

Who Wants to be a Santa-Aire? Game

Rules: choose one child to compete. They get 3 lifelines: Poll the class (hand count),

50/50, and ask an adult.

Correct Answers:

(#1-3) receive miniature candy bars

(#4) receive reindeer poop

if you miss 5,6, or 7 you keep the poop and prizes (1-3)

(#5-7) receive miniature candy bars

(#8) receive a jingle bell necklace

if you miss 9 or 10 you keep the necklace and prizes (1-7)

(#9) Reindeer pencil (to check your list)

(#10) Santa Hat or Santa Ornament

Who Wants to be a Santa-aire Questions ([Answers at the bottom](#))

1-1. The color of the original Candy Cane made in 1642 was?

- A. Green & White
- B. Red & White
- C. Red & Green
- D. Yellow & Blue

1-2. Who wrote the book "How the Grinch Stole Christmas"?

- A. Jim Carrey
- B. Ron Howard
- C. Dr. Seuss
- D. Cindy Lou Who

1-3. Which famous Christmas carol has the line "lean your ear this way"?

- A. A Holly Jolly Christmas
- B. Here Comes Santa Claus
- C. Deck the Halls
- D. Jolly Old St. Nicholas

1-4. What did the lamb say to the shepherd boy?

- A. What gift did you bring?
- B. Sit close and warm up with me?

- C. What star is this?
- D. Do you hear what I hear?

1-5. In the original Rudolph animated movie, what is everyone most afraid of?

- A. the Abominable Snow Monster
- B. Rudolph's nose
- C. a Blizzard
- D. not enough presents

1-6. According to Charlie Brown, what's wrong with Christmas?

- A. It's too cold
- B. It only comes once a year
- C. It's too commercialized
- D. It requires shopping for presents

1-7. This tree trimming began using popcorn. Today shiny strung beads wrap the tree and is called:

- A. a garland
- B. Decorative wrapping
- C. A tree necklace
- D. Potpourri

1-8. In the movie "Christmas Vacation", What unusual ingredient is in the Christmas Jell-O?

- A. Ham bits
- B. Cat kibble
- C. A jingle bell
- D. Cloves

1-9. The first instrument on which the carol Silent Night was played was:

- A. A harp
- B. A pipe organ
- C. A guitar
- D. A kazoo

1-10. Electric Christmas tree lights were first used in:

- A. 1492
 - B. 1895
 - C. 1944
 - D. 1976
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2-1. What color is the Grinch?

- A. apple red
- B. lime green
- C. plum purple
- D. sunny yellow

2-2. Which name does not belong to one of Santa's reindeer?

- A. Comet
- B. Prancer
- C. Blitzen
- D. Klaxon

2-3. What famous Christmas Carol has the line "bells on bob-tails ring"?

- A. Here Comes Santa Claus
- B. Jingle Bells
- C. Deck the Halls
- D. Here we Come a Caroling

2-4. What popular Christmas toy was named after Theodore Roosevelt?

- A. G.I. Joe
- B. Jack in the Box
- C. Teddy Bear
- D. Yo-Yo

2-5. In the 1983 movie "A Christmas Story" all the 9-year-old wants is:

- A. a BB gun
- B. G.I. Joe
- C. a radio flyer sled
- D. Mr. Potato Head

2-6. Why did they replace the parade Santa in the movie "Miracle on 34th Street"?

- A. he was drunk
- B. he was cold
- C. he was sick
- D. he was tired

2-7. What is the title of the German holiday folktale about a golden Christmas spider?

- A. The Legend of the Christmas Spider
- B. Tante's Golden Tree

- C. The Golden Christmas Spider
- D. The Cobweb Christmas

2-8. Laura Ingalls Wilder didn't see her first Christmas tree until she moved to:

- A. The Big Woods
- B. Plum Creek
- C. Tree Crest
- D. Silver Lake

2-9. The name of Scrooge's deceased business partner in Charles Dickens' A Christmas Carol was:

- A. Bob Cratchit
- B. Jerry Cornelius
- C. Bill Sykes
- D. Jacob Marley

2-10. The real St. Nicholas lived:

- A. At the North Pole
 - B. On the island of Malta
 - C. In Turkey
 - D. In Holland
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3-1. Who was the most famous reindeer of all?

- A. Comet
- B. Rudolph
- C. Dasher
- D. Prancer

3-2. At Christmas, it is customary to exchange kisses beneath a sprig of which plant?

- A. Ivy
- B. Yew
- C. Holly
- D. Mistletoe

3-3. In France, Germany, and Brazil, where does Santa Claus put his presents?

- A. In stockings
- B. On the Christmas tree
- C. In shoes
- D. In hats

3-4. Which famous Christmas carol has the line "out jumps good old Santa Claus"?

- A. Jolly Old St. Nicholas
- B. Santa Claus is Coming to Town
- C. Here Comes Santa Claus
- D. Up on the Housetop

3-5. In the movie "The Santa Claus", Scott Calvin becomes Santa Claus by:

- A. putting on the red suit
- B. getting into the sleigh
- C. growing a beard
- D. feeding the reindeer

3-6. Good King Wenceslas was king of which country?

- A. Abyssinia
- B. England
- C. Bohemia
- D. Gondor

3-7. Who was the author of A Christmas Carol?

- A. Mark Twain
- B. Charles Dickens
- C. Hans Christian Andersen
- D. Thomas M. Sawyer

3-8. In the movie "The Grinch that Stole Christmas". Where is Whoville?

- A. At the North Pole
- B. The Arctic Circle
- C. inside a snowflake
- D. In a tuff of fluff

3-9. Which popular Christmas song was actually written for Thanksgiving?

- A. Away in a Manger
- B. Frosty the Snowman
- C. Jingle Bells
- D. Joy to the World

3-10. One notable medieval English Christmas celebration featured:

- A. a giant, 165-pound pie
- B. Snowball fights between rival courtiers
- C. a swimming race across the English Channel

D. Huge crackers that sometimes exploded fatally

4-1. What does Alvin want for Christmas?

- A. Harmonica
- B. A Hula-Hoop
- C. Two front teeth
- D. Money

4-2. In the Christmas Classic, "It's a Wonderful Life", what happens every time a bell rang?

- A. a baby was born
- B. An angel got his wings
- C. Class was dismissed
- D. Oil was discovered

4-3. A magical fable song in which a snowman comes to life:

- A. The Snowman
- B. White Christmas
- C. Rudolph the Red-nosed Reindeer
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4-4. Which famous Christmas Carol has the line "good tidings we bring"?

- A. Jingle Bells
- B. O Christmas Tree
- C. We Wish You a Merry Christmas
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4-5. What was Grandma drinking when she got run over by a reindeer?

- A. Alcohol
- B. Eggnog
- C. Wassail
- D. Cocoa

4-6. Which famous Christmas carol starts with "chestnuts roasting on an open fire"?

- A. I'll be Home for Christmas
- B. The Christmas Song
- C. White Christmas
- D. Winter Wonderland

4-7. What do the reindeer names "Donner" and Blitzen" mean?

- A. Winter & Snow

- B. Shiver & Sunny
- C. Big Jim & Little Bill
- D. Thunder & Lightning

4-8. What is the first name of Hallmark's grumpy old Christmas lady from their shoebox greetings line?

- A. Maxine
- B. Mable
- C. Mr. Claus
- D. Louella

4-9. Who delivers the Christmas gifts in some parts of Italy?

- A. La Befana, a witch
- B. The Christ Child
- C. Fido, Santa's dog
- D. Angelo, a wanderer

4-10. The poem commonly known as "The Night Before Christmas" was originally entitled:

- A. Santa's Secret Visit
 - B. A Visit from St. Nicholas
 - C. The Night Before Christmas
 - D. The Midnight Guest
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5-1. What is Scrooge's favorite two-word phrase?

- A. Shut-up
- B. Chill-out
- C. Bah! Humbug!
- D. What ever

5-2. What is the name of the most famous Christmas ballet?

- A. Nutcracker
- B. Swan Lake
- C. Carmen
- D. Madam Butterfly

5-3. Which famous Christmas carol has the line "then one foggy Christmas Eve":

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What was it?

- A. a puppy
- B. a turtle dove
- C. a cross necklace
- D. a warm coat

5-5. What is the rabbits name in the animated movie "Frosty the Snowman"?

- A. Roger
- B. Abracadabra
- C. Hocus
- D. Wilbur

5-6. In the story "A Christmas Promise", what did all the animals have to promise Amy?

- A. to help her find her way home
- B. to help decorate the tree
- C. to move out of the tree by Christmas
- D. to keep her warm

5-7. In the Ukraine, if you find a spider web in the house on Christmas morning is

believed to mean:

- A. Misfortune will strike in the coming year
- B. Good luck
- C. The winter will be unusually cold
- D. Your house needs cleaning!

5-8. Believe it or not, one Indiana town is called:

- A. Christmasville
- B. Wenceslas
- C. Noel
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5-9. The first charity Christmas card was produced by UNICEF in 1949.

The picture chosen for the card was painted not by a professional artist but by:

- A. A chimpanzee
- B. A Blind man

- C. A seven-year-old girl
- D. A Buddhist monk

5-10. As early as 1822, the postmaster in Washington, D.C. was worried by the amount of extra mail at Christmas time. His preferred solution to the problem was to:

- A. Recruit volunteer postmen for the Christmas season
 - B. Raise the price of postage to reduce the number of cards sent
 - C. Request that people put holiday greetings in the newspaper instead
 - D. Limit by law the number of cards a person could send
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- A. a hair net
- B. a kerchief
- C. a night cap
- D. a shower cap

6-2. What did strung electric light bulbs take the place of on the Christmas tree?

- A. glitter
- B. tinsel
- C. icicles
- D. candles

6-3. What do you get for Christmas, if you have been naughty?

- A. reindeer poop
- B. a lump of coal
- C. an empty sock
- D. snow

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- B. a magician
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