



ANGLOPHONE CULTURE & CIVILISATION CONTEST
EDITION II –March 20th 2026
Level: 9th-10th grades

Circle the correct answer for each question then transfer them onto the Answer Sheet by putting a tick (✓) in the corresponding box:

1. Which British novelist wrote *Pride and Prejudice*?
A. Emily Brontë B. Jane Austen C. Virginia Woolf
2. Which British Prime Minister led the country during most of World War II?
A. Margaret Thatcher B. Neville Chamberlain C. Winston Churchill
3. Which British band released the album *A Night at the Opera* (1975)?
A. The Rolling Stones B. Queen C. Pink Floyd
4. Which famous rock band comes from Liverpool?
A. Queen B. The Beatles C. Coldplay
5. What is the name of the prehistoric stone monument in Wiltshire?
A. Hadrian's Wall B. Avebury Castle C. Stonehenge
6. Which British holiday is celebrated on the 5th of November?
A. Bonfire Night B. Boxing Day C. Remembrance Day
7. The British Parliament consists of the House of Commons and the:
A. House of Nobles B. House of Peers C. House of Lords
8. Buckingham Palace is the official residence of the:
A. Prime Minister B. King/Queen C. Mayor of London
9. Which famous detective was created by Arthur Conan Doyle?
A. Hercule Poirot B. Sherlock Holmes C. Miss Marple
10. Which river is the longest in the USA?
A. Colorado River B. Mississippi River C. Missouri River
11. Who was the first President of the United States?
A. Abraham Lincoln B. George Washington C. Thomas Jefferson
12. Which famous statue was a gift from France to the USA?
A. Statue of Liberty B. Lincoln Memorial C. Mount Rushmore
13. Which American singer is known as the 'King of Pop'?
A. Elvis Presley B. Michael Jackson C. Prince
14. Which American document begins with the words 'We the People'?
A. The Bill of Rights B. The Constitution C. The Declaration of Independence
15. Thanksgiving is celebrated in the USA in:
A. September B. October C. November



16. Which American author wrote *The Great Gatsby*?
A. F. Scott Fitzgerald B. Ernest Hemingway C. William Faulkner
17. Which animal is a national symbol of Canada?
A. Beaver B. Buffalo C. Polar Bear
18. What is the largest city in Canada by population?
A. Ottawa B. Vancouver C. Toronto
19. Which famous Irish writer wrote *Dracula*?
A. Oscar Wilde B. H.G. Wells C. Bram Stoker
20. St. Patrick's Day is celebrated on:
A. March 16 B. March 17 C. March 12
21. What symbol is strongly associated with Ireland?
A. Shamrock B. Rose C. Maple leaf
22. Which Australian actress starred in the film *Moulin Rouge!* and *The Hours*?
A. Cate Blanchett B. Nicole Kidman C. Margot Robbie
23. Which famous natural landmark in Australia is also known as Ayers Rock?
A. Uluru B. Great Barrier Reef C. Blue Mountains
24. What is the capital city of New Zealand?
A. Auckland B. Wellington C. Christchurch
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37. The traditional Scottish garment is called:
A. Kimono B. Kilt C. Sarong
38. What is the official residence of the President of the United States?
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39. Which English-speaking country is made up of two main islands in the Pacific Ocean?
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