

BOUNDLESS QUIZ 1 ANSWERS

1. **(b)** Rowntree & Co. as a memorial to their staff and workers lost in WWI.
2. **(a)** Coney Street, outside St Martin-le-Grand church.
- 3 **(b)** Cap of Maintenance. The city has been presented with several Caps of Maintenance the last was presented by the Queen when she visited the city in 2012.
4. **(b)** River Foss.
5. **(c)** Skeldergate Bridge.
6. **(b)** The dancing is in the Assembly Rooms, which were built 1730/1735 to a design by Lord Burlington.
7. **(a)** Whip-Ma-Whop-Ma-Gate.
8. **(b)** The Lord Mayor's chain of office. In July of 1603, King James I visited York and asked 'How shall I know my Lord the Mayor?'; 'He will be wearing a chain' was the reply. Watter was knighted during the visit and donated the chain to be worn by subsequent Lord Mayors of York.
- 9.**(a)** York Minster is built using magnesium limestone from a quarry near Tadcaster. In mediaeval times the quarry was owned by the Vavasour family, who donated the stone to the Minster.
10. **(b)** The figure is Minerva the Roman goddess of wisdom and drama, hence the owl and books.
- 11.**(a)** The Coat of Arms is of the Beckett family and can be found on the corner of Coney Street and New Street. The Beckett family were bankers based in Leeds from the 18th century. Their family bank was amalgamated with the London County Westminster Bank in 1921 this later became National Westminster Bank. The building on the corner of Coney Street and New Street was a branch of Nat West for many years.
- 12.**(b)** Dick Turpin never did ride to York in a day. The ride to York in a day is recounted by Daniel Defoe as being done by William 'Swifticks' Nevison in 1676, a century before Turpin.
- 13.**(c)** The doors of St William's College were restored by Thompson of Kilburn, the carved mouse being his trade symbol. Kilburn was where 'Mousey' Thompson lived.
- 14.**(b)** The Church is St Michael-le-Belfrey located next to the Minster. This is where Guy Fawkes was baptised on 16th April 1570; his parents are thought to have lived down Stonegate.
- 15.**(a)** The children's programme was Blue Peter who promoted a competition to design carvings for six bosses in the newly restored roof. The winning designs included a spaceman on the Moon, relief of famine and the raising of the Mary Rose.
- 16.**(c)** St Helen's Square.
- 17.**(c)** The shrine to Margaret Clitherow is located in the Shambles.
- 18.**(b)** Nickolas Nickleby, Chapter 6, with the telling of the fable of the five sisters of York.
- 19.**(a)** Stonegate.
- 20.**(b)** York Mystery Plays.