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Big Christmas Quiz



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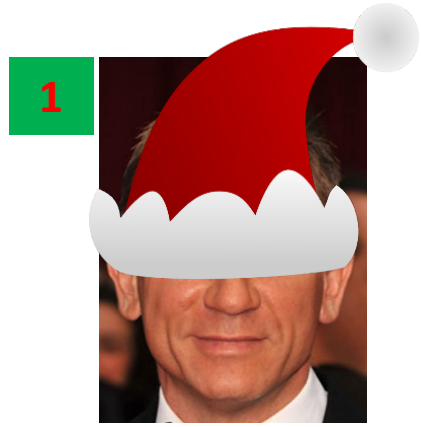
Christmas Traditions



1. The Festival of Nine Carols and Lessons is broadcast from which city on Christmas Eve?
2. In which country was the printed Advent calendar first introduced in the 1900s?
3. What is made in churches and schools from an orange, ribbon, candle and raisins?
4. What did Tom Smith junior add to his father's Christmas crackers – A Snap, A Paper Hat or A Joke?
5. What were once hung on a Christmas tree to signify the Garden of Eden?
6. What 'G' first appeared in J.P. Roberts' department store in Stratford London in 1888?
7. King George V gave the very first Christmas message to the nation by a reigning monarch in 1932 from which royal residence?
8. Which TV channel first broadcast an *Alternative Christmas Message* in 1993?
9. Which Christmas tradition's name is derived from the Greek for "All Mimic"?
10. Which Norse god is seen as the forerunner to Father Christmas because he was depicted bringing the snow and driving reindeer herds?

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Who is the famous SANTA?



Christmas Food



1. Connected to the preparation of the Christmas pudding, how is the last Sunday before advent known?
2. In the Middle Ages, it was traditional to serve up the sacrificial head of which animal at Christmas feasts?
3. You should 'feed' a Christmas cake once a week until Christmas Day – with what?
4. Honouring Jesus and his disciples, how many ingredients should a Christmas pudding contain?
5. Mince Pies were originally known as Christmas Pies – what did they contain that gave them a change of name?
6. According to folklore, for how consecutive days should you eat a mince pie to be sure of good fortune in the year ahead?
7. In Dickens' *A Christmas Carol*, what meat were the Cratchit family set to eat before Scrooge appeared with the biggest bird in the shop?
8. A cross was originally cut in the base of which vegetable during cooking to keep the Devil out?
9. Which food is mentioned in the Christmas carol, "We Wish You A Merry Christmas"?
10. In the Middle Ages, which important part of the Christmas dinner was known as Forcemeat?

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Christmas Films



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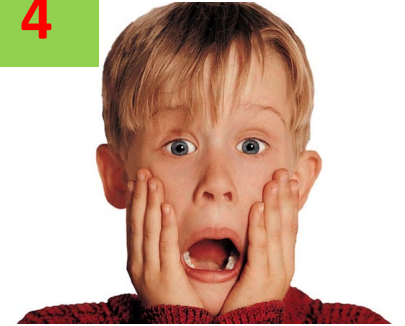
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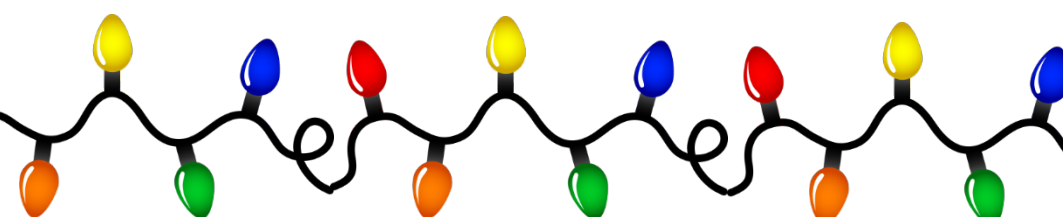
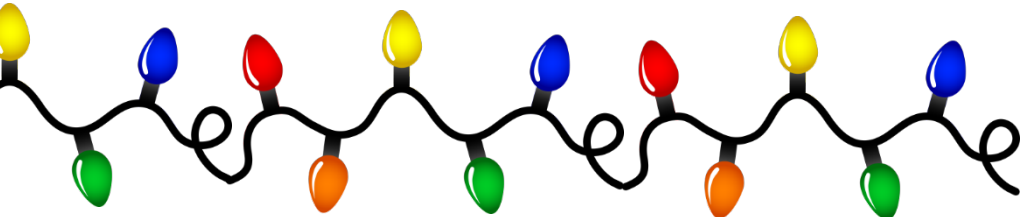


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ANSWERS

TRADITIONS

1. Cambridge
2. Germany
3. Christingle
4. Paper Hat
5. Apples
6. Grotto
7. Sandringham
8. Channel 4
9. Pantomime
10. Odin

FAMOUS SANTAS

1. Daniel Craig
2. Gareth Southgate
3. Emma Raducanu
4. Pru Leith
5. Adele
6. Elon Musk
7. Boris Johnson
8. Harry Kane
9. Rose Ayling-Ellis
10. Olivia Coleman

CHRISTMAS FOOD

1. Stir-Up Sunday
2. Boar (**Pig**)
3. Brandy
4. 13
5. Minced Meat
6. 12 (**One on each of the 12 days of Christmas**)
7. Goose
8. Brussels Sprouts
9. Figgy Pudding
10. Stuffing

CHRISTMAS FILMS

1. Love Actually
2. Polar Express
3. Elf
4. Home Alone
5. Arthur Christmas
6. Miracle on 34th Street
7. Grinch
8. Santa Clause
9. Jingle all the Way
10. Muppet Christmas Carol