth-century Greek bishop? **ANSWER: Saint Nicholas**
- 7. If you were born on Christmas Day, what is your star sign? **ANSWER: Capricorn**
- 8. Which song plays out the end credits of the film *Die Hard*?
- ANSWER: Let It Snow! (also known as, Let It Snow! Let It Snow! Let It Snow!)
- 9. What, with parts called 'lametta', was invented in Nuremberg, Germany in 1610? ANSWER: Tinsel
- 10. Who played Kris Kringle in the 1994 film *Miracle on 34th Street*? **ANSWER: Richard Attenborough**
- 11. Who were the English Protestants in the 16th and 17th centuries that objected to celebrating Christmas? **ANSWER: The Puritans**
- 12. Lloyd Christmas is roommates with best friend Harry Dunne in which 1994 film? ANSWER: Dumb and Dumber
- 13. What do American's call reindeer? ANSWER: Caribou
- 14. At what time on Christmas Day each year does the Queen broadcast to the nation? **ANSWER: 3pm**
- 15. In 1989, a record TV audience of 22 million watched the UK premiere of which film on Christmas Day? **ANSWER: Crocodile Dundee**
- 16. On the fifth day of Christmas what new items did my true love give to me? ANSWER: Gold rings (5 gold rings)
- 17. What cake is offered typically during Christmas throughout Italy? **ANSWER: Panettone**
- 18. Which item of clothing brought Frosty the Snowman back to life? ANSWER: A hat
- 19. Which Christmas carol is noted for the Latin line "Gloria Hosanna in excelsis!"? ANSWER: Ding Dong Merrily on High
- 20. What did Henry Cole give us in 1843? ANSWER: First commercial Christmas cards
- 21. Eating a Kentucky Fried Chicken meal is a Christmas tradition in which country? **ANSWER: Japan**
- 22. Which American state's Spanish translation literally means 'covered in snow'? ANSWER: Nevada
- 23. Who plays aspiring entertainer, Private First Class Phil Davis, in the 1954 film *White Christmas*? **ANSWER: Danny Kaye**
- 24. Which festive song is the biggest-selling single in UK chart history not to reach number one? **ANSWER: Last Christmas (by Wham!)**
- 25. What was the name of the lady who was handed divorce papers on Christmas Day 1986? ANSWER: Angie (Angie Watts in Eastenders)
- 26. Who married Alice Fitzwarren? ANSWER: Dick Whittington (in the pantomime of the same name)
- 27. Who first appeared in a 1939 booklet written by Robert L. May? ANSWER: Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer
- 28. How old was Kevin in the 1990 Christmas comedy film *Home Alone?* ANSWER: Eight
- 29. The General Post Office stopped delivering letters on Christmas Day in England in which year: 1940, 1950, 1960, or 1970? **ANSWER: 1960**
- 30. Often used in Christmas floral displays, what is *Euphorbia pulcherrima*? **ANSWER: Poinsettia**