



Street Child AFRICA®

STREET CHILD AFRICA QUICK QUIZ

Question 1) How many countries form the continent of Africa?

Underline: 41 45 49 52 56

Question 2) Which is the most westerly country of the African mainland?

Underline: Gambia Guinea Liberia Mauritania Senegal

Question 3) What if you count the islands too – which country is then the most westerly in Africa?

Underline: São Tomé & Cape Verde Comoros Madagascar The Seychelles
 Príncipe

Question 4) For every \$2 Africa currently receives in aid, how much does it give back in debt repayment?

Answer:

Question 5) What percentage of all Africans is under 16 years old?

Underline: 10% 15% 30% 50% 70%

Question 6) Who lives longest? Match the average life expectancy to each country:

1) Andorra 2) France 3) Ghana 4) Japan 5) Uganda
6) Senegal 7) USA 8) UK 9) Zambia 10) Nigeria

a) 83 b) 82 c) 80 d) 79 e) 78 f) 59 g) 57 h) 52 i) 47 j) 38

Question 7) Which African country has the largest landmass?

Underline: Algeria Angola DR Congo South Africa Sudan

Question 8) Who earns what? Match the gross domestic product (GDP) per head* to each country:

1) Norway 2) Zambia 3) Greece 4) DR Congo 5) Niger
6) USA 7) UK 8) Uganda 9) Poland 10) Mozambique

a) \$53,000 b) \$45,800 c) \$35,100 d) \$29,200 e) \$16,300
f) \$1,300 g) \$900 h) \$800 i) \$700 j) \$300

*(GDP: Gross Domestic Product, or the market value of all final goods and services produced in a country in a given year.)

Question 9) Which is Africa's most bad-tempered mammal? (*Never mess with it!*)

Underline: Giraffe Gorilla Hippopotamus Rhinoceros Elephant

Question 10) Which rivers are in Africa?

Underline: Amazon Limpopo Mackenzie Niger Nile

Question 11) Match the countries to the median age* of their population, from lowest to highest:

Countries: Congo UK Mozambique Ghana Switzerland

Ages:

(Choose from: 40yrs 7mths; 39 yrs 9mths; 20 yrs 4mths; 17 yrs 4 mths; 16 yrs 7 mths)

(*Median age: the age in years/months at which half the population is younger, and half is older.)

Question 12) What does it cost a Ghanaian teenage street mother to feed herself and her baby for 1 day?

Underline: 25p 50p £1.30 £1.50 £3.00

Question 13) Match these African countries to their capital cities:

Underline: Uganda Mozambique Senegal Zambia Zimbabwe

(Choose from: Dakar; Maputo; Lusaka; Harare; Kampala)

Question 14) Who said, "*If you want to have true reconciliation, you first must forgive*"?

Underline: Kofi Annan Pope Benedict XVI Princess Diana Nelson Mandela The Dalai Lama

Question 15) Who spends what? Match the currencies to their countries:

Underline: Algeria Ghana Nigeria South Africa Zimbabwe

(Choose from: Cedi; Dinar; Dollar; Naira; Rand)

Question 16) What is the main cash crop exported by Ghana?

Underline: Mango Cocoa Coffee Timber Rice

Question 17) Which of these 5 African countries is landlocked?

Underline: Angola Ethiopia Mozambique Namibia Sierra Leone

Question 18) Who said, *"If you are neutral in situations of injustice, you have chosen the side of the oppressor"*?

Underline: George W. Archbishop Nelson Robert Mugabe Yasser Arafat
 Bush Desmond Tutu Mandela

Question 19) How much does the average street child in Accra need to earn each day, to survive?

Underline: 25 cents 50 cents \$1 \$2 \$5

Question 20) In 1970 wealthy nations pledged to give 0.7% of GNI* to development assistance. How much did the US give last year?

Underline: 2.5% 1.8% 0.16% 0.9% 3.5%

*(GNI: Gross National Income, or the total value produced within a country, i.e. its Gross Domestic Product, together with its income received from other countries, less similar payments made to other countries.)

ANSWERS:

Q1	Answer	Score	Q11	Answer	Score
Q1	52 (From www.africaguide.com)	1	Q11	(CIA World Factbook 2008) Congo: 16y7m	5✓ = 3
Q2	Senegal	1		Mozambique: 17y4m	4✓ = 2
Q3	Cape Verde	1		Ghana: 20y4m	3✓ = 1
Q4	Nearly \$1	1		UK: 39y9m	2✓ = 0.5
Q5	50%	1		Switzerland: 40y7m	
Q6	(CIA World factbook 2008 estimates) Andorra: 83	10✓ = 6 9✓ = 5 8✓ = 4 7✓ = 3 5/6✓ = 2 3/4✓ = 1 1/2✓ = 0	Q12	£1.30	1
	Japan: 82		Q13	Uganda: Kampala	5✓ = 4
	France: 80			Mozambique: Maputo	4✓ = 3
	UK: 79			Senegal: Dakar	3✓ = 2
	USA: 78			Zambia: Lusaka	2✓ = 1
	Ghana: 59		Q14	Zimbabwe: Harare	
	Senegal: 57			Nelson Mandela	1
	Uganda: 52		Q15	Algeria: Dinar	5✓ = 4
	Nigeria: 47			Ghana: Cedi	4✓ = 3
	Zambia: 38			Nigeria: Naira	3✓ = 2
Q7	Sudan (africaguide.com/facts.htm)	1		South Africa: Rand	2✓ = 1
Q8	(CIA World Factbook 2007 est) Norway: \$53,000	10✓ = 6 9✓ = 5 8✓ = 4 7✓ = 3 5/6✓ = 2 3/4✓ = 1 1/2✓ = 0		Zimbabwe: Dollar	
	U.S.A.: \$45,800		Q16	Cocoa	1
	U.K.: \$35,100		Q17	Ethiopia	1
	Greece: \$29,200		Q18	Archbishop Desmond Tutu	1
	Poland: \$16,300		Q19	\$1	1
	Zambia: \$1,300		Q20	0.16% (www.OECD.org)	1
	Uganda: \$900				
	Mozambique: \$800				
	Niger: \$700				
	DR Congo: \$300				
Q9	Hippopotamus	1		Maximum score: 40	
Q10	Limpopo	3✓ = 3		Your score:	
	Niger	2✓ = 2			
	Nile	1✓ = 1			

THANK YOU FOR TRYING THE STREET CHILD AFRICA QUIZ

NOW CALCULATE YOUR SCORE:

(Multiply the marks on your answer sheet x 2½ for your percentage score.)

Over 90%: Congratulations! You are a true Africa Expert.
 75 – 89%: Well done! You have a sound knowledge of Africa.
 55 – 74%: OK but you need to brush up.
 35 – 54%: Time to do your homework!
 34% or less: Oh, come on!