

1. Japan is made up of islands. How many islands does Japan have in total?
 - a. 6852
 - b. 380
 - c. 6
 - d. 5431
2. What is a traditional Japanese inn called?
 - a. Ryokan
 - b. Onsen
 - c. Capsule
 - d. hanok
3. We all know Tokyo's the largest city in terms of population, but where is the second biggest?
 - a. Kyoto
 - b. Osaka
 - c. Yokohama
 - d. nagoya
4. Japan's total population is approx. 127 million, but which European country is similar in size according to landmass?
 - a. France
 - b. Germany
 - c. Spain
 - d. uk
5. Before Tokyo, Japan had several other capital cities. Which is the most recent previous capital?
 - a. Hiroshima
 - b. Osaka
 - c. Kyoto
 - d. fukuoka
6. How tall is the iconic Mount Fuji?
 - a. 3776m
 - b. 3776m
 - c. 2893m
 - d. 2893m
7. Few 'original' castles remain from the Edo period of 1603 to 1868. How many still exist today?
 - a. 8
 - b. 12

- c. 19
 - d. 23
8. Kyoto is famous for its stunning geisha. But what does the word 'geisha' actually translate to?
- a. Person of art
 - b. Doll performer
 - c. Woman of art
 - d. Woman of dance
9. Japan is an up-and-coming hiking haven, but which of these timeless walking trails is over 1,000 years old?
- a. Kumano kodo
 - b. Nakasendo way
 - c. Shinmanamikaido
 - d. Shinetsu trail
10. What is the top operational speed of the Shinkansen aka The Bullet train?
- a. 400 kmph
 - b. 320 kmph
 - c. 200 kmph
 - d. 260 kmph
11. Japan is renowned for its incredible food. Which city is nicknamed the 'kitchen of Japan'?
- a. Kobe
 - b. Fukuoka
 - c. Nagasaki
 - d. osaka
12. Which quintessentially Japanese dish actually originates from Portugal?
- a. Sushi
 - b. Okonomiyaki
 - c. Ramen
 - d. tempura
13. Which sacred animal is known for wandering through Nara Park?
- a. Gazelle
 - b. Deer
 - c. Red squirrel
 - d. horse
14. Hokkaido's red-crowned cranes are iconic. In which part of the island can they be seen all year round?
- a. Shiretoko peninsula

- b. Kushiro marshland
 - c. Akan-nashu national park
 - d. Not in hokkaido
15. In which prefecture can you find the hot spring-bathing Japanese macaque aka snow monkey?
- a. Ishikawa
 - b. kagoshima
 - c. Okinawa
 - d. nagano
16. In which region would you find the city of Sendai?
- a. Honshu
 - b. Chugoku
 - c. Tohoku
 - d. shikoku
17. In which Japanese town would you find this Buddha statue?
- a. Gifu
 - b. Kamakura
 - c. Nara
 - d. harajuku
18. When did the beloved Studio Ghibli Museum in Mitaka open?
- a. 1998
 - b. 2001
 - c. 2003
 - d. 2007
19. How many vending machines are there in Japan
- a. 4 million
 - b. 500k
 - c. 2.5 million
 - d. 15,268
20. How many subway stations are there in Tokyo
- a. 50
 - b. 23
 - c. 185
 - d. 220
21. How much of Japan is forest
- a. 15%
 - b. 67%
 - c. 39%
 - d. 50%

22. How is okonomiyaki cooked

- a. Its not
- b. With a teppan
- c. Fried
- d. Smoked

23. Which number is considered unlucky in Japan

- a. 2
- b. 4
- c. 8
- d. 5

24. What is Japan's northernmost island

- a. Okinawa
- b. Aoshima
- c. Hokkaido
- d. Saitama

25. What was Tokyo originally called

- a. Nikko
- b. Edo
- c. Tachikawa
- d. Mie