

80 Trivia Questions for 1st Graders

Confidence-building trivia for ages 5-7, with a full answer key.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Animal Friends

1. What sound does a cow make?

2. What is a baby dog called?

3. What is a baby cat called?

4. Which animal has a very long neck and eats leaves from tall trees?

5. Which animal says 'ribbit' and hops near ponds?

6. What do rabbits love to eat?

7. Which big animal has a trunk?

8. Which black and white bird lives where it's icy cold and cannot fly?

9. What animal gives us wool for sweaters?

10. Which insect makes honey?

Colors & Shapes

11. What color do you get when you mix blue and yellow?

12. What color is a banana?

13. What shape is a ball?

14. How many sides does a square have?

15. What color do you get when you mix red and white?

16. What shape has three sides?

17. What color is the sky on a sunny day?

18. What shape is a stop sign?

19. What color are most frogs?

20. What colors are on a zebra?

Counting & Numbers

21. How many fingers do you have on two hands?

22. What number comes after 9?

23. How many legs does a dog have?

24. What is $2 + 2$?

25. How many days are in a week?

26. If you have 3 apples and eat 1, how many are left?

27. How many eyes do you have?

28. What is $5 + 5$?

29. How many wheels does a bicycle have?

30. Count by twos: 2, 4, 6 — what comes next?

The World Around Us

31. What do you see in the sky during the day that keeps us warm?

32. What do you see in the sky at night besides stars?

33. What falls from clouds when it rains?

34. What season comes after winter?

35. What do plants need to grow?

36. Where do fish live?

37. What do you wear on your feet to go outside?

38. What melts in the sun — ice cream or rocks?

39. What do birds build to keep their eggs safe?

40. What do we call frozen rain that's white and fluffy?

Everyday Life

41. What do you use to brush your teeth?

42. What vehicle has flashing lights and helps people who are sick get to hospital?

43. Who helps you learn at school?

44. What do you say when someone gives you a present?

45. What meal do you eat in the morning?

46. Where do you borrow books to take home and read?

47. What do firefighters use to put out fires?

48. What do you wear when it rains so you don't get wet?

49. Which room of the house do you cook dinner in?

50. What do you do at night when you're tired?

Food & Yummy Things

51. What fruit is red, round, and the teacher's favourite to receive?

52. What do bees make that tastes sweet and goes on toast?

53. What is the yellow fruit monkeys love to eat?

54. What vegetable is orange and makes rabbits very happy?

55. What do you put in a bowl with milk for breakfast?

56. What meal comes between breakfast and dinner?

57. What do you blow out on top of a birthday cake?

58. What cold, sweet treat do you eat with a cone in summer?

59. What red fruit grows on a vine and goes on pizza?

60. What do you drink that is white and comes from a cow?

Art, Music & Play

61. What colours do you mix to make orange?

62. What do you call a drawing or painting that you make yourself?

63. What instrument do you hit with sticks to make a beat?

64. What do you use to cut paper — not your fingers!

65. If you mix blue and red, what colour do you get?

66. What game do children play where they jump over a rope?

67. What do you call a song with special words that repeat and rhyme?

68. What outdoor toy spins on a stick and moves in the wind?

69. What do you use to stick paper pieces together in art class?

70. What shape is a musical note on a page?

Reading & Letters

71. What letter comes first in the alphabet?

72. What letter comes last in the alphabet?

73. How many letters are in the alphabet?

74. Which letter makes the "ssss" sound like a snake?

75. What do we call the letters A, E, I, O and U?

76. What is the word for when two words sound the same at the end, like cat and hat?

77. If I spell C-A-T, what word am I making?

78. What is the full stop at the end of a sentence called?

79. What is it called when a story has talking animals and magical things?

80. What do you call the front of a book that shows its name?

Answer Key

Animal Friends

1. What sound does a cow make? - Moo!
2. What is a baby dog called? - A puppy.
3. What is a baby cat called? - A kitten.
4. Which animal has a very long neck and eats leaves from tall trees? - The giraffe.
5. Which animal says 'ribbit' and hops near ponds? - The frog.
6. What do rabbits love to eat? - Carrots (and lots of leafy greens).
7. Which big animal has a trunk? - The elephant.
8. Which black and white bird lives where it's icy cold and cannot fly? - The penguin.
9. What animal gives us wool for sweaters? - The sheep.
10. Which insect makes honey? - The bee.

Colors & Shapes

11. What color do you get when you mix blue and yellow? - Green.
12. What color is a banana? - Yellow.
13. What shape is a ball? - A circle (in 3D it's called a sphere).
14. How many sides does a square have? - Four — and they're all the same length.
15. What color do you get when you mix red and white? - Pink.
16. What shape has three sides? - A triangle.
17. What color is the sky on a sunny day? - Blue.
18. What shape is a stop sign? - An octagon — it has eight sides.
19. What color are most frogs? - Green.
20. What colors are on a zebra? - Black and white.

Counting & Numbers

21. How many fingers do you have on two hands? - Ten.
22. What number comes after 9? - Ten.
23. How many legs does a dog have? - Four.
24. What is $2 + 2$? - Four.
25. How many days are in a week? - Seven.
26. If you have 3 apples and eat 1, how many are left? - Two.
27. How many eyes do you have? - Two.
28. What is $5 + 5$? - Ten.
29. How many wheels does a bicycle have? - Two — that's why it's called a BI-cycle!
30. Count by twos: 2, 4, 6 — what comes next? - Eight.

The World Around Us

31. What do you see in the sky during the day that keeps us warm? - The Sun.
32. What do you see in the sky at night besides stars? - The Moon.

33. What falls from clouds when it rains? - Water (raindrops).
34. What season comes after winter? - Spring.
35. What do plants need to grow? - Water, sunlight, and soil.
36. Where do fish live? - In water — rivers, lakes, and the ocean.
37. What do you wear on your feet to go outside? - Shoes (or boots).
38. What melts in the sun — ice cream or rocks? - Ice cream!
39. What do birds build to keep their eggs safe? - A nest.
40. What do we call frozen rain that's white and fluffy? - Snow.

Everyday Life

41. What do you use to brush your teeth? - A toothbrush (and toothpaste).
42. What vehicle has flashing lights and helps people who are sick get to hospital? - An ambulance.
43. Who helps you learn at school? - Your teacher.
44. What do you say when someone gives you a present? - Thank you!
45. What meal do you eat in the morning? - Breakfast.
46. Where do you borrow books to take home and read? - The library.
47. What do firefighters use to put out fires? - Water (sprayed from hoses).
48. What do you wear when it rains so you don't get wet? - A raincoat (and you carry an umbrella).
49. Which room of the house do you cook dinner in? - The kitchen.
50. What do you do at night when you're tired? - Go to sleep!

Food & Yummy Things

51. What fruit is red, round, and the teacher's favourite to receive? - An apple!
52. What do bees make that tastes sweet and goes on toast? - Honey.
53. What is the yellow fruit monkeys love to eat? - A banana.
54. What vegetable is orange and makes rabbits very happy? - A carrot.
55. What do you put in a bowl with milk for breakfast? - Cereal.
56. What meal comes between breakfast and dinner? - Lunch.
57. What do you blow out on top of a birthday cake? - Candles.
58. What cold, sweet treat do you eat with a cone in summer? - Ice cream!
59. What red fruit grows on a vine and goes on pizza? - A tomato.

60. What do you drink that is white and comes from a cow? - Milk.

Art, Music & Play

61. What colours do you mix to make orange? - Red and yellow.

62. What do you call a drawing or painting that you make yourself? - Artwork (or a piece of art).

63. What instrument do you hit with sticks to make a beat? - A drum.

64. What do you use to cut paper — not your fingers! - Scissors.

65. If you mix blue and red, what colour do you get? - Purple.

66. What game do children play where they jump over a rope? - Jump rope (or skipping).

67. What do you call a song with special words that repeat and rhyme? - A poem (or a nursery rhyme).

68. What outdoor toy spins on a stick and moves in the wind? - A pinwheel (or windmill).

69. What do you use to stick paper pieces together in art class? - Glue.

70. What shape is a musical note on a page? - It looks like a dot with a stem.

Reading & Letters

71. What letter comes first in the alphabet? - The letter A.

72. What letter comes last in the alphabet? - The letter Z.

73. How many letters are in the alphabet? - 26 letters.

74. Which letter makes the "ssss" sound like a snake? - The letter S.

75. What do we call the letters A, E, I, O and U? - Vowels.

76. What is the word for when two words sound the same at the end, like cat and hat? - A rhyme.

77. If I spell C-A-T, what word am I making? - CAT!

78. What is the full stop at the end of a sentence called? - A period (or a full stop).

79. What is it called when a story has talking animals and magical things? - A fairy tale.

80. What do you call the front of a book that shows its name? - The cover.