

# World Quiz K

Try our World Quiz & see how well you know the world. Answers appear at the bottom

1. Harry's New York Bar is:

- (a) A bar in Old Toronto named after a guy named Harry
- (b) A bar in New Jersey named after a girl named Harry
- (c) A bar in Paris that Ernest Hemingway used to frequent
- (d) A frozen dairy product favored by President Truman



2. Gorky Park is a patch of green space in:

- (a) Moscow, named after the Russian writer Maxim Gorky
- (b) Disneyland, named for one of Goofy's nephews
- (c) Buffalo, named in honor of that city's famous pickle king
- (d) The Sahara Desert, named for freedom fighter Gorky of Arabia



3. If you find yourself in Carlsbad, you're in:

- (a) A Boston home for wayward boys named Carl
- (b) A national park in New Mexico famed for its limestone caves
- (c) A bawdy house in Berlin
- (d) A museum in Madrid named after Carlos The Wicked



4. Bundaberg is located in \_\_\_\_\_ and is famous for its:

- (a) Norway: It's the world's only floating iceberg hotel
- (b) Austria: It's the name of the Parliament Buildings in Vienna
- (c) Australia: It's a town famous for its potent rum made from sugar cane
- (d) Switzerland: It's the cry suicidal yodelers make before leaping off a mountain



5. The Maid of the Mist is:

- (a) A headless ghost who walks the streets of London on foggy nights
- (b) The yacht owned by Estée Lauder
- (c) An aftershave lotion named in honor of Joan of Arc
- (d) A passenger boat that takes tourists up close to Niagara Falls



6. If you're inhaling the vapors in Grasse:

- (a) You're safe from arrest since this is the pot-smoking free zone of Amsterdam
- (b) You're touring the perfume capital of Southern France
- (c) You're enjoying the heady odors of a Swiss dairy pasture
- (d) You're part of a medical experiment in Ontario to find a cure for hay fever



7. If you tell someone you've been to Munchen:

- (a) They'll think you've been visiting the little people of Oz
- (b) You've just come back from seeing the capital of Bavaria
- (c) You've gone off your diet
- (d) You've toured a bagel factory in Jerusalem

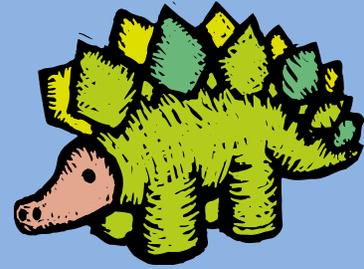


8. If your tour bus stops in Sintra, you're visiting:

- (a) A famous crooner's home in Palm Springs
- (b) A New York disco known for its exotic dancing
- (c) A village in Portugal famous for its Moorish heritage
- (d) A ghost town in Northern Ontario where they used to smelt



9. If you visit Rabat, you'll probably buy:
- (a) A Moroccan leather product
  - (b) An antidote against disease-laden flying mammals
  - (c) A mess of frog's legs for lunch
  - (d) A wooden instrument used for playing a Mongolian form of baseball
10. If you have a hankering to visit Dijon, you're probably in:
- (a) Dire straits because you drank too much Jamaican beer
  - (b) France and you're looking forward to buying some mustard products
  - (c) New Orleans for the Fat Tuesday Jazz Festival
  - (d) The Alberta Badlands searching for the bones of a flying dinosaur



**Answers:**

1 c); 2 a); 3 b); 4 c); 5 d); 6 b); 7 b); 8 c); 9 a); 10 b)

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**Ratings**

10/10: A true citizen of the world. We salute you.

8-9: Not too shabby; you could reside anywhere and seem like a native.

6-7: Start reading some geography books.

>5: Buy a map and compass.

**Recommended viewing**

Hemmingway: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=okQtr6ERIrU>

Estée Lauder: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=12fk4UIQMZk>

Fat Tuesday: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=R9XM0bsjLMw>

