

First Thanksgiving Trivia

1. What were the pilgrims who were sailing to America seeking religious freedom from the Church of England called?

- a. Protestants
- b. Separatists
- c. Strangers
- d. Lutherans

2. What was the name of the boat from Holland that was supposed to make the journey to America with the Mayflower?

- a. Mayshower
- b. Britannic
- c. Speedwell
- d. Copperfin

3. A baby was born to the Hopkin's family while at sea on the Mayflower. What did the Hopkin's name the baby?

- a. Oceanus
- b. William
- c. Brewster
- d. Peter

4. When did the Pilgrims spot land?

- a. November 11, 1620
- b. December 11, 1620
- c. April 11, 1620
- d. February 11, 1620

5. How long did the voyage from England to America take the Pilgrims?

- a. 102 days
- b. 30 days
- c. 221 days
- d. 66 days

6. Where were the Pilgrims supposed to land?

- a. the mouth of the Hudson River
- b. Jamestown
- c. St. Augustine
- d. present day Cape Code

7. Where did the Pilgrim's end up landing?

- a. the mouth of the Hudson River
- b. Jamestown
- c. St. Augustine
- d. present day Cape Code

8. Before the pilgrims left the Mayflower and set foot on land, they agreed on principles that would govern their new settlement, called:

- a. Plymouth Pact
- b. Mayflower Compact
- c. Magna Carta
- d. Bill of Rights

9. There were two dogs aboard the Mayflower - what breeds were they?

- a. Husky and Dalmatian
- b. Bull Terrier and English Wolf Hound
- c. Collie and English Sheep Dog
- d. Springer Spaniel and Mastiff

10. What did the Pilgrims discover of the Indians and take (without leaving payment)?

- a. furs
- b. bow and arrows
- c. corn seed
- d. small canoes

11. What was the name of the Indian who had been captured and lived in England previously but now was back in American and helped the Pilgrims make peace with other tribes and taught them to work the land?

- a. Chief Massasoit
- b. Samoset
- c. Squanto
- d. Corbitant

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12. What did the Pilgrim's new Indian teach them to use as fertilizer?

- a. fish
- b. deer manure
- c. old pumpkins
- d. crawfish

"Thus out of small beginnings greater things have been produced by His hand that made all things of nothing, and gives being to all things that are; and, as one small candle may light a thousand, so the light here kindled hath shone unto many..."

- William Bradford

13. A year after settling, through the help of local native tribes, the Pilgrims saw great success with their crops and celebrated with a Harvest Festival for how many days?

- a. 1
- b. 7
- c. 3
- d. a month

14. Over 90 Indians joined the feast and a few Indian men went out to hunt adding five _____ to the feast.

- a. Five Turkeys
- b. Five Deer
- c. Five Pheasant
- d. Five Sea Bass

15. Who was the first governor of the new settlement?

- a. William Bradford
- b. John Carver
- c. William Brewster
- d. Samuel Eaton

16. How many times was William Bradford elected governor of the new colony?

- a. 30
- b. 5
- c. 10
- d. 20

Tie Breaker

How many passengers were on the Mayflower?
(Guess a number - closest without going over wins!)